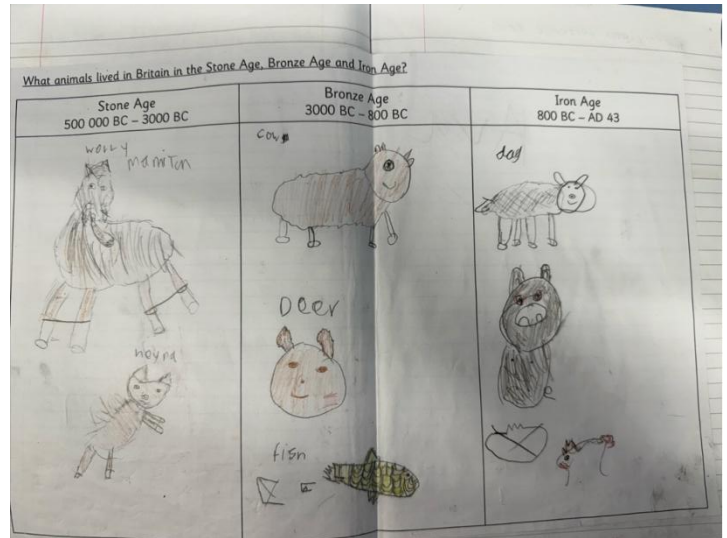
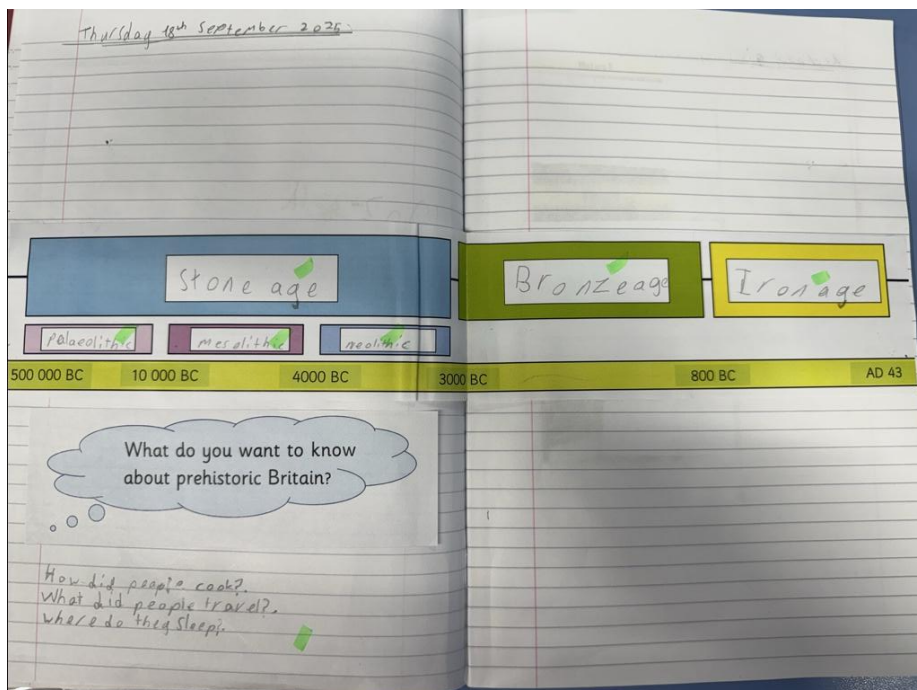


What was significant in each prehistoric time period and how did life change?

