Important People/Important Places

Samuel Pepys



Wrote a diary which is how we know so much about the fire.

St Paul's Cathedral



Famous Cathedral that burnt down during the fire and was then rebuilt afterwards.

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King Charles II

King of England, Ireland and Scotland from 1660 to 1685.

Tower of London



Where King Charles II lived in 1666. Was not damaged by the fire.



Surprising Journeys: Knowledge Organiser



Journey Vocabulary	
migrate	Move from one region to another
expedition	A journey with purpose
trek	Long, difficult journey
voyage	Especially long journey (usually over water)
perilous	Full of danger/risk
arduous	Involving strenuous effort



Topic Vocabulary: Fire of London	
Keyword	Definition
Pudding Lane	Where the Great Fire began.
Thomas Farriner	Owner of the bakery where the fire began.
River Thames	The river that runs through London where many people escaped to.
Fire Break	When buildings are destroyed to make a break so the fire can't spread to the next building.
Fire Hook	Giant hooks used to pull houses down.
Eyewitness	A person who saw an event and can therefore describe it.
Thatched roof	A roof made of dry vegetation such as straw and reeds.
flammable	Something that burns easily.

Science Vocabulary: Materials		
Properties	Different solids have different properties such as strength, stretch or hardness that make them	
	suitable for different jobs.	
Flexible	Capable of bending easily without breaking.	
Durable	Hard wearing.	
Transparent	See through.	
Opaque	Cannot see through it.	
Waterproof	Does not let water through it.	
Suitability	Some materials work better for different	
	purposes, for example glass for a window because	
	it is transparent.	
Recycle	This means that materials that have already been	
	used can be used to make new things.	
Decompose	This is where things rot and decay back into the ground.	

Timeline of the Great Fire of London













