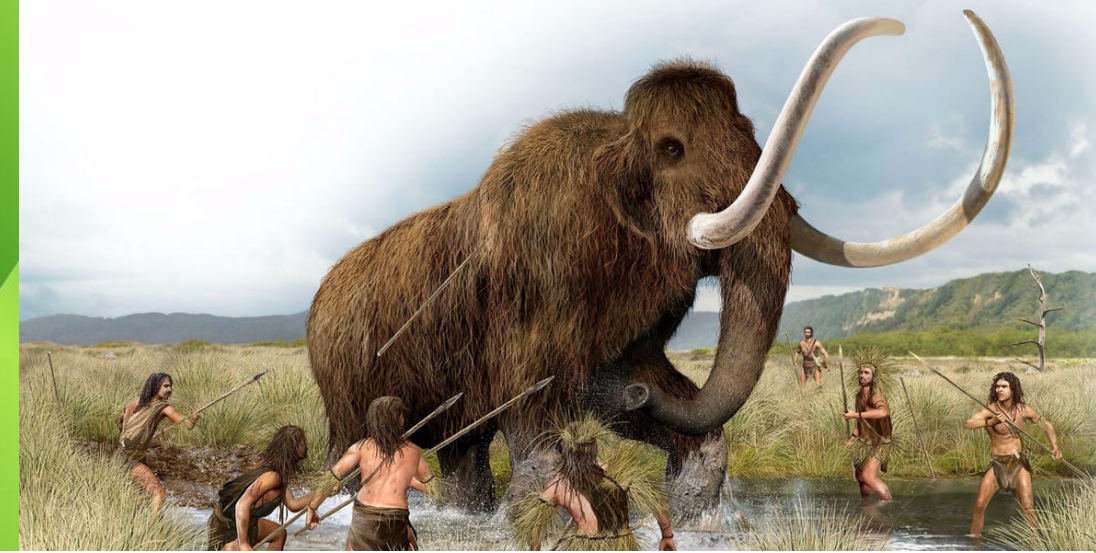


INTERESTING STONE AGE FACTS



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Introduction

The Stone Age happened around 2.6 million years ago. It is a time that existed before history was recorded so archaeologists have used ancient artefacts that give us clues about how people lived. This text will tell you all about what they eat, where they lived and what jobs they did.

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What did they eat?

In the Palaeolithic the Stone Age people are called hunter-gatherers. Normally the women do the gathering and the men do the hunting. In the Neolithic they had farms so they had animals to get food from like milk from a cow, eggs from a chicken and all the other animals which lived on there farm. In the Mesolithic they hunt and gather like the Palaeolithic.



What jobs did they do?

In the Stone Age they did jobs like making clothes out of animal skin like skinning a deer, drying the animals skin and cleaning the animal skin. The men do hunting and while the men do hunting the women gather nuts and berries. They dry the meat which has been hunted and they grill the meat to keep them busy. They make fire by striking flint Stones together or turning a wooden drill. Fire is used for cooking, to keep warm and sometimes to scare animals away.



Where did they live?

In the Neolithic they lived in little huts called round houses made out of wattle and daub. Wattle and daub is made out of animal poo, mud and water. In the Mesolithic they lived in caves and they put a big fire in front of the cave so the animals can't get in the cave at night.

Quiz

In the Neolithic were do they live?

Tent's,caves or houses