




# Who first lived in Britain?

Subject Specific Vocabulary			Exciting Books	
<b>archaeologists</b>	People who discover our history by looking at artefacts that have been found.		<h3>Sticky Knowledge about Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❑ The Stone Age period is said to have started around 3 million years ago when humans started to live in Europe.</li> <li>❑ The Stone Age was followed by the Bronze Age period. This is when humans started to use metal.</li> <li>❑ The Bronze Age was followed by the Iron Age when tools and weapons became more advanced and were used for farming, hunting and fighting.</li> <li>❑ During the Palaeolithic Age (old Stone Age), people gathered food by hunting wild animals and birds, fishing, and collecting fruits and nuts.</li> <li>❑ During the Neolithic Age (towards end of the Stone Age), the humans formed settled communities, and domesticated plants and animals for the first time in history.</li> </ul>	 
<b>artefact</b>	An object made by human beings, usually with historical or cultural interest.	<h3>Important</h3> <p><b>Skara Brae</b> The archaeological site found on the Orkney Islands in Scotland. It is a Stone Age village that has been well preserved.</p> <p><b>Stonehenge</b> A famous Stone Age monument in Wiltshire.</p>		
<b>Neolithic</b>	The later part of the Stone Age and following the Palaeolithic and Mesolithic Age.			
<b>B.C.</b>	Before Christ. The date 250BC means 250 years before Christ was born.			
<b>chronology</b>	The ordering of events, for example the Stone, Bronze and Iron Age.			
<b>tribal</b>	Groups of people who live together.			
<b>hunter-gatherers</b>	People who mainly live by hunting, fishing and gathering wild fruit.			
<b>shelter</b>	A house where Stone Age people would have lived.			
<b>civilisation</b>	When people live in a large society with a shared culture and rules.			
<b>settlement</b>	A place where there were several Stone Age shelters, like a small village.			
<b>prey</b>	An animal that is hunted for its food.			

