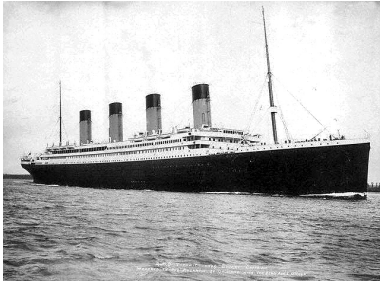
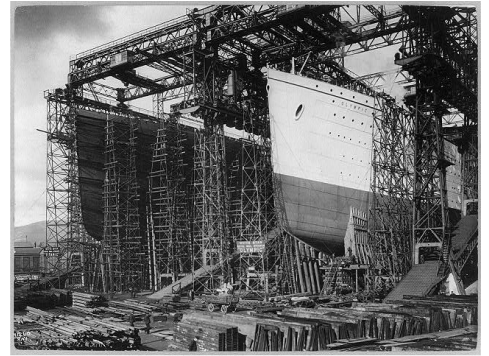


The Titanic Timeline

March 31, 1909: Construction of the Titanic began in Belfast, Northern Ireland. It was one of the largest and most luxurious ships ever built.



April 10, 1912: The Titanic embarked on its maiden voyage from Southampton, England. It was a journey filled with excitement as passengers boarded the magnificent ship.



Titanic and Olympic being built

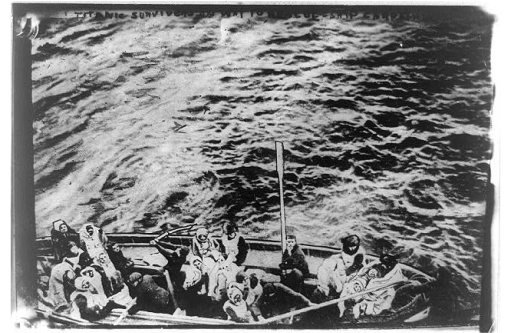
April 14, 1912: At around 11:40 PM, the Titanic struck an iceberg in the North Atlantic Ocean. The collision caused severe damage to the ship's hull.

April 15, 1912: Just a few hours later, at 2:20 AM, the Titanic sank beneath the icy waters. More than 1,500 passengers and crew members lost their lives in this tragic event.

April 15, 1912: At 4:00 AM, the survivors of the Titanic disaster were rescued by the ship Carpathia, which had rushed to their aid after receiving the distress signals.

September 1, 1985: The wreckage of the Titanic was discovered on the ocean floor by Dr. Robert Ballard and Jean-Louis Michel. It had lain there, hidden in the depths, for 73 years.

December 19, 1997: The film "Titanic," directed by James Cameron and starring Leonardo DiCaprio and Kate Winslet, was released. It became a huge hit and brought the story of the Titanic back into the public eye.



Titanic survivors approaching the Carpathia

April 12, 2012: The 100th anniversary of the Titanic's maiden voyage was commemorated with events and memorial services around the world.

1. What is the text structure of this passage?

description / cause and effect / compare and contrast / problem and solution / sequence

2. When did the Titanic strike an iceberg? _____

3. Which ship rescued the survivors of the Titanic? _____