

Tamar History

Autumn 2023

How did Britain change between the beginning of the Stone Age and the end of the Iron Age

We looked at Skara Brae which helped archeologists find out about the Stone Age.

Skara Brae is a place in Scotland in the Orkney Islands.

They had tiny doors because the weather was bad, not because they were small.

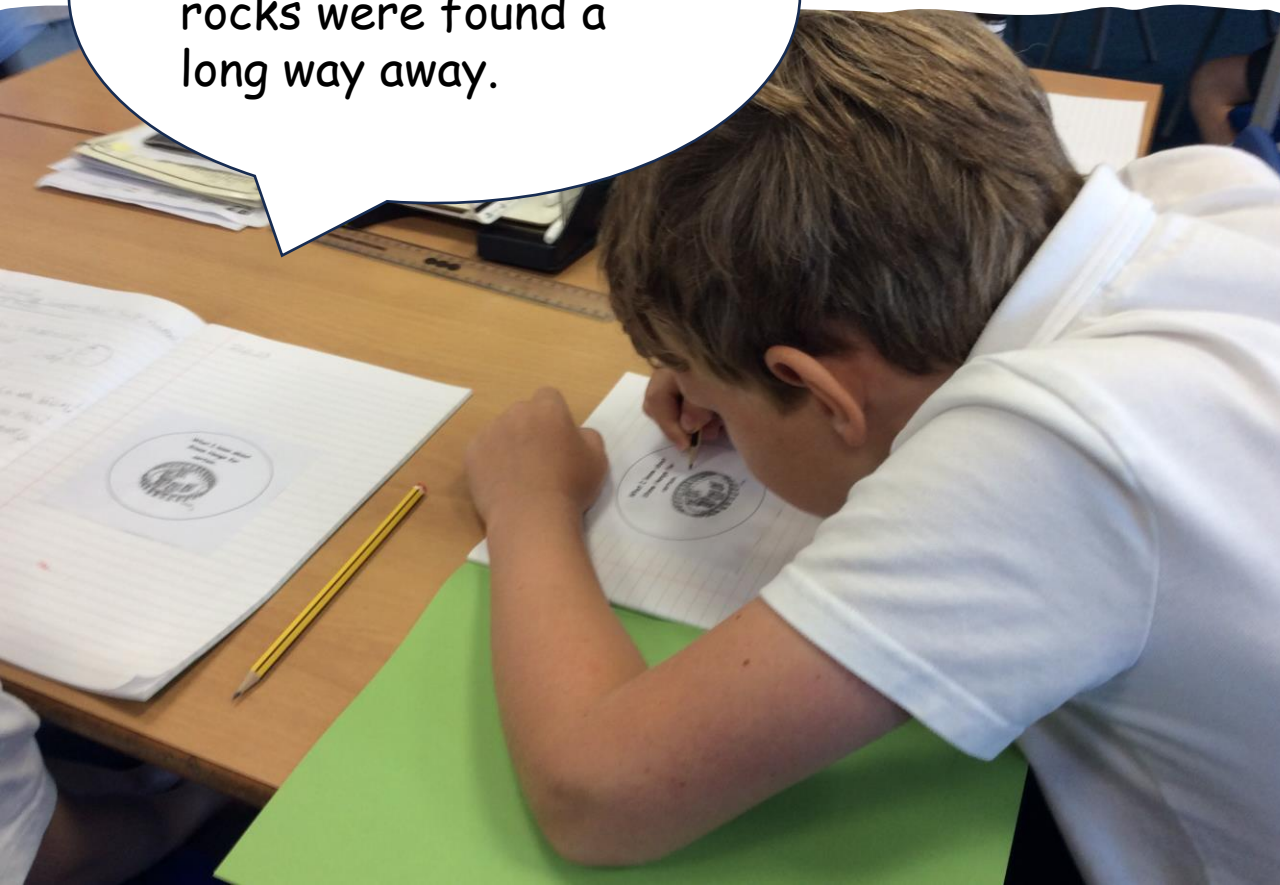
They had a room with an inside toilet which was a giant hole.



