

Archaeology Review Sheets

Name:

Define the following terms:

Archaeology-

Stratigraphy-

Dendrochronology-

Excavation-

Site-

Artifact-

Oral tradition-

Cultural diffusion-

Fossils-

Kitchen midden-

What is the difference between scientific and cultural dating?

Give an example of how cultural dating works?

What are two examples of scientific dating?

How does Carbon 14 dating work?

What are the restrictions on Carbon 14 dating?

What is the difference between a primary source and a secondary source?

Where do archaeologists work?

Explain a famous archaeological find that we learned about.

Name three examples of non-written sources that archaeologist can use.

What kind of skills does an archaeologist need to be successful?