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Content domain: Content Domain: I predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.

How did the fire spread?



The fire spread quickly through the narrow streets. Flames leapt easily from one wooden building to the next. A strong wind helped the fire burn even faster. Soon, it was out of control.



The fire spread towards the River Thames. It reached **warehouses** along the river, where lots of oil and **tar** were stored. These burned very easily and at high temperatures.

Below you can see some answers to questions about The Great Fire of London. All the questions were about the text above but they have been mixed up. Cut out the questions and answers below and match them up.

Questions	Answers
Why did the fire spread?	The wind
What helped the fire spread quickly?	The River Thames
Where did the fire spread towards?	Oil and tar
What was stored at the warehouses?	The streets were narrow