



Prehistory



PREHISTORY

Prehistory began with the appearance of the first human beings, around 2 million years ago. It lasted until the invention of writing about 3500 years ago. There are no written records for Prehistory's earliest periods.

THE PALAEOLITHIC

The Palaeolithic was the longest period of history. It ended with the appearance of the bronze age, and lasted about 2 million years BC, with the discovery of farming.

Examples of tools, human uses, customs: they used flint to make or stone tools like the hand

They hunted large animals like mammoth and elephants.

They used animal skins to make clothes.

They used animal bones to make tools.

They made fire, discovered and discovered animal skins.

They built simple shelters with animal skins.



THE NEOLITHIC

The Neolithic period lasted about 1000 years BC, with the discovery of farming, and ended about 3500 BC with the invention of writing.

Examples of tools, human settlements and customs: they used flint to make or stone tools like the hand

They made pottery to store food, new tools and houses to make houses.

They built villages with many houses.

They built monuments called megaliths with big stones.

They made to work with metals.

