

# 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.
Present	The period of time now occurring
Past	The period of time which has already happened
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.
Chronology	In order of which they happened
Impact	The effect on someone or something
Bakery	A place that makes bread, cakes etc.
Causation	The action of causing something
Weaving	The interlacing of two threads
Technology	Electronic systems/resources that help us learn, communicate, play and more.

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.

Hook with a Book:

The Great Fire of London



## London



Past- 1666



Present- 2023



## 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

## Key People

### King Charles II



King Charles II was the King and ruled Britain at the time of the Great Fire of London.

### 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

### 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.