

Fire

1-What is fire used for ?

- Get warmth
- Get light
- Get a protection against animals
- Cook food
- Make tools

2-How did men discover fire ?

(in the nature, accidental fires, lightning...)

-How to start a fire ? Rubbing together 2 wood pieces, two kinds of stones (flint and pyrite),

-How to keep a fire going ? (small branches, bones, resin, animal fats, cow dung...)

3 Story (“the war for fire”)

4- Evolution

Fire in nature (homo erectus)

The technique of rubbing together a piece of wood and a board,

Knocking against oneanother 2 different stones (flint- pyrite)

Flint mines ,

5- Vocabulary : « keep the fire going » «cinders of wood »
« flint » “to take turns » « resin » « outbreak of fire »