Changes in Life During the Neolithic Period

Directions: (1) Match each pair of tokens to an aspect of life. (2) Determine which tokens represent the Paleolithic period and which represent the Neolithic period. (3) Write a justification of why you placed the tokens in the order you did. (4) Write a two-sentence summary describing how the changes in each aspect of life affected daily life in the Neolithic period.

Aspect of Life	Paleolithic Neolithic	Effect on Daily Life
Food Supply Justification:		 agriculture increased the reliable food supply people did not have to wander in search of food
Occupations		 people occupied their time with many activities in addition to obtaining food •
Justification:		•
Population/ Settlement		 Neolithic settlements became larger and more permanent growth in population allowed people to share work responsibilities
Justification:		

Aspect of Life	Paleolithic	Effect on Daily Life
Resources		 people improved the strength and beauty of their buildings, crafts, and tools
Justification:		 people traded goods such as obsidial allo materials used to enhance their appearance
Shelter		• • people added features, such as ovens,
Justification:		basins, and clay benches, to homes to improve living conditions
Technology		 people made better tools out of sharpened stones, obsidian, and metal .
Justification:		