Tools, Art and people of Prehistory

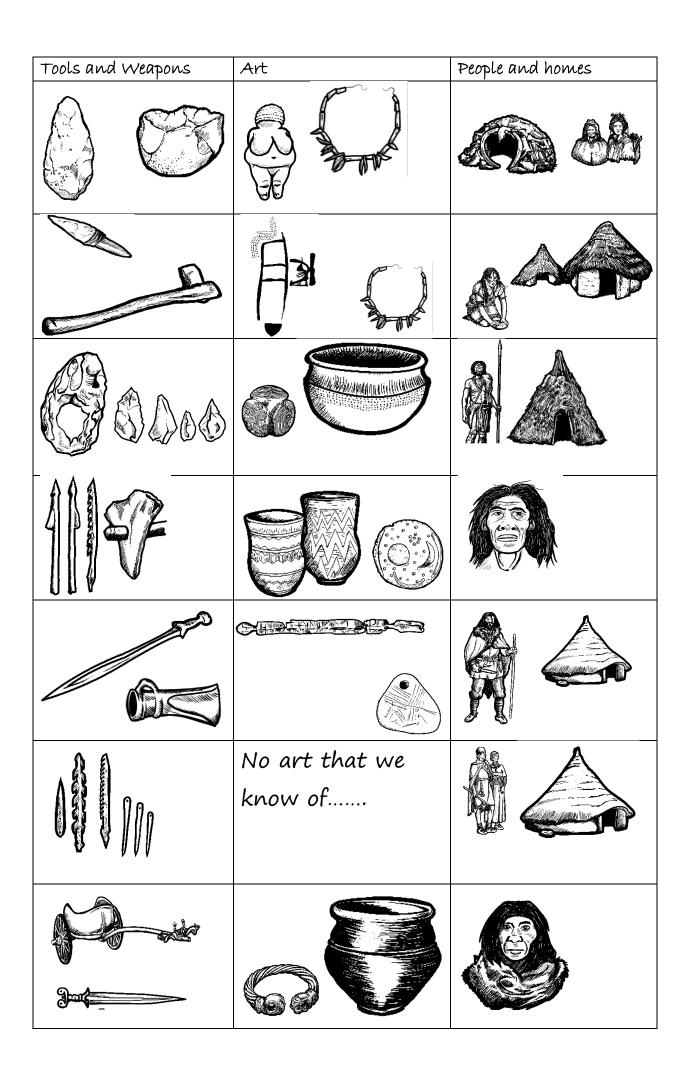
Use these worksheets as a sorting exercise; Either as an individual activity, a group activity or as laminated cards.

You don't need to use the Grid on the next page, the children could just as easily draw their own.

The Students could practice 'cutting out' and construct a scene with the objects or arrange them however they want, as well as colouring in the drawings.

There is a lot more to each era than the pictures on the sheet, perhaps you could try and answer these questions;

- 1) How long did each 'era' (bit of the timeline, for example 'Upper Paleolithic') last? For example the Neolithic lasted from about 5000 years ago, until about 2300 years ago when the bronze age began. The dates are different in different parts of the world, and change because of new discoveries
- 2) Which Era were most of the famous Cave paintings made in?
- 3) When did Woolley mammoths live on earth? And when did they become extinct?
- 4) What were the names of some of the early humans that lived in the Lower Paleolithic?
- 5) Which two metals were mixed together to make Bronze? And what were are the names of the **rocks** the metals were extracted from?
- 6) How old was the oldest musical instrument to be found by archaeologists? Which part of the stone age was it from, and which type of humans made it?
- 7) What did Stone age people use to make glue? (to stick arrowheads to arrows and things like that)
- 8) When were bows and arrows first used?
- 9) What did stone age people use to make paint for cave paintings?
- 10) Which era was Stone henge built in?



	Tools and Weapons	Art	People and homes
Iron age			
Bronze age			
Neolithie			
Mesolithie			
Upper Paleolithie			
Middle			
Lower Paleotithic			