





Heroic Vocabulary	
Heroic	Having the characteristics of a hero or heroine; admirably brave or determined
Courageous	Not deterred by danger or pain; brave.
Daring	Adventurous or audaciously bold.
Mission	An important assignment given to a person or group of people, typically involving travelling.
Adventure	An unusual and exciting or daring experience.
Sacrifice	An act of giving up something valued for the sake of something else regarded as more important or worthy.
Resilient	Able to withstand or recover quickly from difficult conditions.



# Everyday Heroes Knowledge Organiser



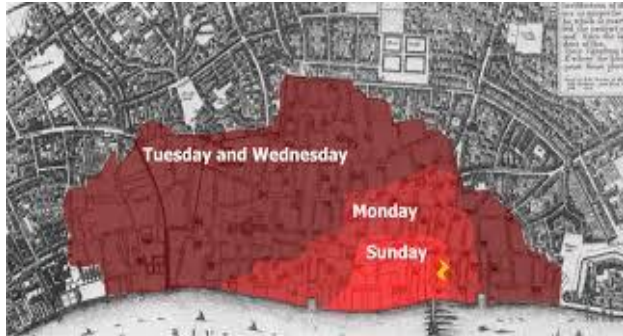
Important People/Important Places	
 Samuel Pepys Wrote a diary which is how we know so much about the fire.	 King Charles II King of England, Ireland and Scotland from 1660 to 1685.
 St Paul's Cathedral Famous Cathedral that burnt down during the fire and was then rebuilt afterwards.	 Tower of London Where King Charles II lived in 1666. Was not damaged by the fire.

## 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

**Early Sunday morning**




The fire starts at Thomas Farriner's bakery on Pudding Lane.

**Sunday evening**



Houses are pulled down in an attempt to stop the fire spreading.

**Early Monday morning**




People carry their possessions to safety using boats on the River Thames.

**Tuesday**



St Paul's Cathedral is destroyed by the fire.

**Wednesday**



The fire starts to burn more slowly as the wind dies down.

**Thursday**



The fire is finally under control and put out.

## Things to try at home:

- Design your own hero and make a comic strip.
- Be an everyday hero and find ways to reduce, reuse and recycle your materials.
- Visit the Fire of London Monument in Fish St Hill, London.
- Discuss Fire Safety in your home.