

# Stone Age to Iron Age Knowledge Organiser

## Overview

### Prehistoric Britain

**Stone Age:** The Stone age is split into three time periods: **Palaeolithic**, **Mesolithic** and **Neolithic**. In the Stone Age people used **stone** tools. In the Neolithic, **farming** was introduced.

**Bronze Age:** In this time period, people used **bronze** tools. Bronze is made by mixing **copper** and **tin**.

**Iron Age:** In this time period people used **iron** tools. People lived in **hillforts** and worked together in their tribes. **Boudicca** was a famous tribal Queen, she is famous for fighting the Romans.

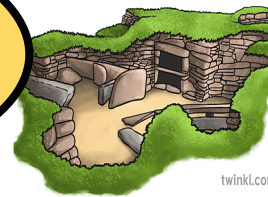
## Key Vocabulary

BC	Before Christ
AD	Anno Domini ( <i>after Christ was born</i> )
Prehistory	A time before written records
Palaeolithic	The earliest stone age period (old stone)
Neolithic	The latest stone age period (new stone)
Mesolithic	The middle stone age period (middle stone)
Archaeology	The study of human history
Wattle and Daub	Building method using wooden strips and a sticky material made from soil, clay and animal dung!
nomad	a person with no fixed dwelling (home)



Diagram of an Iron Age hillfort

## Key Historical Sites and Individuals



Skara Brae



Stonehenge



Amesbury Archer



Boudicca

## TIMELINE

**500,000BC**

Palaeolithic  
Stone Age

**8000BC**

Mesolithic  
Stone Age

**4000BC**

Neolithic  
Stone Age

**2500BC**

Bronze  
Age

**700BC**

Iron Age

**AD 43**

Romans  
Invade

**AD 60**

Boudicca  
bites back!