



# **Eastern Woodland Native Americans**



- ▶ **Eastern Woodlands**: Native Americans that lived in present day South Carolina (forest dwellers)
- ▶ The **geography** of the region affected all aspects of the way they lived



**Housing**

**Use of Rivers**

**Hunting &  
Fishing**

**Community  
Life**

**Primary Crops**



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- ▶ Lived in longhouses



# Use of Rivers

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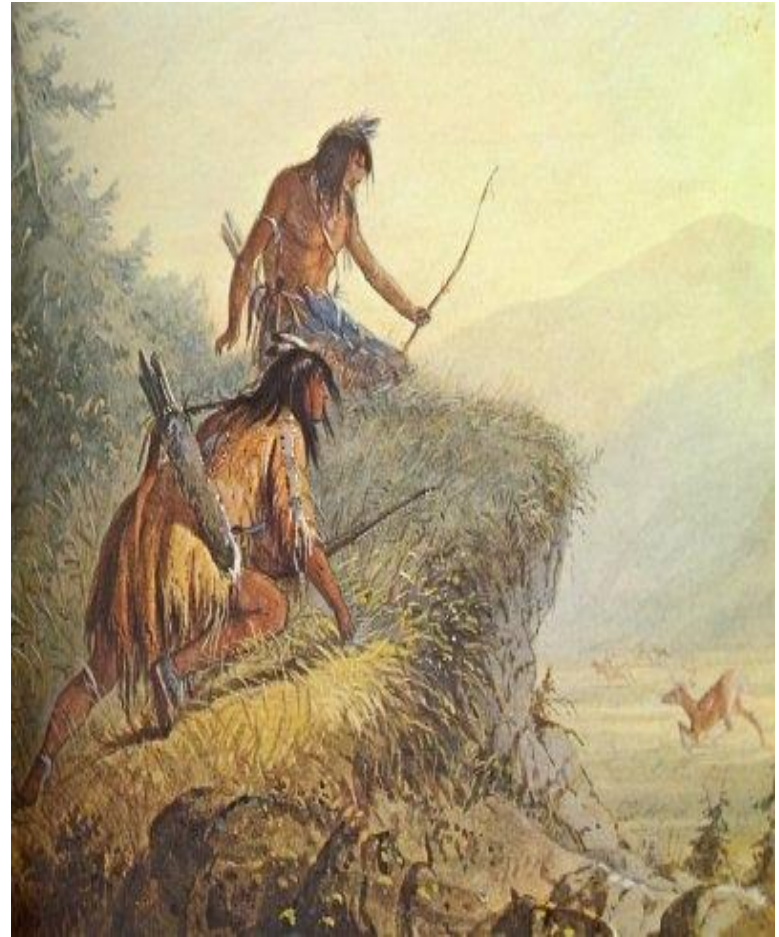




# Hunting and Fishing

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- ▶ Bows and arrows primary weapon
- ▶ Deer plentiful and important for many tribes.



# Community Life

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- ▶ No sense of private ownership of land.



# Primary Crops

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- ▶ Also grew: pumpkins, gourds and tobacco.
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