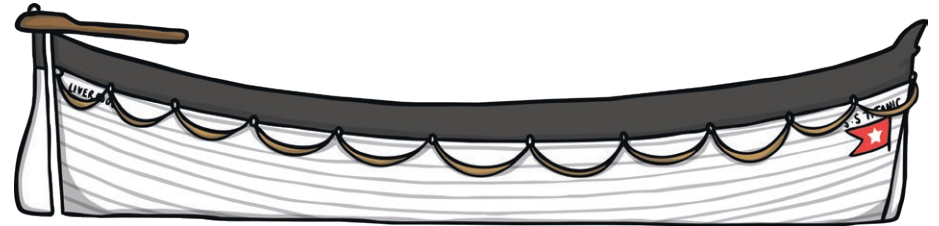


The Titanic Fact Cards



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The Titanic has 20 life boats with a capacity of 1178 people, only enough to hold half of the passengers. During the disaster some life boats were only filled half full.



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The food items recorded when the ship set sail included 40, 000 eggs, 15, 000 pounds of fresh fish, around 40, 000 sausages and 1,000 bottles of wine.



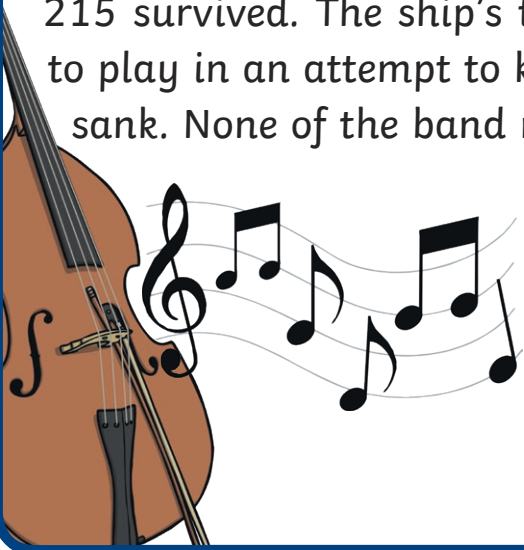
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The Titanic was captained by Edward Smith, born in Hanley, Stoke-on-trent. It is rumoured that he planned to retire after the voyage.



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There were around 900 crew members and only 215 survived. The ship's two bands came together to play in an attempt to keep up spirits as the ship sank. None of the band members survived.



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Capacity: 3537 passengers plus crew.

Weight: 46, 328 tons

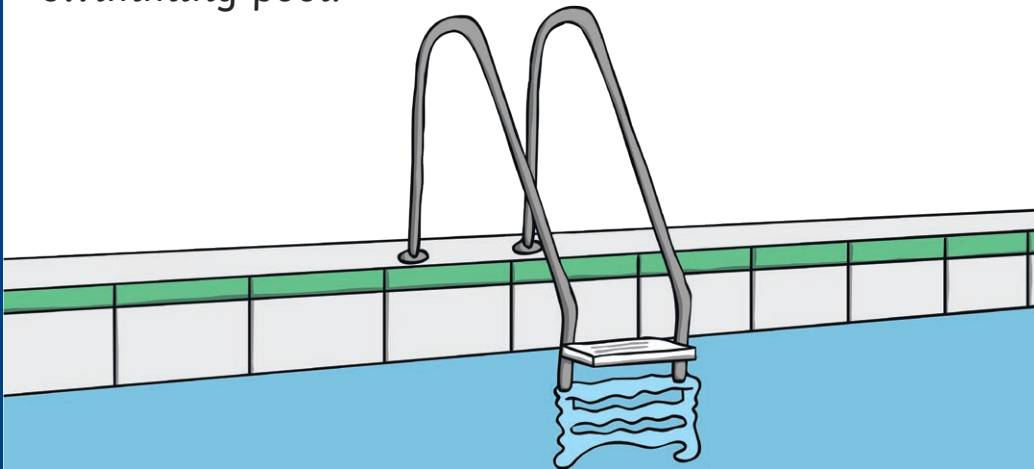
Length: 269 metres

Fuel: 825 tons of coal a day

Top Speed: 23 knots

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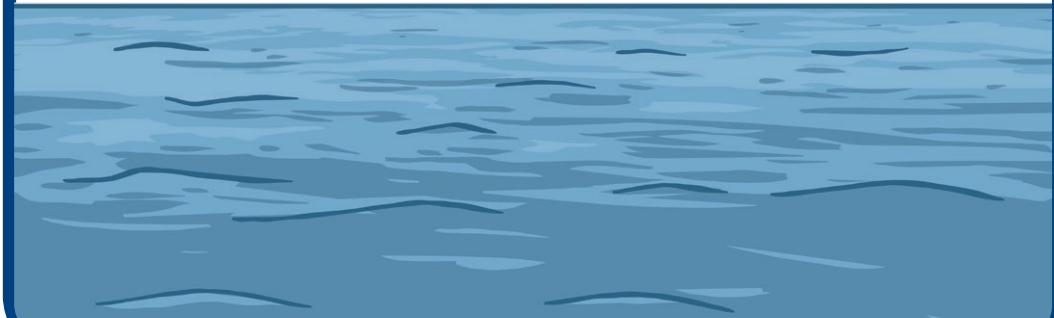
The Titanic was the first ship to contain a heated swimming pool.



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1517 people died in the disaster. Out of those only 306 bodies were recovered from the sea.

The largest proportion of survivors came from first class.



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Directions were given that women and children should board the life boats first. Even so, a number of men were reported as survivors whilst a large number of women and children were lost.



Women and children first!

The Titanic Fact Cards



14th April 2012 was the 100th anniversary of the disaster. Can you work out what year the Titanic sank?

The Titanic Fact Cards

When passengers boarded on April 10th 1912, they found the paint was still wet in some places because it was so new!



The Titanic Fact Cards

The lost property over 3000 bags of post, 5 grand pianos and an automobile.

