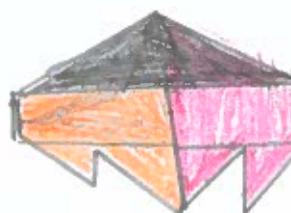


VIKINGS

Inside a Viking Home



In these Viking homes there was little space and only 1 window. There was no glass but a pair of wooden shutters. The air would have been smoky because of a peat fire or logs burning. There were also no chimneys. In the houses a fire would burn in a central hearth which is around 1.5 meters. Rich Vikings ^{homes} were different and would have had a bed made especially for them made of wood that had been finely carved. Weapons like swords, axes or even maces were hung up on walls along with iles and clothes. There was also little furniture then. Stories were instead hidden in castles or strong boxes. Stuffs were also different and food like butter, salted fish, or drinks such as ale were stored in buckets, barrels and

FLICKERING lights

Back then small lamps were placed on tables and ceiling. They were made from soapstone and oil. Used with oil and a wick but if a breeze wed to come would flicker.

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used to lock
treasures. The Vikings
would put their most
valuable things like
gold or a dagger.

