Flintknapping 101

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Flintknapping is the shaping of rock via flaking or chipping to produce a stone tool. Knapped stone represents some of the earliest material culture known and its use persisted well into the historic period in some places. This short presentation will begin with a review of some basic flintknapping principals and terms. Attendees will then have the opportunity to try their hand at knapping. Rock will be provided along with the necessary safety equipment. Please wear pants and closed toe shoes if you plan on participating.

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