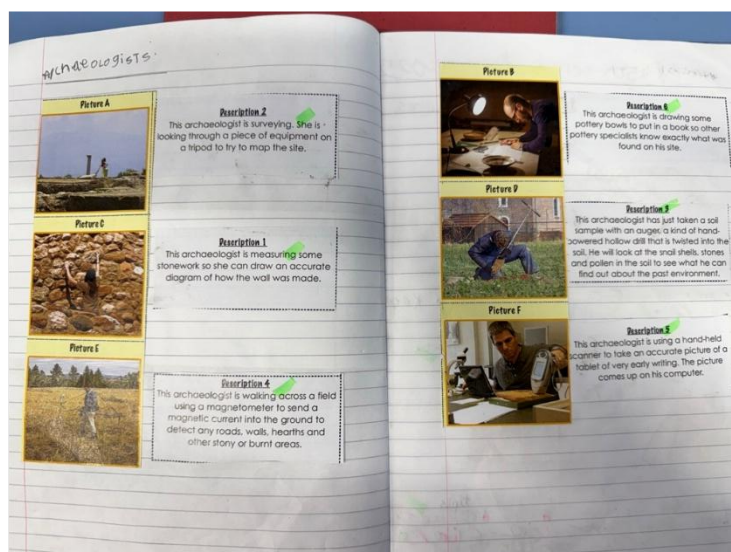
We began our topic by using the iPads to research which animals lived during the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. We were interested in finding out about the ones we no longer have today.



Next, we learned about the dates of the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age on a timeline. We also thought of some questions we wanted to find out about prehistoric Britain.

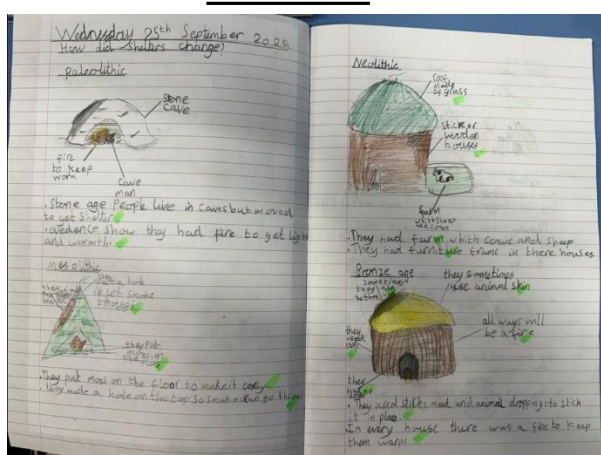


We learnt about the jobs of an archaeologist and how they find things out about the past, especially prehistory where there is no written evidence.

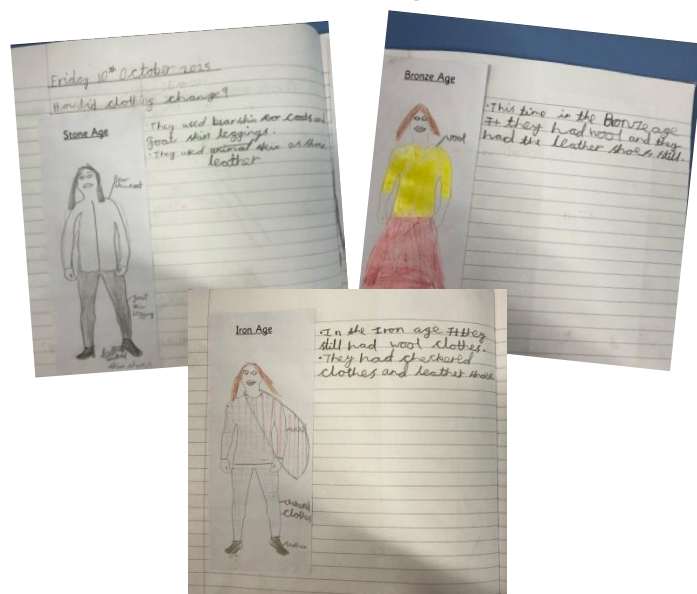


We spent each week focussing on a different aspect of life and thinking about how life changed for the people living in the Stone Age to the Iron Age. We used our research skills and looked at...

