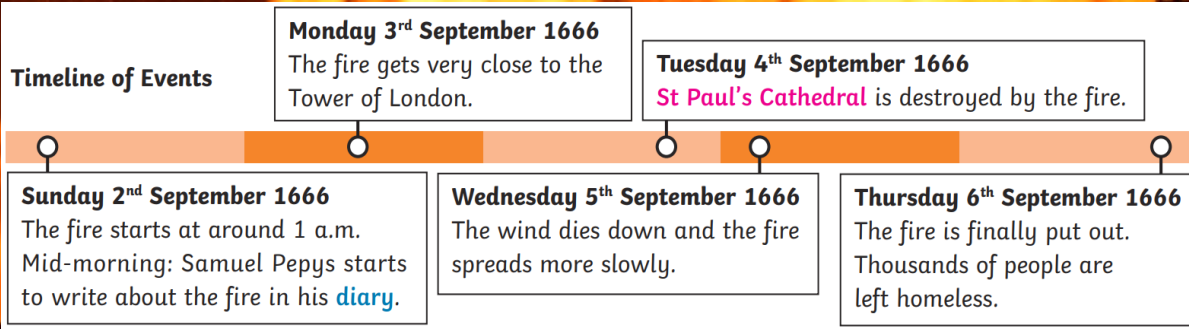




Year 2 History Knowledge Organiser Term 5 2024

We will be learning all about this major event that happened in London in 1666. We will start by comparing modern day London with the early seventeenth century, looking for similarities and differences. Our studies will then look at how and why the fire started, the reasons it spread so quickly and the impact of the fire on life afterwards.



Vocabulary

- Attached
- Capital City
- Century
- Chronology
- Diarist
- Diary
- Fire Break
- Fire Safety
- Fire Service
- Flammable
- Impact
- Investigate
- Materials
- Overcrowded
- Primary Source
- Protocols
- Terraced
- Timeline

We will look at how we know about the fire from historical sources, and the importance of eye witness accounts, such as Samuel Pepys' famous diary. As with all historical sources, we will consider how reliable they might be.

Key People

		
Samuel Pepys	Sir Christopher Wren	King Charles II

Spread of the Fire

- Red: Sunday 2nd September 1666
- Orange: Monday 3rd September 1666
- Yellow: Tuesday and Wednesday 4-5th September 1666

