

Year 2 Knowledge Organiser: London's Burning

The Great Fire of London

Monday 3rd September 1666

The fire gets very close to the Tower of London.

Tuesday 4th September 1666

St Paul's Cathedral is destroyed by the fire.

Timeline of Events

Sunday 2nd September 1666

The fire starts at 1 a.m.

Mid-morning: Samuel Pepys starts to write about the fire in his **diary**.

Wednesday 5th September 1666

The wind dies down and the fire spreads more slowly.

Thursday 6th September 1666

The fire is finally put out.
Thousands of people are left homeless.

Our five fantastic facts:

The Great Fire of London happened in 1666.

Samuel Pepys wrote a very important diary that tells us about the Great Fire of London.

The fire started in a bakery on Pudding Lane.

It spread quickly because the houses were close together and made from wood and straw.

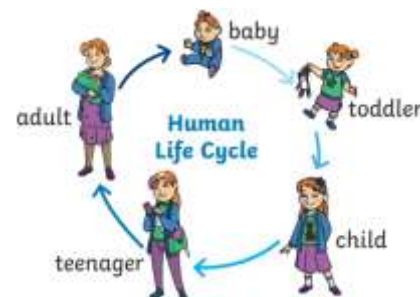
We know about the Great Fire of London from paintings, books and artefacts.

Animals Including Humans

All **young** animals change as they go through the different stages of their **life cycle** and grow into **adults**.

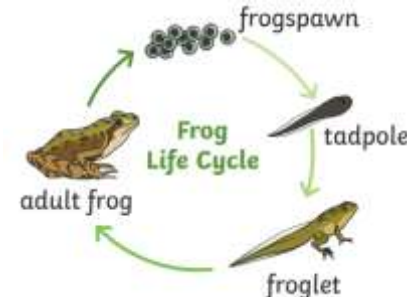
Science focus – Animals Including Humans

life cycle	The changes living things go through to become an adult.
offspring	The child of an animal.
survival	To avoid dangers and continue living.
nutrition	To eat foods that contain what we need for living and growing.
heart-rate	The number of times that a heart beats in one minute.
hygiene	To keep clean in order to stay healthy and prevent disease.



Some animals give birth to **live young**.

Some animals lay eggs which the **young** hatch from



like their **adult** when they are born.

Some **offspring** do not look like their **adult** when they are born.

History focus – The Great Fire of London

source	A picture, book or object that tells us something about history.
artefact	An object from the past.
monument	Something built in memory of a special person or event.
flammable	A material that can be set alight easily e.g. straw.
fire break	A gap made to stop the fire from spreading.