

History - The Titanic

Innovation



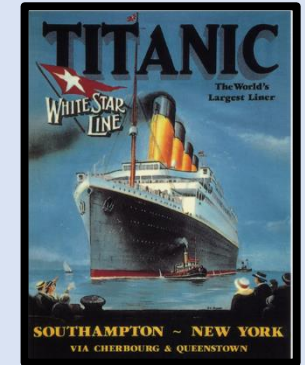
Key concepts:

- To investigate and interpret the past.
- To build an overview of world history
- To understand chronology
- To communicate historically.

Sticky Knowledge

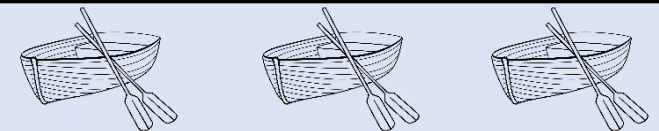
- Construction of the Titanic began in Belfast, Ireland on 31st March 1909. It took three years to build.
- Its first voyage (known as the maiden voyage) began on 10th April 1912.
- The Titanic was 269 metres long. At the time, the Titanic was the largest moving object in the world!
- Titanic's maiden voyage began in Southampton in England with the intended destination of New York in America.
- A total of 2224 people travelled on the Titanic on her maiden voyage.
- The ship was split into first, second and third class passengers who experienced different conditions.
- On 14th April 1912, the Titanic struck an iceberg in the North Sea and started to sink.
- People tried to escape on lifeboats but there were not enough for everyone on the ship.
- Around 1500 people drowned in the icy waters.
- The unsinkable ship lay at the bottom of the ocean.

Civilisation



Vocabulary

Maiden Voyage	The first journey of a ship.
Liner	A large, luxurious passenger ship used on a regular route (line)
Passenger	A person who is travelling on a mode of transport other than the driver.
Emigrate	To permanently move to a different country.
Iceberg	Ice that has broken off from glaciers and is floating in open water.
Lifeboat	A small boat kept on a ship to be used in an emergency.



? Learning Questions ?

How do we find out about the past?

What was the Titanic?

What was life like on the Titanic?

How did the unsinkable Titanic sink?

Why was the sinking of the Titanic important?

