

What is History?



*It is studying about the past.
You have to find clues from different
sources to help you piece together
missing parts of the jigsaw.*



But how do we measure history when so much has happened and so much time has passed before today?

Today is reality
Yesterday is history

C H R O N O L O G Y

Can you remember what the words chronological order means?

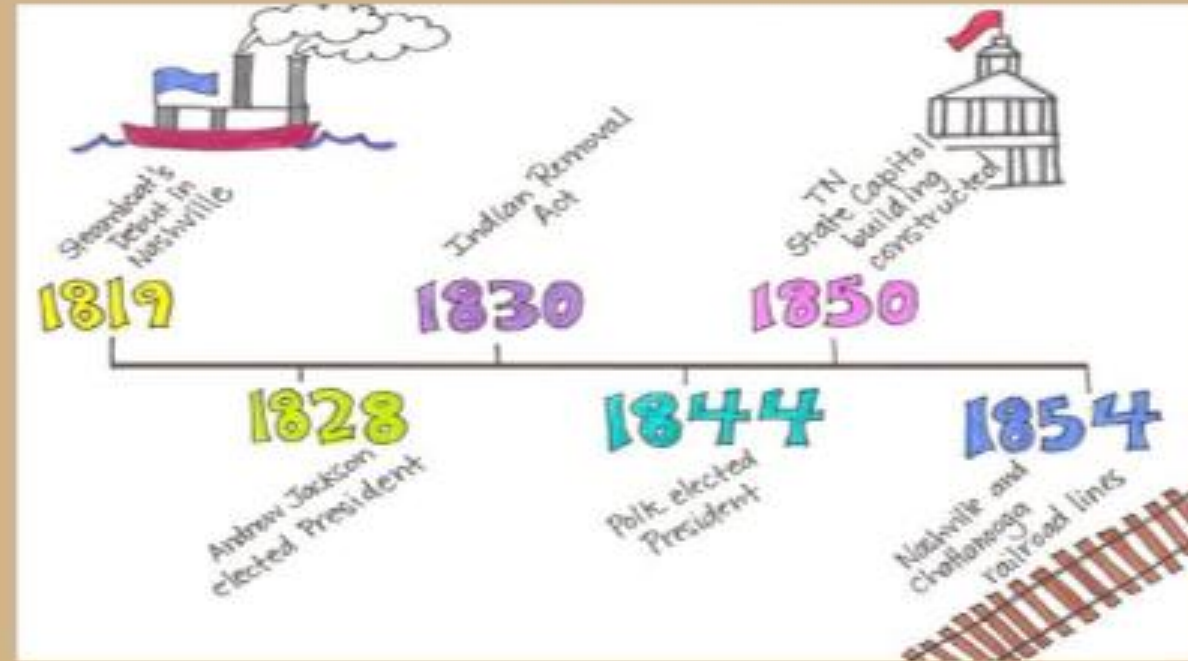
C H R O N O L O G Y

Chrono - comes from the Greek language and it refers to time

Logical - means something happened in a sequence or order

C H R O N O L O G Y

Who can tell me what this is?



What is it used for?

What information does it tell us?

- Discuss this with someone at school or home.

C H R O N O L O G Y

This means that putting something in chronological order means:

listing events in the order in which they happened.

You've done this previously when you put all the things that happened in your life in order and put them on your own timeline

Watch the video and think about:
3 things you learnt.
1 thing you knew already.
1 thing that surprised you.



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After watching the video can you now list these in the order that they happened.

Farming

Ice age

Hunter
gatherers

Iron age

Romans
Arrived

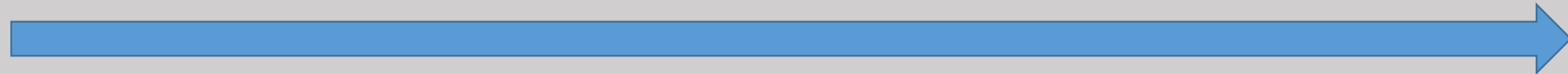
Bronze age

Did you get it correct?

*Hunter
gatherers*

Farming

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VOCABULARY



decade = years

century = years

millennium = years

*Do you know, or can you find out
how many years these periods
represent.*

VOCABULARY



decade = 10 years

century = 100 years

millennium = 1000 years

THIS HALF TERM...