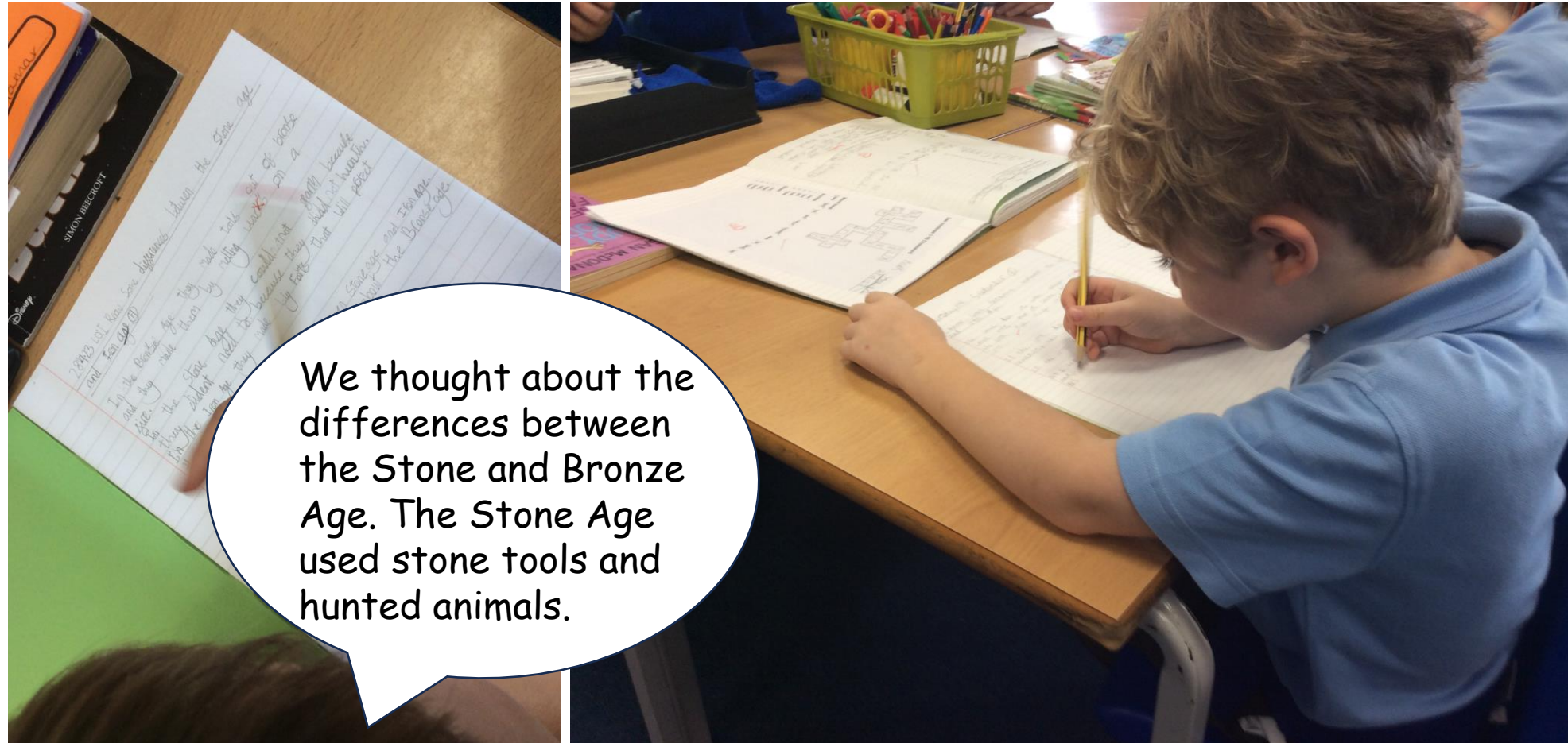
We also found out about Stone Henge.

Stone Henge is very old and some of the rocks were found a long way away.

On the shortest and longest days the sun shines through the stones.



We thought about the times around the Stone Age, the Bronze Age and the Iron Age.

