

**Sabertooth Cat/Tiger.**  
**Report by Amy, picture by Lynn.**

There were two types of Sabertooth Tiger in America, the Smilodon and the Scimitar. They both had elongated teeth called maxillary canines. On the saber tooth tiger they were about 20 cm long. The Sabertooth Tiger was a social animal living in groups, or packs. They were about the size of the African Lion and their over-sized teeth were a help to bring down their large prey. All Sabertooth cats went extinct when the last ice age ended, about 11,500 years ago.

**Cave Bear, *Ursus Spelaeus*.**  
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Cave bears spent a lot of time in their caves, more than bears do today. They mainly had a diet of vegetation, but some were carnivores. The average male weight was 880 lbs, but there is evidence suggesting greater weight. Females weigh less. Most of these bears died during hibernation, but there were also several diseases that took care of these magnificent beasts.