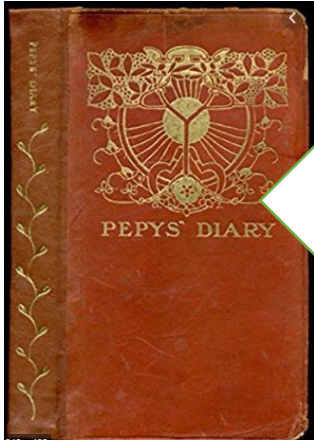


Year 1 Autumn 1: Fire and Ice Knowledge Organiser



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- The fire of London happened in 1666.
- The fire spread so quickly because of the hot, dry summer, the strong wind and the houses being made of wood and very close together.
- There were no fire engines in 1666 and the fire raged for four days.
- The fire was put out by blowing up houses near the fire so there was nothing for the fire to burn.



We know lots of information about the Great Fire because Samuel Pepys wrote a diary about the events.



Important people in 1666

Samuel Pepys
Wrote a diary.



Thomas Farriner was the
Kings baker.

King Charles II
Was the king.



Christopher Wren
was an architect.



Christopher Wren designed a monument in London to the Great fire. It has 311 steps!
You can visit the monument.



There was no Fire Brigade in 1666
And no fire engines to help put the fire out!



This is what was used in 1666. It is a huge bucket on wheels!

The creation of the Fire Brigade was a direct result of the Great Fire of London.