

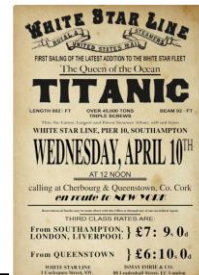
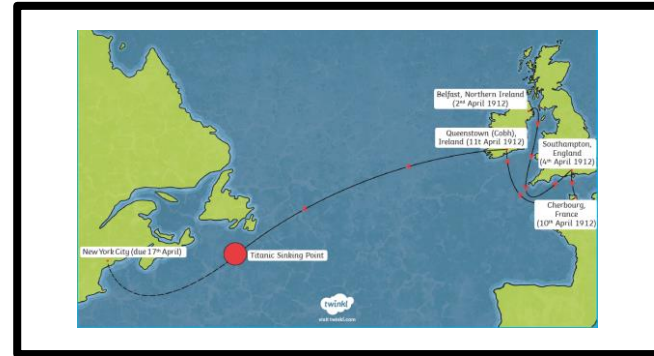
Knowledge Organiser: Titanic

iceberg	A huge block of ice floating in the sea.
sink	The opposite of float. Falling to the bottom of the water.
lifeboat	A small, emergency boat.
Captain	Someone in charge of the ship.
First Class	The most luxurious package on the ship.
Second Class	Not as luxurious as first class.
Third class	Not as luxurious as second class.
Maiden voyage	The first journey a ship makes.
passenger	Somebody who pays to travel on a boat.



The Titanic

- iceberg
- Titanic
- propeller
- lifebelt
- lifeboat
- Atlantic
- New York
- first class
- unsinkable
- passengers
- second class
- sink
- Captain Edward J. Smith
- collision
- survivors
- third class
- disaster
- White Star Line



Key Facts

The Titanic was a British passenger liner. She was the largest ship of her time. She carried over 2,000 passengers and crew.

She was on her first voyage from Southampton, UK to New York City, US.

She never arrived in New York.

The Titanic sank in the North Atlantic Ocean on 15th April 1912 after hitting an iceberg.

Around 1,500 people died when the Titanic sank making it one of the worst ocean disasters in modern history.

The Wreckage

The wreckage of the Titanic still lays on the ocean floor in the North Atlantic Ocean.

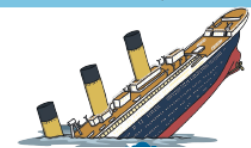
The Titanic wreck was discovered in 1985 by a French and American expedition.

It was discovered that the Titanic had actually split in half. The front and back of the ship were found nearly 2,000 feet apart.

Since then, there have been more dives and many artefacts from the Titanic have been found.

The Titanic's wreck is slowly deteriorating and is home to many sea creatures.

It is too deteriorated to raise the ship from the ocean floor so it continues to rust deep under in the sea.



The Titanic Timeline

1908-1909
Work begins on White Star Liner's newest steam ship, Titanic. It will be the largest steam ship ever made, and is built in Belfast, Ireland.

April 10th
Passengers arrive in Southampton excited to board the ship. The Titanic sets off on her maiden voyage at midnight.

April 12th - 13th
The Titanic sails through calm waters towards New York. It carries 2,223 people on board.

11:50pm
Water has poured in and risen extremely quickly in the front part of the ship.

12:00am
The captain is told the ship can only stay afloat for a couple of hours. He gives the order to call for help over the radio.

12:05am
The lifeboats are uncovered and passengers and crew get ready on decks. There is only room for half of the people on board in the lifeboats.

12:05am
The first lifeboat is lowered into the water. It leaves out even half full. The first of eight distress rockets are fired.

12:45am
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2:05am
The last lifeboat is lowered in to the water. Over 1,500 people remain stranded on the ship. Titanic's deck becomes steeper and the rear of the ship breaks off.

8:50am
The Carpathia finally travels away from any remaining wreckage and makes its way to New York. She has managed to save only 705 passengers and crew. Most of them are unable to be saved.

12:25am
Lifeboats are loaded with women and children first. Another ship, the Carpathia, picks up the distress call about 58 miles away and sails as quickly as possible to help her.

2:20am
The remaining ship levels out for a few moments before slowly falling with more water. The water bulks the ship back high into the air before pulling it under. Remaining passengers are stranded in the icy waters. Most of them are unable to be saved.