

The Titanic – Timeline Activity



Cut out and place the events in correct chronological order. Stick them in your book.



9 April 15:12:00 a.m.: The captain is told the ship can only stay afloat for a couple of hours. He gives order to call for help over the radio.



1 1908-1909 Construction of the Titanic begins in Belfast, Ireland.



11 April 15 12:25 a.m.: Lifeboats are now loading with women and children first. The Carpathia, southeast of the Titanic by about 58 miles, picks up the distress call and immediately heads full speed to the rescue.

18 April 19 to May 25: Several ships are sent to the disaster site to recover bodies. A total of 328 bodies are found floating in the area.



2 1911 The hull of Titanic is successfully launched

8 April 14 11:50 p.m.: Water has poured in and risen 14 feet in the front part of the ship.



13 April 15 2:05 a.m.: The last lifeboat leaves. There are now over 1,500 people left on the ship. The tilt of Titanic's deck grows steeper and steeper.



3 1912 January: Sixteen wooden lifeboats are fitted on board the Titanic