



Their Way of Life

jobs

Women & Girls

- gardening
- building homes
- caring for children
- cooking
- making/mending clothing
- gathering nuts/berries
- training the girls
- Weaving baskets

Men & Boys

- hunting
- fishing
- warriors (soldiers)
- training the boys

The Cherokee and Creek **Making a Living**

- **Women farmed and gathered berries, nuts, roots, and other wild plants for food and medicines**
- **Grew enough food to last two years, in case there were bad growing years**



How does your mother make a living?

The Cherokee and Creek **Making a Living**

- **Men were the warriors in times of war**
- **Men were the chiefs of the villages**
- **Men made the political decisions for the village**



The Cherokee and Creek Making a Living

- Men hunted and fished
- Used bows and arrows for hunting and sometimes blow guns to shoot birds
- Hunted for only what they needed to feed their families
- Used spears and nets for fishing



How does your father make a living?

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tools/weapons

