

Fire, Fire!

Key Vocabulary

Eye witness	A person who has seen something and can give a description of it
Timeline	A tool which is used to describe the order in which events happened
Plague	A disease caused by bacteria
Recount	A piece of writing that gives details of an event that has happened.
Diary	A book to write down your thoughts from the day
Pudding Lane	The street where the fire started
Artefacts	Objects that are made, used or changed by humans and give us information about life in the past.
Chronological	In order of which they happened
Impact	The effect on someone or something
Bakery	a place that makes bread, cakes etc.

It's time to step back in time and transform yourself into a child from 1666!

How did the fire start? Become a detective and find out all about the Great fire of London. Investigate, explore and write about what you saw just like Samuel Pepys. Look at historian artifacts and sources of evidence from 1666 to find out all about the Great Plague. Make a silhouette of London to show how quickly the fire spread. Use your acting skills to become a news reporter to discuss the events that happened and interview The Lord Mayor, Sir Christopher Wren and Thomas Farriner. Get your leather buckets and hop onto my time machine and let's get ready to become historians.



London



Past- 1666



Present- 2021

Key People

Christopher Wren



Sir Christopher Wren was a 17th century English architect, designer, astronomer and geometer. He designed 51 churches in London after the Great Fire of London, including St. Paul's Cathedral

Samuel Pepys



Samuel Pepys lived in London during the Great Fire of London and wrote about it in his diary

Thomas Farriner



Thomas Farriner is the owner of the bakery on Pudding Lane where the fire started

Caritas- Happiness is.....?

What does happiness mean? We will be looking at the true meaning of happiness and what makes us happy and why.

We will be talking about the difference of being happy on our own and being happy with others.

We will be thinking about what feelings we get when we are happy and what do we need to consider for others happiness.

We will be linking our work to CAFOD and looking at why we are happy to have the fire brigade, especially after learning about the Great Fire of London

Caritas- The Christian love of human kind

Monday 3rd September 1666

The fire gets very close to the Tower of London.

Tuesday 4th September 1666

St Paul's Cathedral is destroyed by the fire.

Timeline of Events

Sunday 2nd September 1666

The fire starts at 1 a.m.
Mid-morning: Samuel Pepys starts to write about the fire in his **diary**.

Wednesday 5th September 1666

The wind dies down and the fire spreads more slowly.

Thursday 6th September 1666

The fire is finally put out.
Thousands of people are left homeless.