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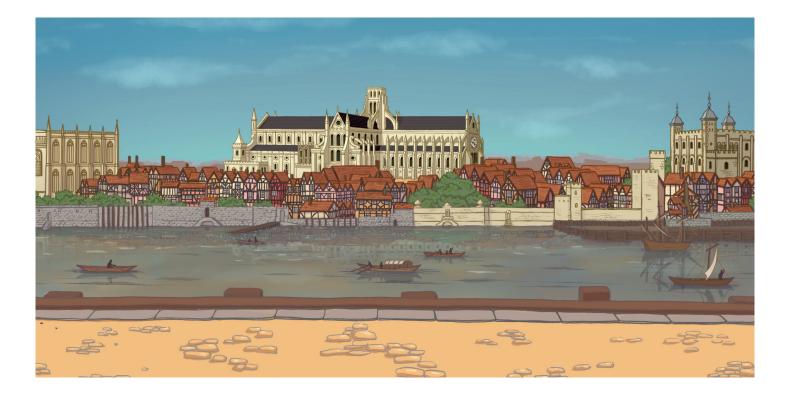
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What was life like in 17th-century London? Answers





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- 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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