

## Vocabulary

<b>Great Fire of London</b>	A large fire that destroyed much of London in 1666.
<b>event</b>	Something that happens in history.
<b>cause</b>	Why something happened.
<b>consequence</b>	What happened as a result.
<b>source</b>	Something that tells us about the past (e.g. objects, pictures, writing).
<b>change</b>	When something becomes different.

### In Early Years I learned about:

- We learned about the difference between the **past** and the **present**.
- We learned that some important events happened before we were born.
- We learned that people remember significant events and celebrations from the past.
- We learned that museums and artefacts can help us learn about history.

### Links to the NC:

- H4:** I can identify how things have changed over time.
- H5:** I can explain why a person, place or event is significant.
- H6:** I can use sources to find out about the past.
- H7:** I can ask and answer questions about the past using evidence from sources.

## What happened before I was born?

## Why do we still remember the Great Fire of London today?



### Lessons in this unit:

**Lesson 1:** To know that the Great Fire of London was a significant event that happened in 1666 and destroyed a large part of London.

**Lesson 2:** To know that the Great Fire of London started in a bakery on Pudding Lane and spread quickly.

**Lesson 3:** To know that the Great Fire spread quickly because houses were made of wood, buildings were close together and firefighting equipment was limited.

**Lesson 4:** To know that sources such as Samuel Pepys' diary, paintings and drawings help us learn about the Great Fire of London.

**Lesson 5:** To know that London changed after the Great Fire because the city was rebuilt with safer buildings and wider streets.

**Lesson 6:** To know that the Great Fire of London is remembered because it changed London and is an important event in British history.

**Lesson 7:** To know that the Great Fire of London was a significant event that changed London and is still remembered today.

**Endpoint Outcome:** To create a newspaper report, diary entry or information poster that explains why the Great Fire of London is still remembered today.