What was it like in the Little Ice Age in London?

Research Exercise – Recommended Sources

Personal Accounts

Pepys diaries http://www.pepysdiary.com/

Charles Dickens ‘a Christmas Carol’ http://literature.org/authors/dickens-charles/christmas-carol/

Use the TEMPEST database to search for records from the period, either in London (which falls in the ‘national’ region), or for another location.

A summary of frost fairs: http://thames.me.uk/s00051.htm#top

Images

http://www.nga.gov/content/ngaweb/features/slideshows/the-little-ice-age.html#slide_2 (these are actually pictures from the Netherlands, which has a similar climate)


http://www.historic-uk.com/HistoryUK/HistoryofEngland/The-Thames-Frost-Fairs/

Data

Central England Temperature Record http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/hadobs/hadcet/

From http://thames.me.uk/s00051.htm#top