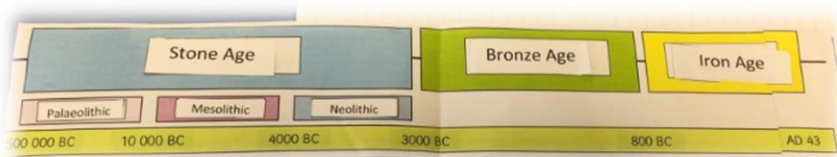


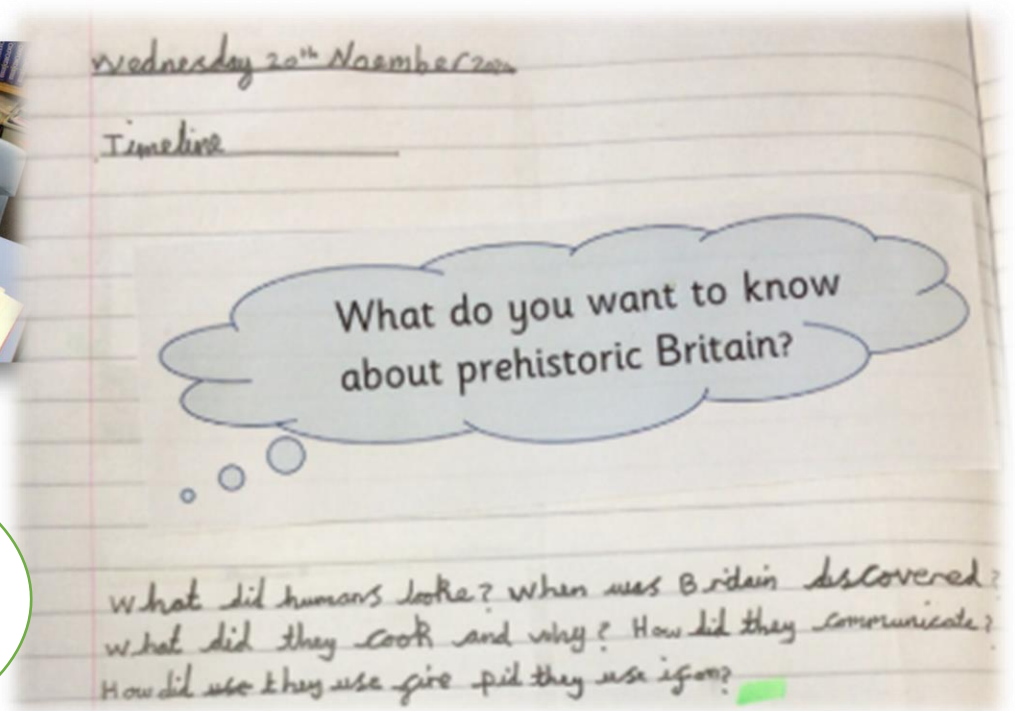
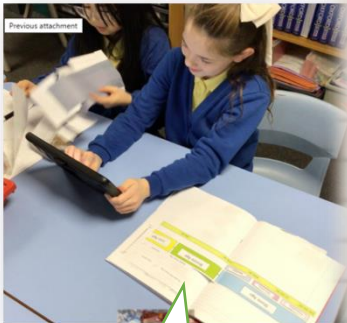
Year 4 Dolphins - Autumn 2

Enquiry Based Learning.

Firstly, we learned about the different dates of the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age on a timeline.



