

10,000 BC

700,000 BC

Knowledge Organiser: Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age

Assessment question: How is my school dinner different to a hunter gather's lunch?

BC-Before Christ or BCE (Before common	Historical events can be dated and placed on a timeline as either BC (pre the birth of Jesus) or AD.	Ice age
era)		A STATE AND AND A
AD-Anno Domini (in the year of the Lord)		Stone age
hill fort	Hill forts were built on hilltops and surrounded by huge banks (mounds) of soil and ditches. They were protected by wooden walls which kept enemies out.	
roundhouse	Our Bronze Age ancestors lived in roundhouses. These houses had walls made of wooden or stone posts - filled in with wattle-and-daub (a mixture of twigs, earth and clay), and a thatched roof.	
settlement	A place which contains houses, fields and other features which define where a group of people live in a community.	Bronze age
smelting	A process of making weapons and other goods from metal.	I I P
agriculture	Hunter-gatherers moved from collecting and foraging to planting seeds and harvesting their crops (early farming).	
hunter-gatherer	A hunter-gatherer is someone (or a group of people) who lives from edible plants and animals from the wild, by foraging and hunting.	Iron age
tribe	A tribe is a group of people who live and work together in a shared geographical area. A tribe can be a collection of families and individual people living together.	
	Stone Age - Bro	nze Age Iron Age
Palaeolithic	Mesolithic Neelithic	

2300 BC

700 BC

AD 43

4500 BC