



Topic Snapshot

Autumn Term 2026

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Topic - The Savage Stone Age

Who: Stone Age people were early humans who lived a long time ago and made their tools and weapons out of stone.	What: During the Stone Age, people made tools out of stone, hunted wild animals for food, and moved from place to place to find shelter.	When The Stone Age began about 2.5 million years ago and it is split into three different eras.
Where: During the Stone Age, people's homes changed over time from natural caves, to tents made of animal skins, and finally to permanent stone and mud huts as they learned to farm.	Why: Learning about Stone Age people is important because they were the very first humans to invent clever tools, discover fire, and build communities, which changed the way people lived forever.	Fun Facts • Mammoths only lived during the Ice Age part of the Stone Age. • Doggerland was a huge piece of land that once connected Britain to Europe, but it is now completely hidden deep beneath the North Sea
Key Words: - Hunter-gatherer: is a person who gets their food by hunting wild animals and searching for wild plants and berries. - Archaeologist: archaeologist is like a history detective who digs in the dirt to find old objects and clues about how people lived long ago - Settlement: is a place where people live, build homes, and make a community. - Prehistory: is the long, long time ago before people learned how to write things down.	Key landmarks: Stonehenge is an ancient circle of huge, heavy stones that was built thousands of years ago in Wiltshire, England. Skara Brae is a famous, 5,000-year-old stone village in Scotland.	• The Celts were groups of people who came together during the Bronze Age and Iron Age.



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