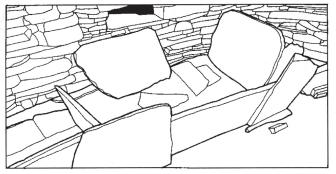
I'm Ana. Look for clues around the site to answer these questions!

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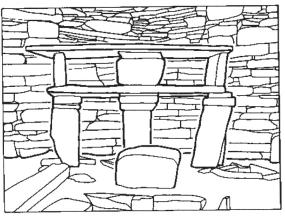


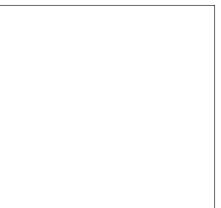
- About how many years old are the oldest houses at Skara Brae?
 a. 10,000
 b. 5,000
 c. 2,500
- 2. How many beds do most houses have?



Draw some covers on the bed like the people of Skara Brae might have used.

3. This is a dresser where people kept their most treasured possessions. Draw an object which might have been on a shelf.







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4. Which building does not have a bed or a dresser?a. Number 3b. Number 8c. Number 6

Archaeologists think this may have been a workshop.

5. This is a stone which was used for grinding corn.

How many of these can you find at Skara Brae?

When people first lived at Skara Brae, the houses were a lot further from the sea. Gradually the coast has eroded and the sea has crept nearer the village. Special measures have to be taken to stop the sea coming over the remains of the houses and drowning them.

The houses at Skara Brae had roofs and the passages between the houses were covered. The replica house helps people imagine what it would have been like to live in the village.

For your own notes or sketches:

