

LQ: What happened in the Great Fire of London?

Sunday morning



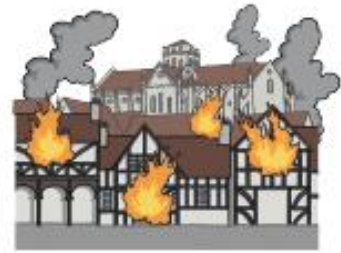
Samuel Pepys starts to record the unfolding events in his diary.

Mid Sunday morning



As news of the fire spreads, people run to escape from its path.

Wednesday



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

Tuesday



St Paul's Cathedral is destroyed by the fire.

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.

Early Sunday morning



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

Thursday



The fire is finally under control and put out.

Late Monday morning



Carts are banned from going near the fire.