

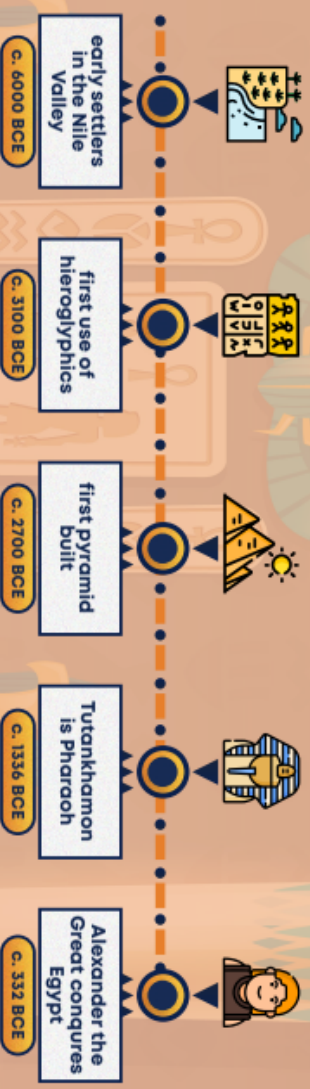


Knowledge organiser

Vocabulary	
cause	the person or thing that makes something happen
consequence	the result of something that has happened
drought	a long time period with very little or no rain
evidence	facts or things that make you believe that something is true
extinguish	to make a fire stop burning
eyewitness	someone who sees something happen and describes it afterwards
flammable	can burn easily
fuel	material that makes heat or power when it is burnt
hazard	something that can be dangerous or cause damage

Important people	
 <p>King Charles II</p>	King of England in 1666
Thomas Bloodworth	Lord Mayor of London in 1666
 <p>Samuel Pepys</p>	A writer who recorded his experience of the Great Fire in 1666

Timeline of events	
2 September 1666, early morning	The fire starts on Pudding Lane inside a bakery. The Mayor refuses to pull down houses to stop the fire. He does not think the fire looks serious, so goes back to bed.
2 September 1666, morning	Over 300 houses have burnt down and the fire has reached the riverfront.
2 September 1666, afternoon	Samuel Pepys visits King Charles and asks him to help. The King agrees that houses must be torn down to stop the fire.
3 September 1666, morning	The fire is out of control. The King steps in to keep order and organises firefighting teams.
3 September 1666, afternoon	The fire reaches the wealthy areas of the city. The fire looks like it will cross London Bridge.
4 September 1666, morning	St Paul's Cathedral burns down.
4 September 1666, evening	Soldiers blow up many houses to hold back the fire.
4 September 1666, evening	The wind changes direction and begins to drop.
5 September 1666	The fire's spread begins to slow down. By the end of the day, it is under control. The city is in ruins.



KEY VOCABULARY

River Nile	a river, which flows through the continent of Africa: it is the longest river in the world
Black Land	the land either side of the River Nile , which is black in colour: it is full of rich nutrients to help plants grow
irrigation	the supply of water , which helps land or crops grow
archaeologist	scientists who study the history of humans by looking at what has been left behind, e.g. objects buried underground or graves
Pharaohs	Pharaohs were the kings or queens of Egypt : a Pharaoh was the most important and powerful person in the kingdom
artefacts	an object made and used a long time ago
hieroglyphics	an ancient Egyptian writing system
mummification	the process used by ancient Egyptians to preserve a person's body for the afterlife
pyramid	a huge stone tomb build by ancient Egyptians



KEY VOCABULARY

empire	a group of states or countries ruled over by a single person or ruling power
protest	to complain and speak out against something they disagree with in an organised way
boycott	when people refuse to buy, use, or go somewhere in protest to bring about a change
activist	a person who feels passionately about something and wants to make a change
civil rights	the rights that belong to every person: the American Civil Rights Movement was a movement that fought for equal rights for black people
campaign	planned actions to achieve a goal
climate change	the process of our planet heating up

"In a gentle way, you can shake the world"



Born in India in 1869 and fought for independence from British rule

Gandhi

"Each person must live their life as a model for others"



Born in the USA in 1913 and known as the "mother of the civil rights movement" for refusing to give up her seat on a public bus

Rosa Parks

"I have a dream"



Born in the USA in 1929 and led the American Civil Rights Movement

Martin Luther King

"One child, one teacher, one pen, and one book can change the world"



Born in Pakistan in 1997 and became the youngest person ever to receive the Nobel Peace Prize for her work in advocating for girls' rights to attend school

Malala Yousafzai

"The future of humanity and indeed all life on earth depends on us"



Born in the UK in 1917 and a British broadcaster who speaks out about protecting the world

David Attenborough

"I have learned you are never too small to make a difference"



Born in Sweden in 2003 and an environmental activist

Greta Thunberg