

# Titanic Worksheet



1 Why is the Titanic famous ?



2 Where did the Titanic start ?



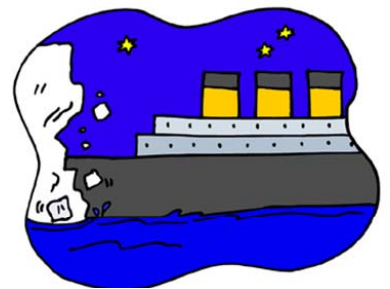
3 What did it cross ?



4 Where was it going to?



5 What is the sailor doing?



6 What happened ?



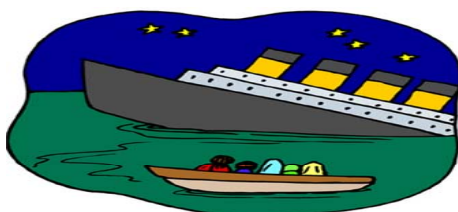
7 And then?



8 Who got into the lifeboats ?



9 What happened to many people ?



10 Why didn't they go back to rescue the drowning people ?

**Label the pictures with the following vocabulary.**

lifeboat, women, afraid, cold, children, drowning sailor, iceberg, sinking, sank, right ahead, unsinkable accident, hit, iceberg,

## Answers and script

- 1 The Titanic was supposed to be unsinkable but it hit an iceberg, sank and many people drowned.
- 2 It started its journey in England (Southampton).
- 3 It crossed the Atlantic Ocean.
- 4 It was going to New York.
- 5 He is warning about an iceberg ahead.
- 6 The Titanic hit an iceberg.
- 7 Then it sank.
- 8 Women and children.
- 9 Many people drowned.
- 10 They were afraid the drowning people would try to climb into the boats and the boats would tip over and everyone would drown.

The Titanic was supposed to be unsinkable, but it hit an iceberg, sank, and many people drowned. It started its journey, in England, Southampton, on April 10, 1912. It crossed the Atlantic Ocean, and was going to New York. The lookout warned about an iceberg ahead, at 11:45 PM, on April 14. The Titanic hit an iceberg 37 seconds later. Passengers were told of the situation, and they were told to put on life jackets. The Titanic began to sink at 2:20 AM on April 15. The lifeboats were launched, but there were not enough for all the passengers. So, only women and children, were asked to get into the lifeboats. While it was sinking, the Titanic's band continued to play. After 2 hours and 40 minutes, the Titanic disappeared beneath the surface of the water. Many passengers fell, or jumped, into the icy ocean. The lifeboats began to search for survivors. However, they were afraid, the drowning people would try to climb into the boats, and the boats would tip over, and everyone would drown. So, many people, were left in the water to die. Finally, the Titanic's survivors were rescued by other ships.