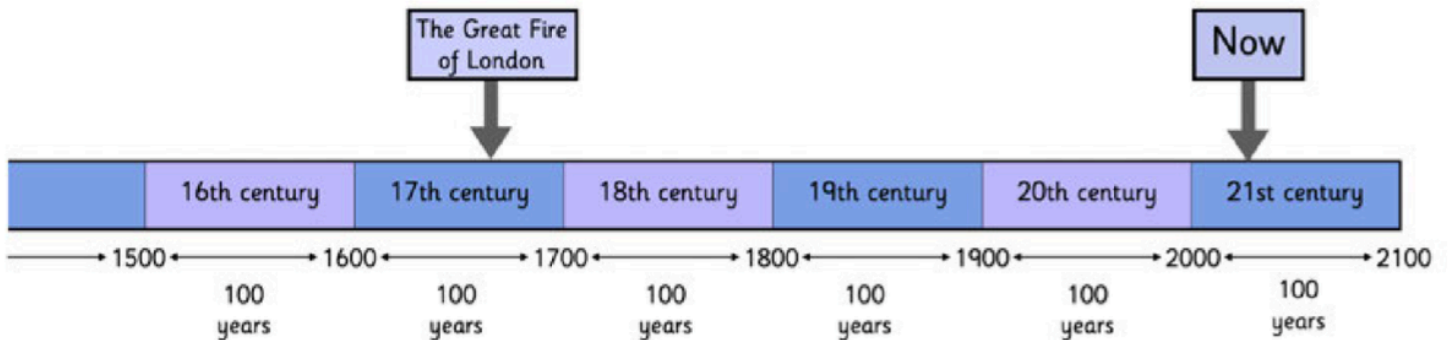


The Great Fire of London Knowledge Organiser



The Great Fire of London happened almost 400 years ago, which is beyond living memory.



Vocabulary that I will learn and use during this unit of work.

London: the capital city of England

Samuel Pepys: a person who lived in London at the time of the Great Fire

diary: a book in which people write about what has happened each day

eyewitness: someone who saw something happen

source: something that gives us information about an event, place or person from the past

firebreak: a gap between two buildings that helps to stop a fire from spreading

flammable: easily set on fire

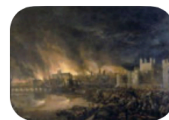
- King Charles II
- chronological order
- government
- fire-resistant
- materials: timber, thatch, brick, stone, concrete, glass
- settlement
- artefacts
- interpret

Sources

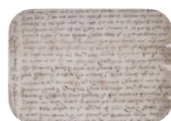
We can use these **sources** to find out about the Great Fire of London.



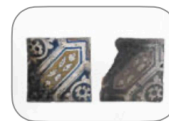
diaries



paintings



letters



artefacts

Enquiry questions

We can ask **questions**.

- **Where** did the fire start, and how?
- **Why** did it spread so quickly and last so long?
- **How** did people try to put the fire out?
- **How** do we know so much about the Great Fire of London?