



KEY VOCABULARY

archaeologist

scientists who study **the history of humans** by looking at what has been left behind, e.g. objects buried underground or graves

artefacts

an **object** that can tell us about the past

prehistory

the time **before written records**

hunter-gatherer

people who live by **hunting and collecting wild food**

nomad

people who **travel from place to place** in search of food

druid

an ancient **Celtic priest**

wattle and daub

a building method to build houses using **sticks and mud or clay**

religious ceremony

a special event where people meet to **celebrate something**

henge

a **circular monument**, usually containing a circle of stones or wooden posts

hill fort

small **towns built on top of hills**, with walls and ditches

migration

when **people move** from living in one place to living somewhere else

important discoveries/artefacts that helped us learn more about life in Britain at this time:

Stone Age

- handaxes in Coygan Cave
- drawings in Cathole Cave



Neolithic Age

- Gors Fawr
- Stonehenge (last changes during the Bronze Age)



Bronze Age

- Copper mining in Llandudno and Ynys Môn (Anglesey)
- Amesbury Archer



Iron Age

- hill forts
- Lindow Man

