

# The Great Fire of London.

## Chapters 5 and 6

### A) Complete the sentences with the verb in the past. Do not use short forms

- 1) At the door Pepys \_\_\_\_\_ to a servant. He \_\_\_\_\_ to a guard. (not talk/ talk)
- 2) In the palace, a young man \_\_\_\_\_ Pepys: "what must we do?" (ask)
- 3) Pepys \_\_\_\_\_ the people: "We must blow up the buildings in front of the fire". (tell)
- 4) Everybody \_\_\_\_\_ quiet. (go)
- 5) A guard \_\_\_\_\_ "The king wants to see Samuel Pepys. (cry)
- 6) Pepys \_\_\_\_\_ the king the fire was out of control. (tell)
- 7) The king \_\_\_\_\_ a letter to the Lord Mayor. (write)
- 8) Pepys \_\_\_\_\_ the palace on foot. He \_\_\_\_\_ the king's coach to go back to the fire. (not leave // take)
- 9) The coach driver \_\_\_\_\_ madly into the narrow streets. (drive)

### B) Complete the questions for the answers:

- 1) Where \_\_\_\_\_ Pepys \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord Mayor?  
He **found** him in the streets on fire.
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ the King's soldier \_\_\_\_\_ to the fire to arrest people?  
No they did not. They **went** to the fire to blow up the houses.
- 3) What time \_\_\_\_\_ Pepys and Moore \_\_\_\_\_ the fire to go home?  
They **left** it at 9:00 pm.
- 4) How long \_\_\_\_\_ the firefighters and soldiers \_\_\_\_\_ to stop the fire?  
They **worked** for 4 days.
- 5) How \_\_\_\_\_ the fire \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
It **stopped** when the wind changed direction.

### C) Correct the following sentences. Do not use short forms.

- 0) The Great fire destroyed a little part of the city.

**The Great Fire did not destroy a little part of the city. It destroyed the City.**

- 1) Before the fire the streets were wide.
- 2) The fire started in a factory.
- 3) There were many pets in the streets before the fire.
- 4) The Farringer family left the fire in a coach.
- 5) The Lord Mayor told the King to blow up the buildings.