

Ellie's Iron Age Adventures!

Step back in time with Ellie the Elephant to discover the world of the Iron Age!

- The Iron Age began when people learned to melt iron rock to make strong tools and weapons.
- People lived in roundhouses made of wood, stone, and straw with a cosy fire in the centre.
- Many tribes built large hillforts on top of hills to stay safe and protect their homes.
- Families were farmers who grew crops like wheat and kept animals such as sheep and cows.
- Iron Age people belonged to tribes led by a chieftain who looked after all the people.

Did you know? Did you know? People in the Iron Age did not use money like we do today. Instead of spending £1 or £2, they often traded items like grain, cattle, or beautiful metal jewellery to get what they needed!

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