

Great Fire of London Causation Cards

<p>Why did the fire get out of control and destroy so much of London?</p>	<p>Most buildings were made of wood</p>
<p>Water Supplies were unusually low in 1666</p>	<p>A strong wind was blowing</p>
<p>Someone started a fire in Pudding Lane</p>	<p>Fire fighting equipment was not good enough to cope with a large fire</p>
<p>Houses in London were built very close together</p>	<p>Town officials did not believe that it was going to spread and took no action at the start</p>
<p>Throughout London, heating and lighting were provided by fire.</p>	