

History Knowledge Organiser: Year 2 Spring 2 - Titanic



What we already know:

- The Great Fire of London started in a bakery in Pudding Lane in London.
- The fire lasted 4 days and burnt down lots of homes
- At this time, most homes were made of wood and straw and were built close together along narrow streets.

Key Vocabulary:

- Titanic
- Cruise Liner
- First Class, Second Class and Third Class.
- Survivor
- Life boats
- Atlantic Ocean
- Eyewitness
- RMS 'Royal Mail Steamer'
- Voyage
- Source
- Maritime

What we are going to learn:

- The first voyage of the Titanic was intended to go from Southampton to New York.
- Edward John Smith was the captain of the Titanic.
- The Titanic hit an iceberg and sank.
- Some people survived when the Titanic sank but more people died.
- The builders thought the Titanic was unsinkable.
- Titanic took 3 hours to sink.
- Women, children and first class passengers were the main survivors.
- There were only 20 lifeboats on board, not enough for everyone.
- The Titanic disaster changed many maritime laws.

What we are going to learn next time:

- Florence cleaned the hospital and improved conditions for the patients.
- Florence was awarded the Royal Red Cross for her nursing.
- Mary volunteered to help as a nurse during the Crimean War but was turned down due to her skin colour.
- Mary set up a hotel, restaurant and general store for soldiers on the front line.