

# Doon Public School-Bhuj

## Worksheet

Class: VI

Sub: SST His Ch2: Early Humans-Hunters & Gatherers

A] Fill in the blanks.

1. During the Old Stone Age, the early humans were mainly \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
2. During the Palaeolithic Age, the main tools used were \_\_\_\_\_ that had been struck off from bigger stones.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ In Spain and \_\_\_\_\_ in France are sites where cave painting of Palaeolithic Age can be found.
4. The early humans avoided areas of heavy \_\_\_\_\_ and dense \_\_\_\_\_.

B] MCQs.

1) The process of human evolution started in

- a) India      b) North America      c) Africa      d) Europe



4) Humans learnt to tame animals and grow crops during the Mesolithic Age.

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## D] Answer the following.

1) What do we know about the early humans in general?

2) In what way is the Chalcolithic Age different from. The Palaeolithic Age?

3) How were the wheels invented by the early humans different from the wheels of today?

4) What kind of tools were found in Hunsgi and Baichbal Valley? What do you think they were used for?

## E] Complete the analogy.

1. Palaeolithic Age: Spheroids :: Mesolithic Age: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Old Stone Age: Invention of the wheel:: \_\_\_\_\_:Invention of the plough.

## ANSWER KEY

### A] Fill in the blanks.

1. Hunters and gatherers
2. Stone flakes
3. Altamira, Lascaux
4. Rainfall, forests

### B] MCQs.

- 1) c    2) a    3) d    4) d

### C] State TRUE or FALSE.

- 1) T    2) F    3) F    4) T

### D] Answer the following.

- 1) a) EARly humans led a simple life.  
b) Hunted animals and gathered fruits, nuts and roots to eat.  
c) Lived in caves or rock shelters and wore animal skin or bark of a tree as clothing.  
d) Made simple tools out of stones and bones.

2) In the Chalcolithic Age human beings were:

- a) no longer nomads but had evolved into farmers and herders.
- b) started using metals like copper besides stone.
- c) invented the plough, wheel carts and the sail boat.
- d) learnt to mix metals to make stronger tools, vessels and weapons.

3) The wheel invented by early humans

- a) was not smoothly rounded like the ones of today.
- b) were uneven in shape and size, with rough edges.
- c) were cut out of tree trunks and not made of rubber.

4) The tools found in the Hunsgi and Baichbal Valley were mainly

- a) chopping tools, spheroids, hand axes, cleavers, scrapers, blades, flakes.
- b) made of limestone and granite.
- c) used for killing animals, digging, scraping and skinning animals.

## **E] Complete the analogy.**

1. Microliths

2. Chalcolithic Age