

# UTAH ARCHAEOLOGY TIMELINE KEY

11,000 BC-AD 1970

## Paleoindian 11,000 BC–7,000 BC

Hunters used spears to kill mammals

People had dogs

People hunted rabbits & deer

Clovis points

People traveled in small family groups



## Formative

*Fremont 500 BC–AD 1250*

Fremont people made little figures out of clay

Pithouses

Irrigation for crops

Fremont rock imagery

People farmed corns, beans, & squash

Pottery

Footwear

Mano and metate for processing food



## Archaic 7,000 BC–500 BC

Food: seeds, cattails, pine nuts, & other plants

Fish hooks

Nets for catching rabbits

Hunters used atlatls for hunting

Pronghorn

Barrier Canyon style rock imagery

Hunters used bow & arrows

Mano and metate for grinding seeds

Archaic rock imagery

People made little animals out of split twigs



## Late Prehistoric AD 1300–AD 1847

No agriculture, just hunting

1776: Domínguez-Escalante Expedition

Wikiups & tipis

Small dart points for hunting



## Formative

*Ancestral Puebloan 300 BC–AD 1300*

Baskets

People farmed corn, beans, squash

Puebloan rock imagery

Architecture with stones

Pottery

Gaming pieces

Footwear

Jewelry

Mano and metate for processing food



## Historic AD 1847–AD 1970

People made glass bottles

Cans for storing food

Traveling in wagons

Decorated plates & cups

Industrial processing of materials (limekiln)

Trapping animals for furs (beaver)

People used rifles/pistols

Communication through horses/ trail systems

Transportation with trains

Structures built to transport mining materials

