Chacewater School – LEAP Into Learning –Autumn 2– Young Oaks HISTORY – How did life change from the Stone Age to Iron Age?



What I might already know:

Which period of the Stone Age would you rather live in and why?

Prehistory is the time before humans started writing things down.

Prehistory

Stone Age - 2.6 million years ago and lasted 2.5 million years

- Split into 3 parts (palaeolithic, Mesolithic, Neolithic)
- Stones were used as tools and weapons
- Moved around from place to place
- Cave paintings used to show events

Palaeolithic (Old Stone Age)



-Hunter gatherers
-lived in caves

Mesolithic (Middle Stone Age)



farming beganvillages were made

Neolithic

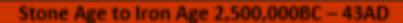
(New Stone Age)

Bronze Age - lasted 1,500 years -round houses

- -weapons and tools made from bronze
- -bronze was made from melting tin and copper

When did the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age take place and which period lasted the longest? Iron Age - lasted around 300 years

- -lived on top of hills called 'hillforts'.
- -people lived in tribes
- -coins are used for the first time
- -Iron Age people were called Celts



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