

VOCABULARY DOZEN!

Cave Artists

Painted on cave walls and ceilings in prehistoric times around 10,000 to 20,000 years ago.

Charcoal

A black crumbly material made of carbon and often used for sketching.

Geometric Shapes

The form or outline of a 2D shape.

Iron Age

A time in history when people began to use tools or weapons made of iron.

Line Drawings

The outline of a shape without any tone.

Native

A person who was born in or comes from a particular place.

Prehistoric

The time before written history began.

Proportions

The scale or size of an object.

Stone Age

The oldest time when humans are known to have existed. They used tools made of stone.

Texture

The way a particular object feels.

Tone

Shading using dark and light to create a 3D effect.

The process of making art in prehistory was to tell stories and record history.



Early man created art to communicate.

Large wild animals, such as bison, horses, aurochs, and deer were important to people in prehistory.



The earth colours which prehistoric people painted with were: red, yellow and umber pigments, black charcoal from the fire,

Charcoal is made from thin peeled willow twigs which are heated without oxygen.



Crushed charcoal can be used to create different textures.

Charcoal smudges easily. Fixing spray can be used to stop it smudging any further.

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Prehistoric Art