

Archaeology & Cookie Excavating

Related Vocabulary



analyze – to examine carefully and identify its parts

archaeology – the scientific study of historic or prehistoric peoples and their culture by looking at the things those people left behind

artifacts – any object made by human beings

context – the facts or details about a time or place that surround a situation

excavate – to dig or scoop out; to expose as if by digging

feature – a prominent characteristic

grid – a basic system of lines that are used for referencing in a region that involve straight lines that cross one another

material – anything related to matter or physical objects

past – the time gone by; having existed before now

prehistoric – of or related to the time period before recorded history

preserve – to save and protect

provenience – the origin or source

record – to write down or save, as for keeping

remains – something that is left behind

site – the position or location of a town or building

survey – the act of determining the exact form, boundaries, or position

tools – an instrument used, particularly by hand, for manual operation

variables – something capable of easy change; inconsistent parts