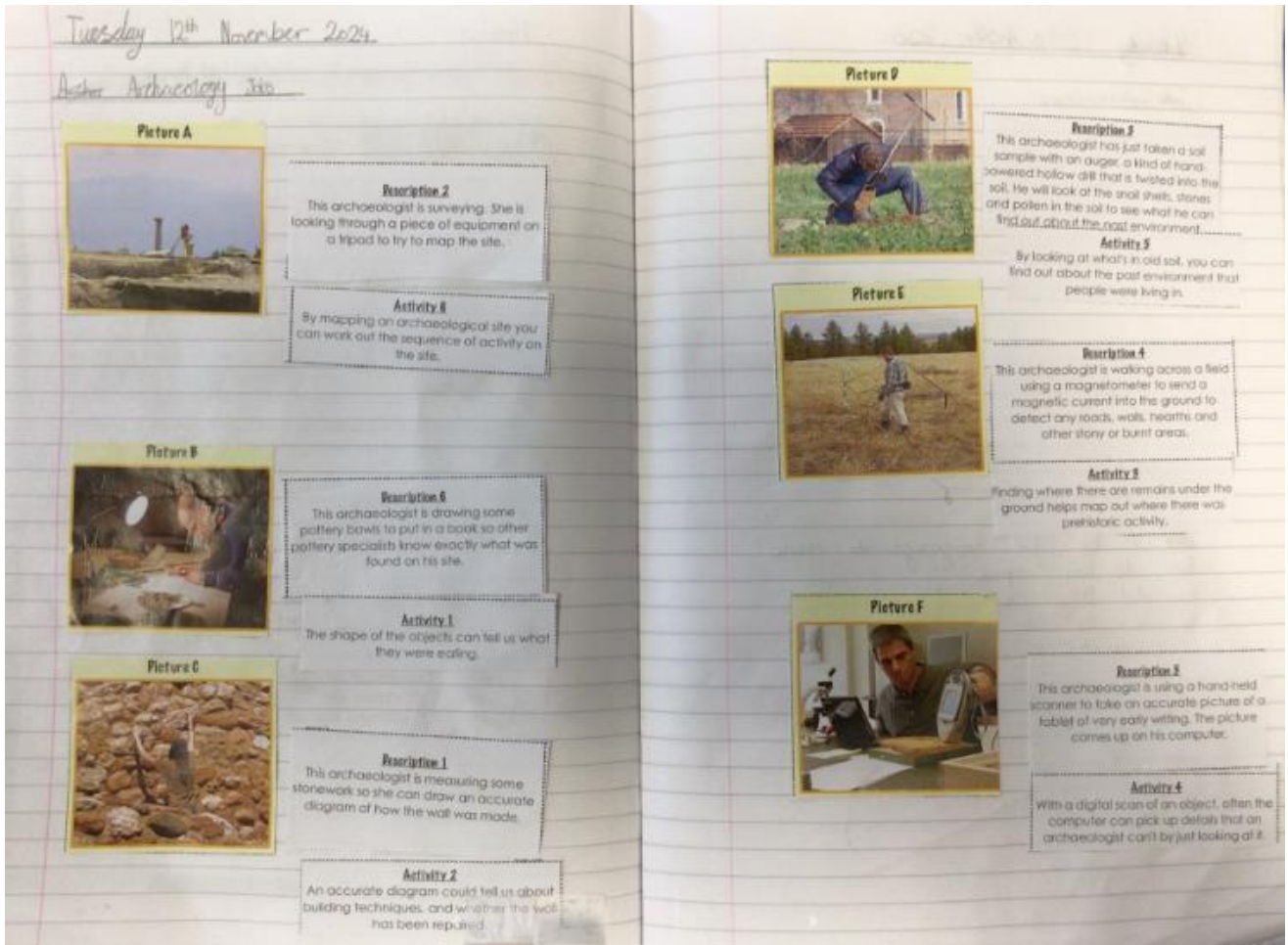
We also thought of some questions we wanted to find out about prehistoric Britain...



What did they eat?
How did they cook?

We learned about archaeology and what an archaeologist was and does.

- ❖ How did they know so much?
- ❖ What told them and us so much about prehistoric Britain?

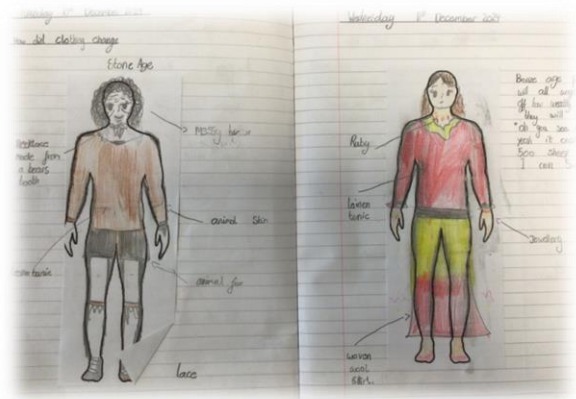


We found out a lot of information as a class!

