

29th July 1908

The design  
for Titanic  
was approved.



31st March 1909

The keel  
of Titanic  
was laid.



31st May 1911

12 Noon

The hull of  
Titanic was  
successfully  
launched.



January 1912

16 wooden  
lifeboats were  
fitted on  
board.



31st March 1912

The fitting  
of Titanic was  
completed.



2nd April 1912

6 am

Titanic  
began sea  
trials.



3rd April 1912

Titanic  
arrived in  
Southampton



10th April 1912

12 Noon

The Titanic set  
sail and began  
her maiden  
voyage.



10th April 1912

6.30 pm

Titanic reached  
Cherbourg,  
France.



11th April 1912

Titanic  
reached  
Queenstown,  
Ireland.



12-13th April 1912

Titanic  
sailed through  
calm waters.



14th April 1912

Seven iceberg  
warnings were  
received during  
the day.



**14th April 1912**

11.38 pm

Lookout Frederick  
Fleet spotted an  
iceberg dead  
ahead.



**14th April 1912**

11.40 pm

Titanic struck  
the iceberg on  
the starboard  
side.



**14th April 1912**

11.50 pm

Water had risen  
14 feet in the  
front of the  
ship.



**15th April 1912**

12 am

The captain was told  
that the ship would sink.  
He gave the order to  
send out the distress  
call.



**15th April 1912**

12.05 am

The order was given  
to uncover the lifeboats  
and to get the  
passengers and crew  
on deck.



**15th April 1912**

12.25 am

The Carpathia,  
58 miles away,  
heard the distress  
call.



**15th April 1912**

12.45 am

The first lifeboat  
was lowered with  
only 28 people  
inside (it could  
hold 65).



**15th April 1912**

2.05 am

The last lifeboat left  
the ship.  
1,500 people were  
left on board.



**15th April 1912**

2.17 am

The last radio  
message was sent.  
The captain announced  
'Every man for  
himself'.



**15th April 1912**

2.20 am

The Titanic filled with  
water and sank.  
People in the water  
slowly froze  
to death.



**15th April 1912**

3.30 am

Carpathia's  
rockets were  
spotted by  
survivors.



**15th April 1912**

4.10 am

The first lifeboat  
was picked up by  
the Carpathia.



**15th April 1912**

8.50 am

The Carpathia left  
the area bound for  
New York with  
705 survivors.



**18th April 1912**

The Carpathia  
arrived in  
New York.



**19th April - 25th  
May 1912**

American  
enquiry into the  
disaster was  
held.



**22nd April - 15th  
May 1912**

Ships were sent to the  
disaster site to recover  
bodies.  
328 bodies were  
found.



**2nd May - 3rd  
July 1912**

British Board  
of Trade enquiry  
into the disaster  
was held.

