

THE STONE AGE

When was the Stone Age?

The Stone Age covers a huge period, over 3 million years! It starts from when the first human like animals came into existence. The earliest evidence has been found in Africa.

Stone Age Time Periods

Palaeolithic – around 3,000,000 BC

During this time, the earliest hominids (humans or close relatives of humans), Homo habilis, who used simple tools, slowly developed into the modern humans we call Homo sapiens.

Mesolithic- around 10,000 BC

People led largely nomadic lives as hunters-gatherers, constantly on the move in order to survive.

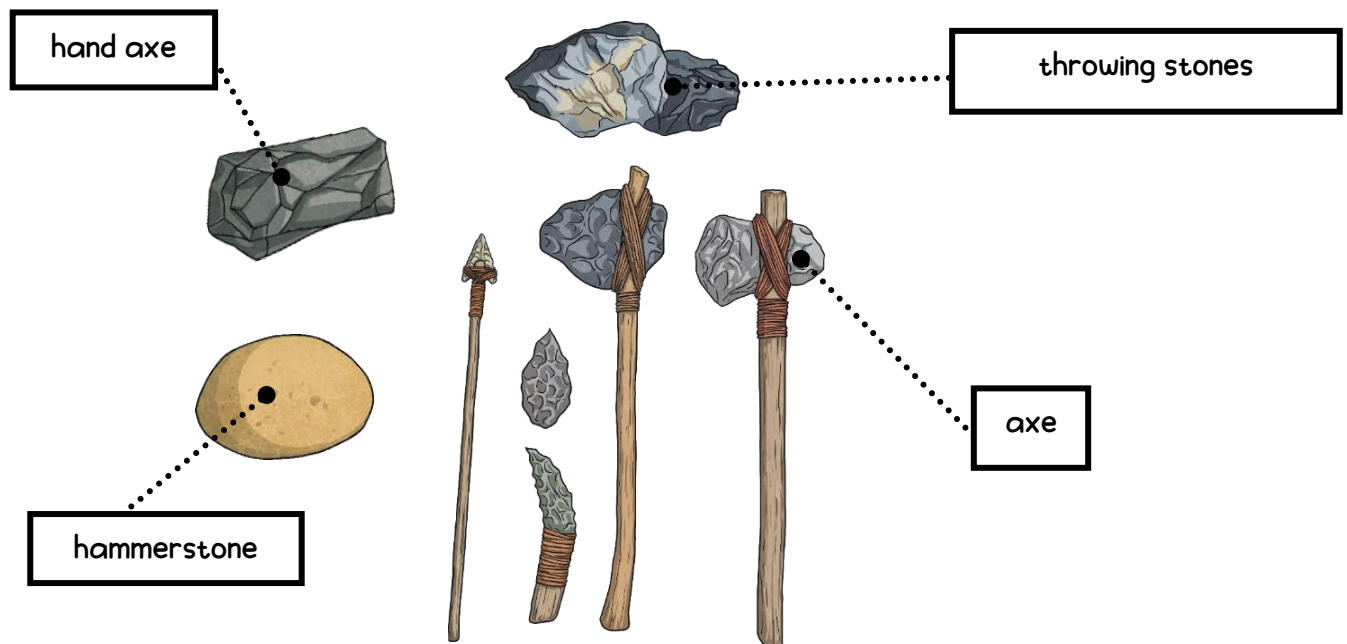
Neolithic- around 4,500 BC- 2,400 BC

This is the time that farming began, pottery was developed, and villages were built.

Why is it called the Stone Age?

The Stone Age is so called the earliest humans used stone to make tools with a sharp edge or point. Stone was the material predominantly used for tools throughout the Stone Age.

DISCOVERING THE STONE AGE



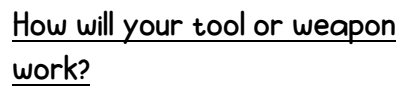
Did You Know...?

Some archaeologists believe that early humans would have cut open the stomach of an animal and eaten their last meal!

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How will your materials fit together?



What next?

WORD SEARCH

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- ☐ mammoth
- ☐ weapons
- ☐ antler
- ☐ weapons
- ☐ stone
- ☐ fur pelt
- ☐ Neolithic
- ☐ Tools
- ☐ Cave
- ☐ Jewellery
- ☐ borer