



St Leo's and Southmead  
Catholic Nursery and Primary  
School

Year  
Two

## History Knowledge Organiser

Autumn  
Term

# The Titanic

### Key Concepts

- The Titanic was built in Belfast
- The Titanic was owned by the White Star Shipping company.
- The Titanic set sail from Southampton on April the 10-1912.
- The passengers on board the Titanic were of different classes
- First class passengers included wealthy business owners and famous people
- Third class passengers were poor and many were emigrating
- After leaving Belfast the Titanic travelled to Liverpool before arriving in Southampton.
- During its maiden voyage the Titanic visited Cherbourg France and Queenstown Ireland.
- The Titanic sank in the North Atlantic Ocean after hitting an iceberg.
- The Titanic sank on the 15- April 1912.
- There was not enough lifeboats and over 1500 people died in the tragedy.

### Skills

- To sequence events leading up to and after the sinking of the Titanic
- To use pictures, books, extracts and online materials to research and gather answers to questions posed.
- To understand and use words relating to the passing of time.
- To identify similarities and differences between then and now.



### Curriculum Links

**Literacy Link:** Opportunities for the children to use books and websites to research.

**Computing Link:** Opportunities for the children to use the internet to research information on the Titanic.

**Design Technology Link:** The children will use reclaimed materials to construct a model Titanic

### Amazing Activities

To visit the Titanic exhibition in the Liverpool Maritime Museum.

To use materials to make a model Titanic.



### Key Vocabulary

Key Vocabulary	Definition
Captain	A Captain is the person in command of a ship
Crew	Crew are a group of people who work on and operate a ship or aircraft
Iceberg	An iceberg is a large floating piece of ice broken off from a glacier.
Lifeboat	A lifeboat is a small boat kept on a ship for use in an emergency.
Passenger	A passenger is a person who is travelling on transport other than the driver.
Propeller	A propeller is a spinning set of blades that turn quickly in the water and cause the ship to move.
Titanic	The name of the luxury passenger liner that was the largest man-made moveable object ever built.
Voyage	a long by journey across land, sea or space