I am learning about
the Stone Age to Iron Age
period.

(2.5 million years ago to
2,000 years ago)

VOCABULARY



The Stone Age is split into
three main periods:

Paleolithic

Mesolithic

Neolithic

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After watching the video can you match the vocabulary with their meaning.

Paleolithic

Middle Stone Age

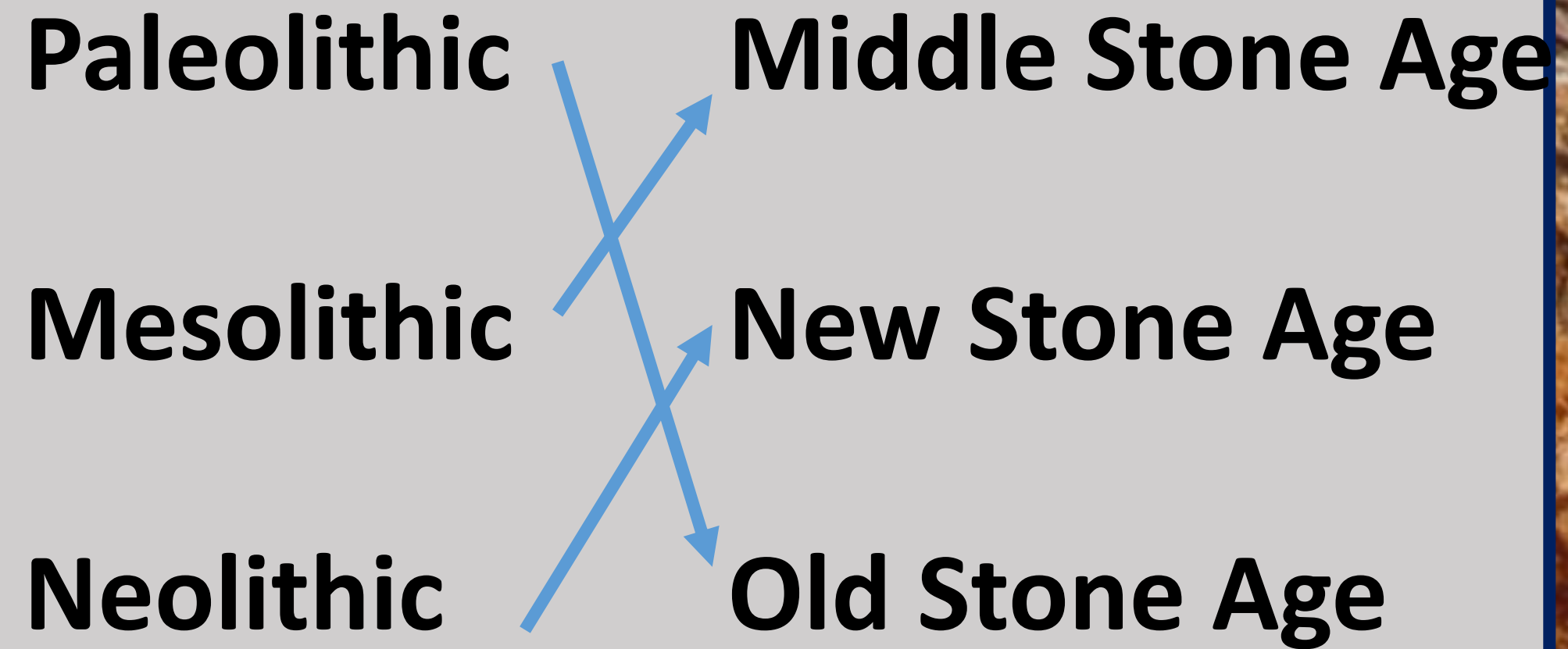
Mesolithic

New Stone Age

Neolithic

Old Stone Age

Did you get them right?