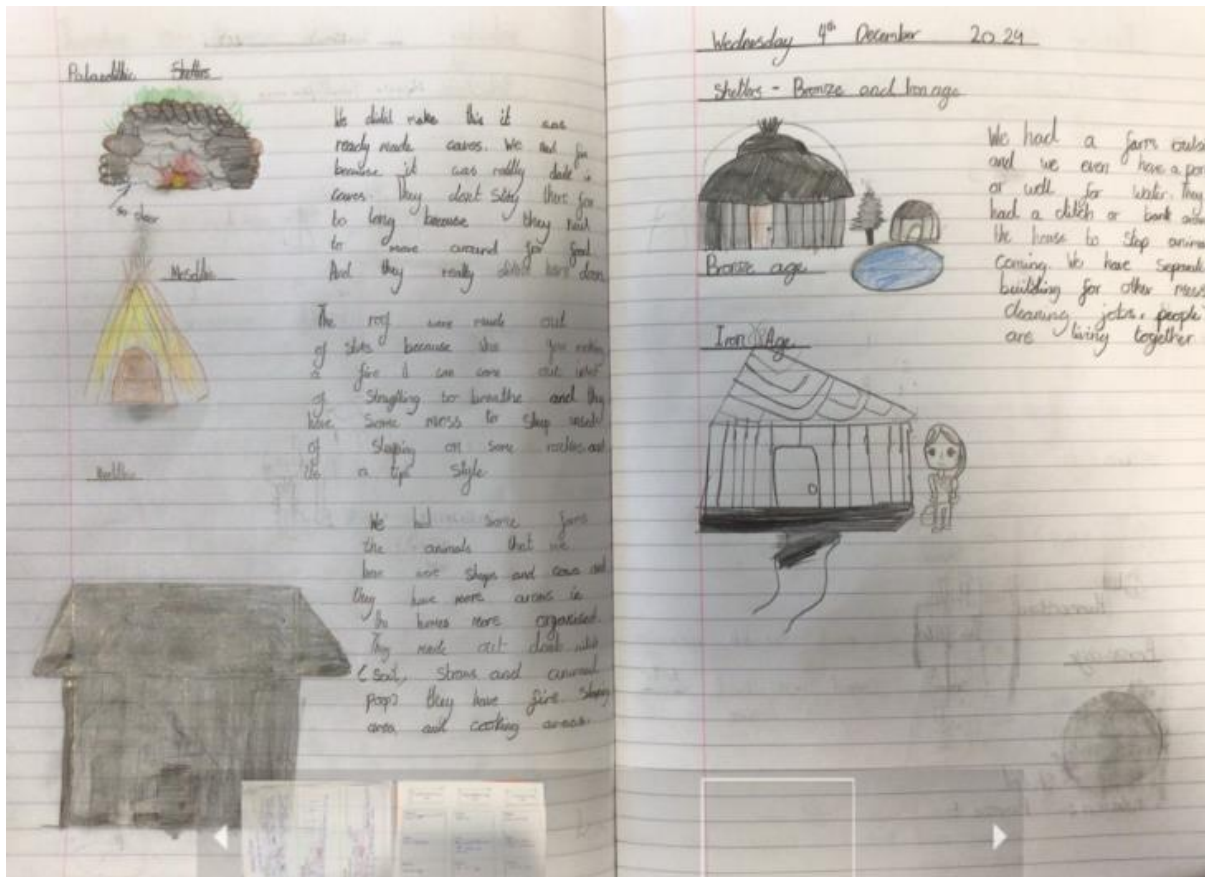


We spent each week looking at a different aspect in of life and used our research skills to find out about:

Clothes



Shelters



Tools and weapons

Thursday 5th December 2024
How did tools and weapons change?

My prediction:		
Stone Age I predict they would have made simple tools and weapons for hunting things.	Bronze Age I predict they might have made simple swords and shields.	Iron Age I predict they would have made strong iron swords.

Stone age tool This is a chisel made of flint and beechwood to stick pieces together.	Stone age weapon This is a stone age spear made of wood, flint and beechwood to stick wood and flint together.
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Bronze age tool This is a bronze age wheel. They were first used to make clay pots but then were used to pull carts.	Bronze age weapon This is a bronze age sword. This came later in the bronze age. Bronze is made by mixing tin and copper together.
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Although they were in the bronze age, they were made of wood and stone. The process that makes bronze is called smelting.

Iron age tool This is an iron age hammer. The top would be made of iron and the bottom is made of wood.	Iron age weapon This is an iron age dagger. They were used mainly for emptying and skinning animals.
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Hammers were used to secure nails into wood. Can you see how weapons and tools have changed?

Food

Friday 13th December
What food did people eat?

Stone Age			
What did people eat?	carrots, pines	rhinos	sea food
How do we know?	Potatoes, berries	Seals	Bread (flour), milk, butter, mushrooms
EVIDENCE: Tars on teeth, there are beetle marks on the bone of a deer. Human bone for ration. Food remains at camps, cave paintings remain in clay.			

Bronze Age			
What did people eat?	carrots, sheep	deer	cow
How do we know?	Seals	sheep	bread
EVIDENCE: remains in clay pots. Meat (beef and deer, fish (pike)). Remains at settlements.			

Iron Age			
What did people eat?	deer, sheep	cow, goat	bread, porridge
How do we know?	Seals	sheep	vegetables, wheat
EVIDENCE: Remains in bones (bones) found at hillforts. Human bodies preserved in a bog so we could check stomach contents.			

We even made our own Prehistoric menus!

A typical Stone Age meal.	A typical Bronze Age meal.	A typical Iron Age meal.
Starter: honey and flour bread (glaf)	Starter: metal soup	Starter: butter and bread
Main: rhinos and potatoes	Main: bread, potatoes, carrots, butter and mushrooms.	Main: goat with cheese and mushrooms.
Dessert: honey and berries	Dessert: nuts and honey	Dessert: porridge and honey