



Blurb: It's 1666 and Vlad the flea and his friend Boxton the rat, love eating and biting their way around London. But one night in Pudding Lane they are caught up in a fire that threatens to destroy them, along with most of the City of London. Vlad and the Great Fire of London is a picture book that supports the Key Stage 1 history curriculum. Through Vlad's story and full colour illustrations it shows how the fire is believed to have started, how it spread and what Londoners did to fight it and escape it. This illustrated story of the Great Fire of 1666 includes a fact file about the fire.

Mrs Simpson's Book Review: Excellent introduction to history for a seven year old. I thought the reference to Samuel Pepys was a clever ploy to extend a child's knowledge of events at the time of the Great Fire. The artwork was excellent in my opinion. Vlad and the Great Fire of London is one of my favourite picture books. It is all about a rat and a flea who were sleeping in Pudding Lane when the Great Fire of London began. Boxton and his tiny friend Vlad tried their best to escape the fire but on their journey, they uncovered many events which will show you what really happened during the fire. They even see some people that you may recognise.

This story is very funny and I love the illustrations too.

I would definitely recommend this book.

Recommended age: 3-9 years