

**We are learning about the historical event of The Great Fire of London.
We will be gathering information about this event over the week.**

This week is your chance to learn as much as you can about The Great Fire of London. Make sure you complete the tasks below but if you feel like you want to go further and find out more about The Great Fire of London then please do so! The more you know, the better historian you will become!

You need to know these things by the end of the week:

- Key facts about the Great Fire.
- Who was Samuel Pepys and why is he important to the Great Fire?
- The order of what happened during the Great Fire.
- Understand that London looked very different at the time of the Great Fire.

Here are the 5 literacy activities we would like you to complete this week.

1. Read the diary entry written by a man called Thomas Farriner. Can you work out who this man was? Why do you think he might be sorry? What do you think he has done? Read the fact resource about The Great Fire of London and look at the Powerpoint (on our website) to learn key information.
2. Explore this website <http://www.fireoflondon.org.uk/> (a link is on our website) to learn more facts and information about the Great Fire of London.
3. Make a poster about all the facts you have learnt so far about the Great Fire of London.
4. Who was Samuel Pepys? Read the facts about Samuel Pepys saved on the website to find out about him. What questions would you ask Samuel Pepys if you could talk to him? Write down some questions in your home learning book. Remember to include capital letters and question marks.
5. Make your own timeline of events about the Great Fire of London. Use the timeline resource saved on the website to help you put what happened in order. You could create your timeline in your home learning book with pictures and labels.