

■ Stone Circles Research Worksheet

Name: _____

Date: _____

Choose one stone circle to research:

- Stonehenge
- Castlerigg
- Avebury
- Ring of Brodgar
- Another stone circle of your choice

Find **12 facts** about your chosen stone circle. You can use books, websites, or classroom resources to help you. Write your answers in full sentences.

1. Where is your stone circle located?

2. How old is it?

3. How many stones are there?

4. How tall are the stones?

5. What type of stone was used?

6. Who built it (if known)?

7. Why do you think it was built?

8. What does the stone circle look like from above?

9. Are there any myths or legends about it?

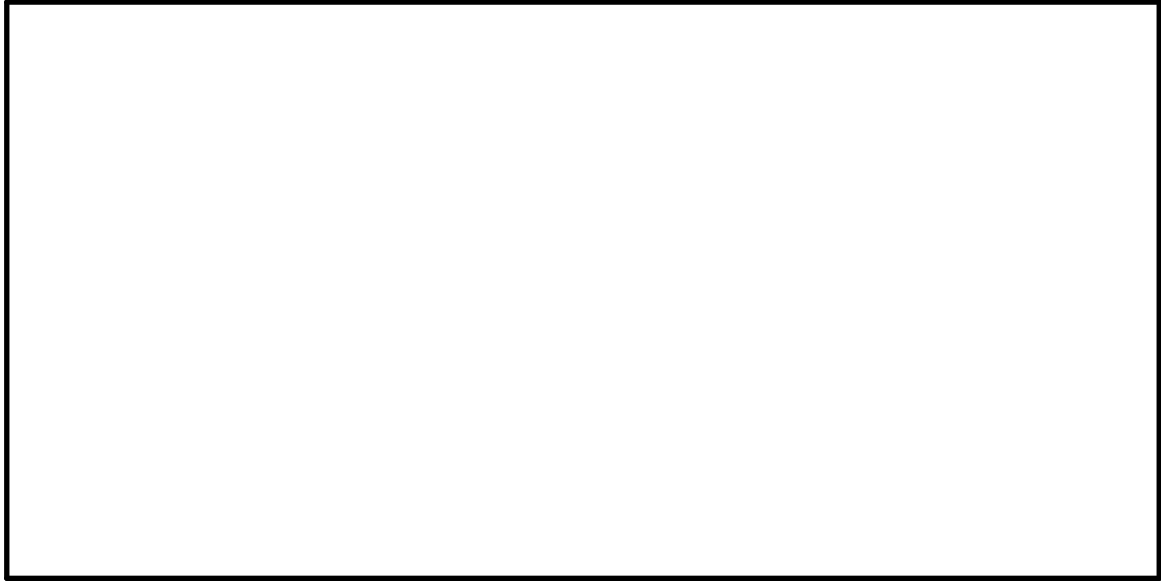
10. Has it been used in modern times (festivals, celebrations, etc.)?

11. Is it protected today? How?

12. What is the most interesting fact you discovered?

Extension Challenge ■

Draw a picture of your chosen stone circle. Label it with 3 key facts.



■ Word Bank

- Neolithic – the later part of the Stone Age
- Monument – a large structure built in the past
- Archaeology – the study of the past through objects people left behind
- Heritage – something passed down from history
- Myth – a traditional story, often about gods or heroes
- Ceremony – a special event or ritual
- Alignment – how the stones are arranged (e.g., with the sun or stars)
- Excavation – digging at a site to discover history
- Preservation – keeping something safe for the future
- Legend – an old story that may not be completely true