

Year 2: Autumn 2 2023

The Great Fire of London

You may wish to take the time to complete a home learning idea this half term. Here are some possible starting points, or you may have an even better idea for a project you would like to have a go at.

If you have completed a home learning project, please do bring it into school so that it can be shared with the class.

This half term we will be reading *The Baker's Boy* and *The Great Fire of London*.

You could:

- Write your own story set at the time of The Great Fire of London.
- Design a new front cover for the book.

Your own idea

Do you have your own exciting idea for a project?

Creative – Art / DT etc



Create your own fire dance and ask an adult to take a video.

- Draw/paint a picture or make a collage of The Great Fire of London.
- Make a 3D street scene of London in 1666. You could use junk modelling or even Lego!

Creative Writing

- Imagine you saw the fire: write a poem or story about what you saw/heard/felt.
- Write a diary in the style of Samuel Pepys.



Maths

- Create a time line to show when The Great Fire of London happened.
- Make a repeating pattern around flames – which different colours and shapes can you use?

Topic

- Make a presentation explaining why the buildings burned so fast.
- Research interesting facts about The Great Fire of London.

