Hunting: animals, tools

Which animals?

Reindeers : a single animal can feed a whole family for a week. Reindeers live in droves.

Buffalos: to catch them the Men make traps (holes filled with pointed rods)

Hares, birds

Horses

Mammoths (twice the weight of an elephant), wooly Rhinoceros.

Prehistoric Men first spotted a drove and armed with their weapons went after the cattle, The slowest animal was likely to be their target, they tried to frighten it with loud cries and pushed it towards a trap or a swamp, Then they would kill it with spears,.

Lion of the caves

Bears, wolfs, fox (to make fur coats)

Which tools?

Wooden spear with a flint point, flint knife to cut the <u>carcass</u> of animals

Throwers: made out reindeer antlers they would help to send a spear further than 30 meters very quickly,

<u>Bolas</u>: stones attached at the end of a rope they allow the rope to be wound round the legs of animals like a lasso.

Snares :to catch small animals.