

# The Stone Age

## Children's comments from a Stone Age Day;

"The necklaces were very beautiful".

"When Helen had finished telling the story she did something very strange; she dipped her forefinger into some colour and smeared a line on our cheeks".



We start the day by travelling back in time to the Stone Age.



The salmon is packed into wet birch bark.

A Stone Age Day takes place at a Stone Age settlement close to the school. By means of time-travel the pupils travel 5,000 years back in time. Having arrived in the Stone Age we work with different daily chores, for instance we make flint tools, cook in a cooking pit, make bone jewellery and try our hand at using hunting tools such as the bow and arrow and the spear.



Shooting with bow.



Here we bake flat bread.

Museum staff and the school teachers have previously planned the day and have researched the historical source material.

The Stone Age Day is a part of the children's history lessons, except, with us, the pupils and teachers may *experience* what it was like to live during the Stone Age.



Here we enjoy the good food.



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