

CLOVIS SHELTER-BUILDERS

STUDENT NAME:

CLASS:

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Admit it! Your role in the Clovis clan's survival made life better! Without you, your people would not have a home to come back to! Your task is to build shelters for your people and keep them clean, warm, and protected. This could be a challenge in a wild landscape filled with large animals and unknown dangers.

On a separate sheet of paper or on your computer, research the following needs of your building party:

- What landscape features or shelters did your people build?
- How did you build these shelters and what materials did you need?
- Nobody likes the cold. So shelter-builders relied on fire to keep their shelters warm and cozy. What resources did you need to make that happen? And how did you build a fire with those materials?
- What tools would you have used for cooking?
- What resources would you need for bedding or clothing?
- What kinds of tools could you create out of bone that are useful in a shelter?
- After considering all of these, what skills did you need to help your clan survive?



You may find answers by:

- watching the classroom video (<http://intotheoutdoors.org/topics/clovis-kid-survival-strategies/>)
- by visiting some of the resources given by your teacher
- doing your own online research
- collaborating with other Paleo team members

Once you have completed your research, discuss with your other clan members the necessary materials and skills you would need to survive each day. **Then “pack” your survival kit with those materials. During Session 3, your large group will present your survival kit to the class.** Your survival kit should be supported by research and built using one form of art or media (either video, poster, props, or slideshow with images).

