

King Edwin Primary School

Main Learning: A very long time ago - Great Fire of London

Year 2

Subject: History



Key knowledge

Know what lessons we learnt from the Great Fire of London

Know why the fire burnt for many days

Know how the fire fighting equipment has changed over the years

Know why we know the fire actually happened

Know why different types of fire create problems today

Know what people learnt from the fire and how it improved London

Vocabulary

Pudding Lane

The fire started here in a bakery

Thomas Farriner

The owner of the bakery

Samuel Pepys

Famous for his diary writing which included the events of the great fire

Leather buckets

These were used to fetch water from the Thames in order to try and put out the fire

Plague

A terrible disease that is sometimes known as the Black Death which spread in London just before the fire broke out

Thames

The river that runs through London and where they got the water to try and put out the fire



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Prior Knowledge -