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# QUESTION: How can I encourage my child's speech and language?

Talk frequently, read stories, sing songs, respond to sounds, and engage in meaningful, playful interactions daily.



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September 2nd is the 359th anniversary of the Great Fire of London, so Coltale's been reading "Toby and The Great Fire Of London (Hopscotch: Histories)" by Margaret Nash. Can you spot the river, the goats and Mr Pepys in the pictures?





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# DID YOU KNOW?

Pudding Lane is where the Great Fire of London started in a bakery in 1666, and it is now a small street in London.

In the 1600's with around 350,000 inhabitants London was the largest city in Britain and third largest in the world.



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Use red dough to create a small fire. Role-play rescuing people or animals from the fire.



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# GETACTIVE



Take a walk to Pudding Lane. Talk about what you can see on the way. Are the buildings old or new?