*What do you think the
word lithic means?
Can you guess!*



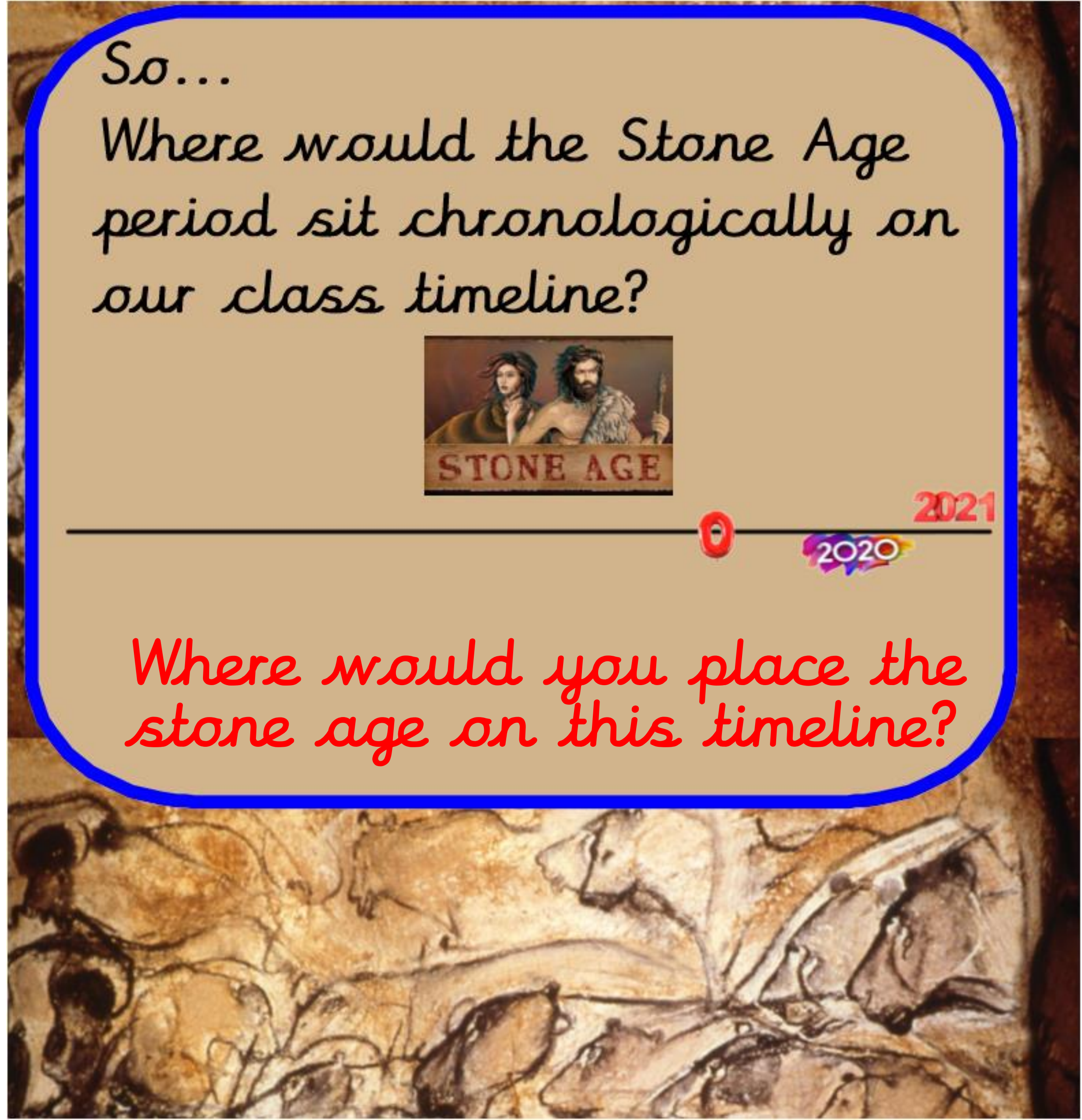
The word 'lithic' is a Greek word meaning Stone!

So...

Where would the Stone Age period sit chronologically on our class timeline?



Where would you place the stone age on this timeline?



Historians are great at research, which means they look at lots of information to understand more about events in the past.

The BBC Bitesize website has lots of videos to support your learning.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z82hsbk>

Please click the link to go to the website and watch the videos. Make sure you write down....

The things you learnt.
The things that you already knew.
Something that surprised you.
Your most interesting fact!



Challenge...

Can you use any other sources to find out more about the Stone Age!

Create a mind-map of all the things you know about the Stone Age.

Here's one I've started, create your own by writing and drawing what you know. Your challenge is to include 10 facts you've learnt

