Morning Starters: Summer 2 - Ice Age

Word Challenge

Write the antonym of each word underlined in the 'Did You Know?' paragraph.

Note: An antonym is a word that has the opposite meaning of another word.

Grammar Challenge

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Rewrite the list sentence below as bullet points. Your bullets points must be introduced by an introductory clause.

The sabre-tooth cat had long canines, a muscular body, thick fur and short powerful limbs.

Did You Know?

Sabre-tooth cats were <u>amazing</u> hunters during the Ice Age, <u>perfectly</u> adapted to hunt large prey like mammoths. Their long, sharp teeth allowed them to deliver <u>deadly</u> bites. These cats were <u>fierce</u> predators that could take down animals much larger than themselves with ease.



Number Challenge

• Sabre-tooth cats are believed to have first appeared around 2.6 million years ago and became extinct approximately 11,700 years ago.

How many years did sabre-tooth cats exist?

Critical Thinking

What are the main similarities between the skull of a sabre-tooth cat and the skull of a human?

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