Stone Age Settlements in the UK



Slide 1: Title Slide

- Title: "Stone Age Settlements in the UK"
- Image: Stone Age settlement illustration
- Subtitle: "Exploring how early humans lived and built their homes"

Slide 2: Introduction to the Stone Age

- The Stone Age was a time when early humans used stone tools.
- It is divided into three periods: Paleolithic, Mesolithic, and Neolithic.
- Image: Stone Age timeline

Slide 3: Why Did People Settle?

- Early humans were nomadic but later started settling in one place.
- They built homes near food sources, water, and shelter.
- Image: Map of early settlements in the UK

Slide 4: Stone Age Houses

- Early homes were made from wood, stone, and animal hides.
- Neolithic people built roundhouses with thatched roofs.
- Image: Roundhouse interior illustration

Slide 5: Daily Life in a Settlement

- People hunted, gathered food, and later farmed crops.
- They made tools from flint and bones.
- Image: Stone Age tools illustration

Slide 6: Cooking and Fire Pits

- Fire was important for warmth, cooking, and protection.
- Food was cooked in clay pots or over an open flame.
- Image: Stone Age fire pit scene

Slide 7: Important Stone Age Sites in the UK

- Skara Brae: A well-preserved Stone Age village in Scotland.
- Stonehenge: A mysterious Neolithic monument.
- Image: Skara Brae or Stonehenge

Slide 8: How Do We Know About the Stone Age?

- Archaeologists study ancient tools, bones, and buildings.
- Cave paintings and artifacts give clues about their life.
- Image: Archaeologist digging a Stone Age site

Slide 9: Fun Challenge!

- Can you design your own Stone Age settlement?
- What materials would you use?
- Where would you build it?
- Image: Blank settlement template for students to fill in

Slide 10: Recap and Questions

- What were Stone Age homes like?
- How did people cook and find food?
- What important sites still exist today?
- Image: Stone Age settlement illustration