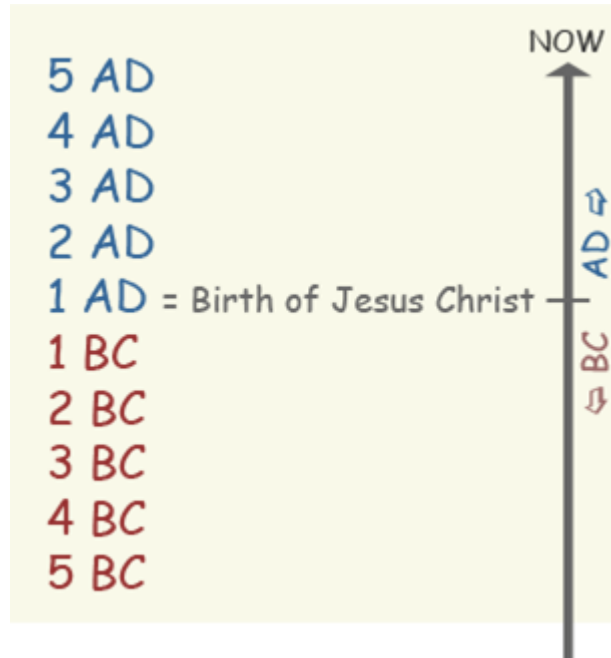


# The Stone Age

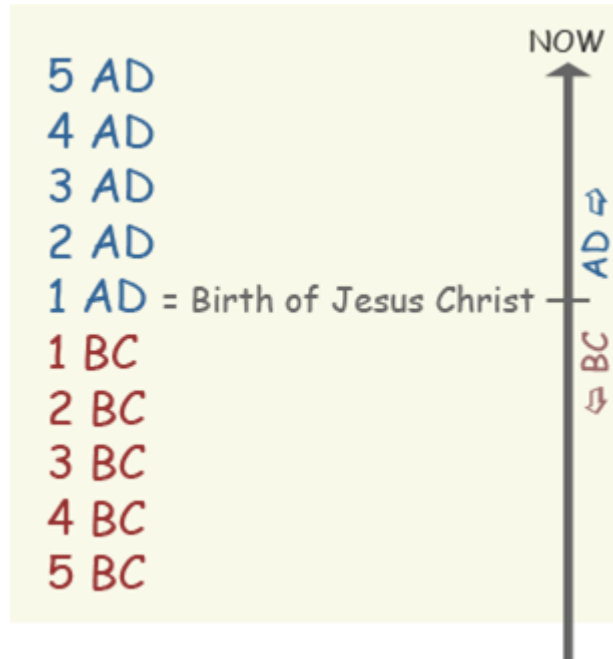


# What does BC stand for?

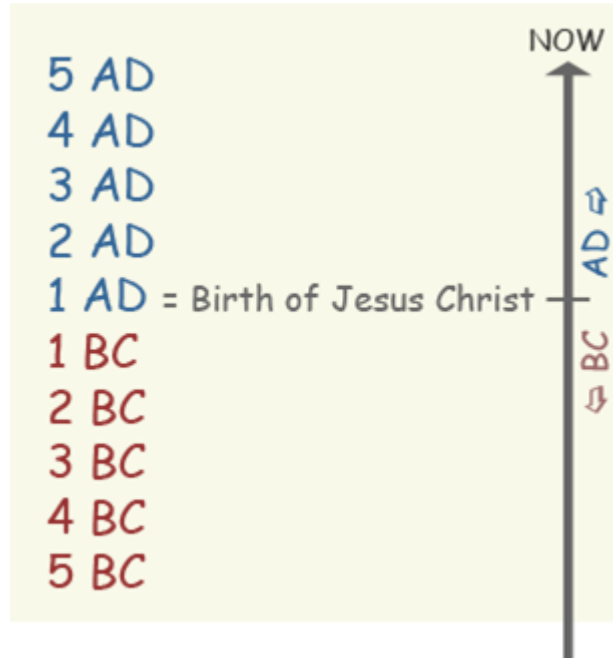


# What does BC stand for?

## Before Christ (0AD)



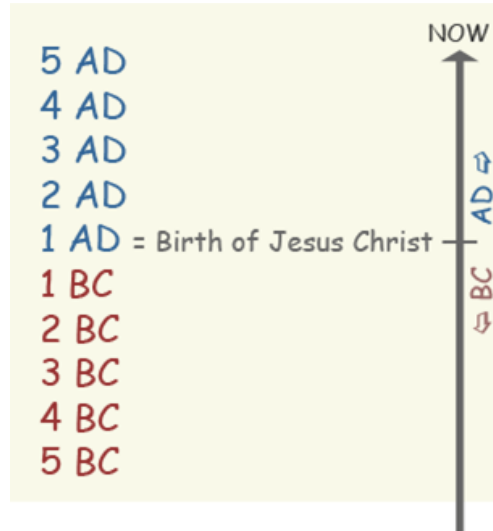
# What does AD stand for?



# What does AD stand for?

Anno Domini

(after Christ was born in 0AD)



# What are the 3 time periods of the Stone Age called?



The infographic is a vertical stack of seven colored boxes with rounded corners, each containing text and small illustrations. The colors of the boxes from top to bottom are purple, light blue, orange, purple, pink, light green, and pink. The text in each box describes a specific time period or event in the Stone Age, accompanied by small icons or drawings of people, tools, or landscapes.

**Around 450,000 B.C.**  
Paleolithic (Old Stone Age)  
• People lived in caves  
• They were Hunter-Gatherers

**Around 25,000 B.C.**  
The Ice Age  
Huge ice sheets covered the land and sea.

**Around 12,000 B.C.**  
The Ice Age ended.

**Around 8,000 B.C.**  
The Mesolithic (Middle Stone Age) began.  
People were still Hunter-Gatherers.  
They had better tools for hunting.

**Around 4,000 B.C.** The Neolithic (New Stone Age) began

**Also around 4,000 B.C.**  
People began farming crops and animals.

**From about 4,000 B.C. until 2,500 B.C.**  
• Pots made from clay  
• Shaper tools made from flint  