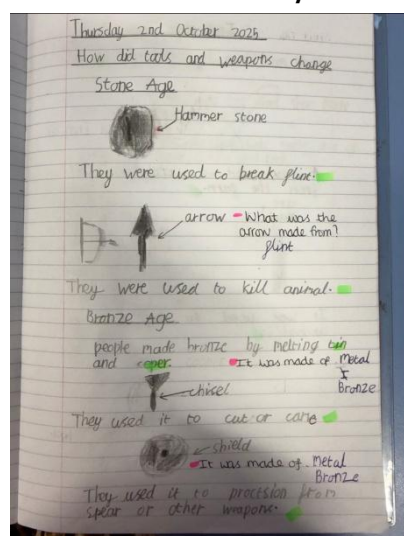
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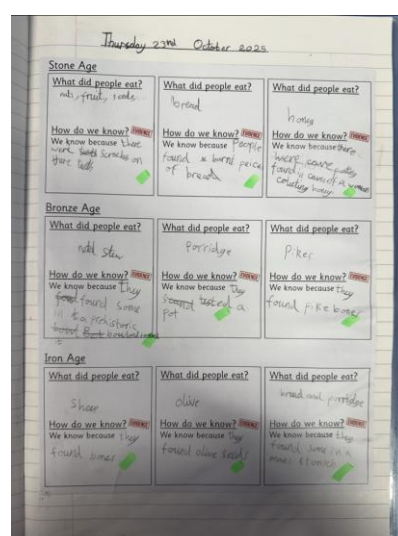
Clothing:



Tools and weapons:



*Food:*





We visited the Great North Museum where we were interested in looking at the artefacts from prehistoric times. We thought about what we can learn about the people living during this time from the evidence.





In school, we enjoyed looking at artefacts from the 'Box of Delights'. We thought about each artefact to discuss what it was, who might have used it, how it might have been used and what it was made of.



In small groups, we discussed all of the things we had learnt and had to decide together on what was significant from each time period so that we could represent each as a 'Living Timeline'.



*Palaeolithic*



*Mesolithic*



*Neolithic*



*Bronze Age*



*Iron Age*

We then worked together in pairs to create a PowerPoint with our 'living timeline' pictures, to add explanations to answer our enquiry question of 'What was significant in each prehistoric time period and how did life change?'

What was significant in each prehistoric time period and how did life change?

Athena + Wendy

**Palaeolithic**

- In the Palaeolithic people had caves to live in and when everything is gone the youth and so animal to be seen they go to find a different cave. They had harpoon knives to harvest fish. They used bear skin for a coat and goat skin leggings. They used leather as shoes. They used a bow and arrow to kill animals and it was made with flint.

**Mesolithic**

- In the Mesolithic people shelter change a lot in Mesolithic they had to make a tip you will get animal parts, fish and things. They had spears in the Mesolithic and they still hunted and gathered to get food they also fished.

**Neolithic**

- In the Neolithic new Stone Age people lived in wooden or stone houses. They had a farm with animal and crops. They used house and animals to make farming and building tools.

**Bronze Age**

- In the Bronze age people discovered how to make bronze out of copper and tin. Bronze tools and weapons were stronger than stone, which helped with farming. They used bronze to dye their clothes.

**Iron Age**

- In the Iron age people discovered how to make iron. Iron tools and weapons were stronger than Bronze. People began to wear wool clothing. In the Iron age they still had some clothes. They had decorated clothes and leather shoes. They had porridge, sheep and other.

What was significant in each prehistoric time period and how did life change?

Alya + Ava

**Palaeolithic**

- In the Palaeolithic people had caves and were hunters and gathering to survive.
- They used sharpened sticks and stones.
- They used animal fat and skin to make clothes.

**Mesolithic**

- In the Mesolithic people started to live in huts made with sticks and mud.
- They collected food and gathering food and animal remains to eat.
- They started to use spears to kill animals and were hunters.

**Neolithic**

- In the Neolithic people lived in small wooden or stone houses in small villages.
- They still had farms with animals and crops.
- They collected food around the place they used spears to kill them for food.

**Bronze Age**

- In the Bronze age people discovered how to make bronze using tin and copper.
- Bronze tools and weapons were stronger than stone which helped farming.
- They had a larger houses with more than one building for living and cooking.
- People started wearing wool clothes.

**Iron Age**

- In the Iron age people discovered how to make iron.
- Iron weapons were stronger than the Bronze age weapons.
- In the Iron age they made iron.
- People made iron by melting iron ore.