



Why was the great Fire of London so important?

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When? – Historical Context



Warwick Castle



Christopher Columbus



Guy Fawkes



1666
Great Fire



School Built



Moon Landing



2023
This year!

What? – Key Events



Sunday 2nd September 1666

A fire starts in Thomas Farynor's bakery on Pudding Lane.



Monday 3rd September 1666

Samuel Pepys starts to write about the fire in his diary.



Monday 3rd September 1666

The fire makes people leave the city.



Tuesday 4th September 1666

Firefighters try to pull houses down to stop the fire



Tuesday 4th September 1666

St. Paul's Cathedral burns down.



Wednesday 5th September 1666

Firefighters begin to put out the fire



Thursday 6th September 1666

The Fire of London finally stops but many people are left homeless.

Who?



Samuel Pepys

Wrote a lot about the fire



Charles II

Was King in 1666

Key Vocabulary



St Pauls Cathedral

A very large church in London.



Diary

A book that people write about their lives in.



River Thames

A river that flows through London.



Fire Hook

A tool used to pull down buildings

Learning Links



Year 1 –
Most houses were built of wood



Year 1
The fire went close to the Tower of London



Year 1
London is the capital city of