

DON BOSCO SCHOOL, KOKAR, RANCHI

STD 5

Social Studies (SST)

Lesson 1

The Early Humans

I Answer these

1) Comment on the appearance of the Homo habilis men.

A/ Homo habilis were the first humans who lived in Africa. They walked like animals using their limbs. They had a small forehead. It sloped in the backward direction while the body was bent in the forward direction. Their limbs resembled that of gorillas and made only growling sounds in the name of speech.

2) How was the erect posture of the early humans helpful to them ?

A/ The erect posture of these humans enabled them to see and make better use of their hands.

3) How were the Peking men superior to the Java men?

A/ The Peking men were superior to the Java men because they could stand more upright than the Java men. They knew the use of fire and the art of making stone implements.

4) List the evidences that tell about the early humans.