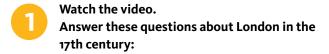
What was life like in 17th-century London? MUSEUM OF LONDON





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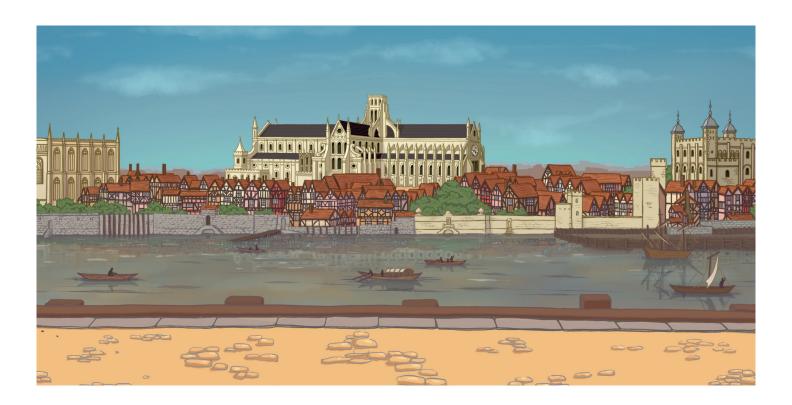
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Answers





Watch the video. Answer these questions about London in the 17th century:

- How long ago was 1666?More than 350 years
- What was the king's name?Charles II
- What were London's streets like?Narrow, crowded, dirty
- True or false: London was the smallest city in England. **False**
- Which month did the Great Fire happen in?September





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