



Leopard Stamp



Images of leopards, or people wearing what look like leopard skins, are common in Çatalhöyük. Leopard bones are rarely found on the site. Stamps might have been used to create leopard prints on clothing. You might be able to see some of these prints on paintings of people in Çatalhöyük's homes.







Bones were buried under the beds in Çatalhöyük's homes. Some may have been removed and shared between buildings. They might have even been added as decoration in

homes.







features? It might have been used in which means it looks like a person. This figurine is anthropomorphic, Can you make out its human activities like storytelling.







Animal Figurine

This figurine is probably a bull. Bulls' walls, in benches, and next to doors of animals like teeth or horns might as decoration. The dangerous parts have been brought into houses to skulls and horns were placed on remember important events or hunters.







This is a clay stamp of a hand.
Stamps were used to decorate cloth
and possibly even skin. They have
also been found in graves as grave
goods for the dead.





Horse Figurine



This figurine is of a horse. It seems to have many 'stab' marks on its body. These marks might represent the act of killing of the animal.





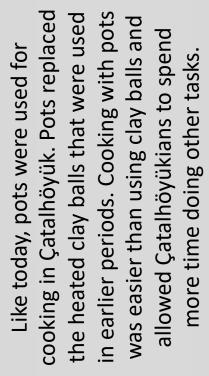


This is a flint blade. The real artefact (which is safely stored in Turkey) is almost 13 cm long and was found in a grave. Flint was not common in the local environment. People would have travelled long distances to get it to the site.















Mudbrick



houses. In the earliest periods of the length! Over time the bricks became Çatalhöyük was a town of mudbrick smaller and more efficient, similar site's history the mud bricks were very long – often over 1 metre in to the ones used today.







Clay ball

Finding such a large number of clay They are often found near ovens in After being heated, they may have cooking tool in early Çatalhöyük. been put in baskets to cook food. large groups known as 'caches'. important these items were to Clay balls were an important everyday life at Çatalhöyük. balls at the site shows how

