

Before Watching Worksheet: 1. Sailing From Southampton

Watch/Listen



Quick Check True or False

1. *RMS Titanic* first sailed from Southampton in April 1912.
2. All the passengers were very rich.
3. Some passengers were emigrating to the USA
4. Some were emigrating to the UK.
5. People called *RMS Titanic* 'the unsinkable ship'.

Complete the gaps with the words below

RMS Titanic began her maiden (1)... from Southampton. On (2)... were some of the richest people in the world. There were also many (3)... and poorer (4)... emigrating to the USA. They had (5)... in third class, on the lower decks of the ship

RMS Titanic was the biggest ocean (6)... in the world. She had the most (7)... safety features then (8)....

modern * cabins * liner * available * younger * voyage * passengers * board

Comprehension

1. When did *RMS Titanic* sail from Southampton
2. Who was John Jacob Astor?

There is also a short quiz to check comprehension [here](#):

Writing

Imagine you are one of the crowd at Southampton as she sails away. Write your diary entry. You could mention the following:

* luxury on board * rich/famous passengers * poorer passengers * safety