• Houses built from clay, stone and dung  
• Wood used for fencing and boats  
• Lived in settlements

Times are not exact because it was so long ago that it is difficult to be accurate!

# What are the 3 time periods of the Stone Age called?

- **Early Stone Age, (450,000 BC – 8,000 BC)**  
During the last Ice Age.
- **Middle Stone Age, (8,000 BC – 4,000 BC).**  
After the last Ice Age.
- **New Stone Age, (4,000 BC – 2,500 BC)**  
Britain has become an island.



In the Early Stone Age,  
people lived in...



# In the Early Stone Age, people lived in...

## Caves and simple shelters



In the Middle Stone Age,  
people lived in...

# In the Middle Stone Age, people lived in...

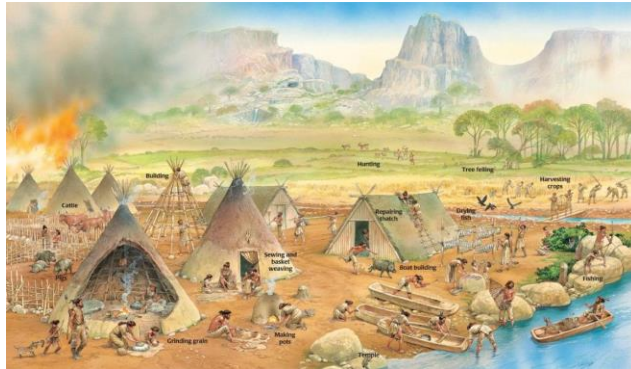
Simple shelters in small camps



In the New Stone Age,  
people lived in...

# In the New Stone Age, people lived in...

farms in small communities



# Hunter-gatherer



# Hunter-gatherer

Getting food by hunting it, or finding it growing around you.



Why did early humans change from a 'hunter-gatherer'? lifestyle?





Why did early humans  
change from a 'hunter-  
gatherer' lifestyle?  
They learnt how to farm.



What did Stone Age humans use to make clothing?



# What did Stone Age humans use to make clothing?

Animal hides



What did Stone Age  
humans make weapons  
and tools out of?



# What did Stone Age humans make weapons and tools out of?

Stone, bone and wood