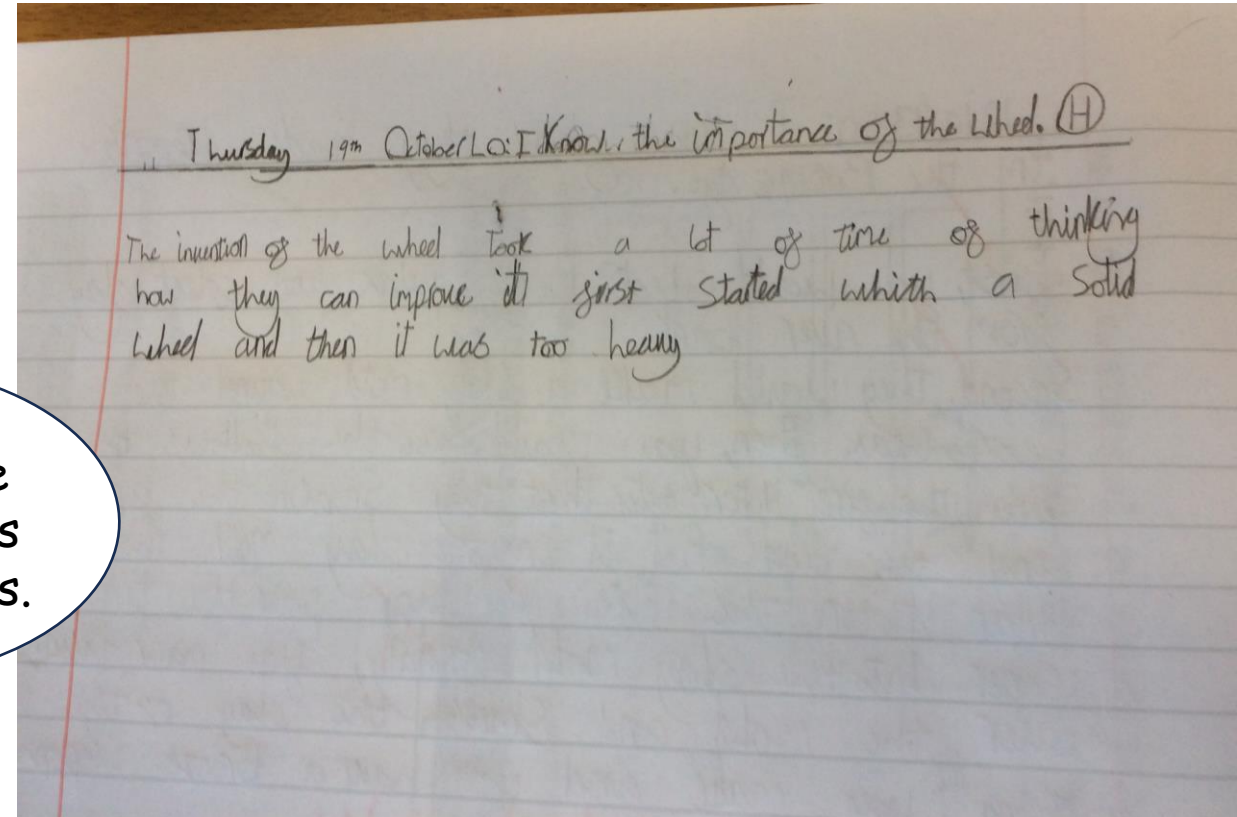


We thought about the differences between the Stone and Bronze Age. The Stone Age used stone tools and hunted animals.

In the late Stone Age historians think that people invented the wheel. It changed how people could move things around and make pottery. The wheel was very important.

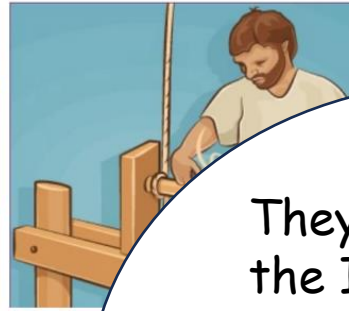


They think the first wheel was made from logs.



We wrote down what changed between the Stone Age and Iron Age.

Stone Age people were hunter gatherers which means they hunted fish and deer and they gathered berries.



They had hill forts in the Iron Age and farmed at the bottom. They used grain and rings for money. The bigger the ring the more it was worth.



History Year 3 / 4 Knowledge Organiser

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Main Learning: Chronology – Beginning of the Stone Age to the end of the Iron Age

Key knowledge	Vocabulary	
Know how Britain changed from the stone age to the end of the iron age	hunter-gatherers	Mainly living by hunting, fishing and gathering wild fruit
Know the significance of the invention of the wheel	settlement	A small number of people living together
Know the significance of the discovery of iron ore	Iron Age forts	A settlement built on a hill so that it was easier to defend against enemies
Know some of the key differences between the stone, bronze and iron ages	Skara Brae	The archaeological site found on the Orkney Islands in Scotland
Know about the significance of the creation of Iron Age Forts	Stonehenge	A famous Stone Age monument in Wiltshire
Know what is meant by hunter gatherers	archaeologists	People who discover our history by looking at artefacts that have been found



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