

Year 1 and 2 History The Great Fire of London

Key Knowledge:

How and why London was different in the 17th century.

What are the key events of the Great Fire of London.

How did the fire start, spread and stop.

What changes occurred after the fire?

Historical enquiry:

To use historical resources such as Samuel Pepys diary.

How reliable are the resources e.g. diary, paintings, maps, reports?

Vocabulary:

Diary – a book in which you keep a daily record of events and experiences.

Parliament – MPs - Members of Parliament (or politicians) who come together to talk about and make important rules (laws) for everyone in the country, so things stay fair and work well, with parts like the House of Commons and House of Lords.

Eyewitness – a person who has seen something happen.

Sources – a place, person, or thing from which something originates.

