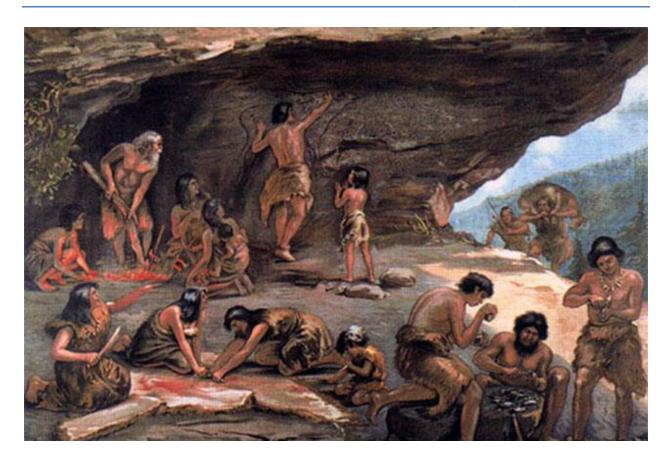


The Stone Age is the ancient time when people made tools from stone primarily. It is the earliest period of human culture. Stone was the hardest material available and was used to cut things. Wood, bones, and other materials were used but were not as durable.

Stone tools came to existence more than 2.7 million years ago. Stone age people used multiple differently tools for hunting and making things like clothing and shelter.

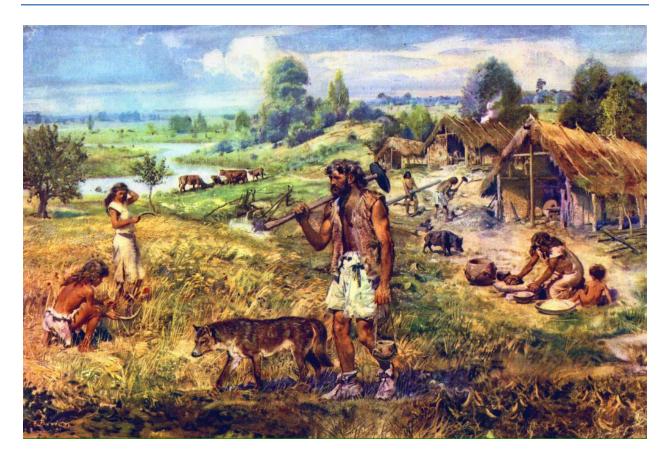




Early humans made chopping tools out of stone and was used for thousands of years. They learned how to chip flakes off stone, allowing them to make better tools like scrapers and chisels.

At this period of time they gathered wild plants to eat and lived in caves or under rock overhangs. Some groups painted or carved designs on rocks or walls.





During the Neolithic period, which began 10,000 years ago, the stone age tools evolved into more refined and useful tools.

The stone age people started to learn how to grow crops and to tame animals. They moved out of their caves and under rock homes to villages. They began making other tools after learning how to make pottery and began weaving cloths and baskets.



Answer the questions.
What is the stone age?
What did they make their tools out of?
What did they use the tools for?



Answer the questions.
How did they make better tools?
Where did stone age people live?
What did they learn in Neolithic period?

