

## **Titanic Fact File**



- Titanic departed Southampton on April 10<sup>th</sup> 1912 on her maiden voyage to New York.
- Titanic was built at Harland & Wolff shipyard in Ireland.
- Titanic was 269.1 metres long.
- Titanic was 28 metres wide and 53.3 metres high.
- Titanic hit the iceberg on 14<sup>th</sup> April 1912. She sank in the very early hours of the morning on April 15<sup>th</sup>.
- The iceberg struck the starboard (right) side of the ship.
- There were 2,223 people aboard Titanic on her maiden voyage to New York.
- There were 706 Titanic survivors.
- The temperature of the sea in the North Atlantic at the time the Titanic sunk was -2°C.
- Only 10% of the iceberg was visible above sea level.
- Titanic had 9 decks.
- There were 18 lifeboats on Titanic, with only enough room for half the people aboard.
- The average life expectancy once in the water was only 15 minutes.
- Titanic received 7 ice warnings before the collision.