# Timeline

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<td>- Neanderthal people migrated to Britain</td>
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<td>25,000 BC</td>
<td>Northern Europe and Britain plunged into the latest Ice Age</td>
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<td>12,000 BC</td>
<td>Britain was recolonized by Homo sapiens</td>
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<td>6,000 BC</td>
<td>Britain becomes an island.</td>
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<td>The sea level rises and the land bridge is flooded</td>
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<td>4,000 BC</td>
<td>Farming people arrived in the British isles.</td>
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<td>- Land was cleared: wheat &amp; barley are planted</td>
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<td>- Livestock farming: domestication of sheep, cattle and pigs</td>
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<td>3,000 BC</td>
<td>First stone circles erected</td>
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<td>-2,000 BC</td>
<td>2,000 BC = Stonehenge completed</td>
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<td>700 BC</td>
<td>Iron Age</td>
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<td>The Celts arrived from central Europe</td>
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Photo 01. Britain and Europe are connected with a land bridge: 500,000 BC
Photo 02. Neanderthal vs Homo sapiens-sapiens / Body

Neanderthal
- lower, larger cranium
- larger browridge
- larger nose
- larger shoulder joint
- larger, broader rib cage
- larger elbow joint
- broader hips
- shorter forearm
- larger hip joint
- larger and thicker patella
- shorter and more flattened tibia
- larger ankle joint

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Neanderthal Culture vs. Homo sapiens-sapiens Culture

**Neanderthal Culture**
- Tools
- Hunted
- Used fire
- Stayed in groups and cared for one another

Symbolic culture = very low stage of imaginative thinking:
- Buried their dead; spirituality
- Jewellery
- NO LANGUAGE

**Homo sapiens Culture**
- Tools
- Hunted
- Used fire
- Stayed in groups and cared for one another

Symbolic culture = abstract thought allowed for species to think symbolically which lead to the following:
- Language
- Buried their dead
- Body painting
- Paintings
- Art
- Jewellery

That's what she said
Photo 04. Stonhenge – Bird's eye view

Photo 05. Size compared to a human
Photo 06. Stonehenge and Druids
Photo 07. The map of Britain and Stonehenge.

Video 01. Watch a reenactment of the construction of Stonehenge by stone-age men: