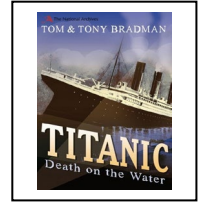


## Year 8 Spring Term Learning Extension Tasks

### Titanic: Death on the Water



#### Instructions

1. Choose which learning extension tasks you would like to do. You should choose at least two. One to be completed before February half term and the other before the Easter holidays.
2. Complete your learning extension tasks at home and then bring them in to school before the Learning Showcase event. If you can't bring them in to school, then take a photograph and share it with your teacher.

All of the learning extension tasks that have been completed will be shared with parents, staff and other pupils through the Learning Showcase event. We can't wait to celebrate your work!

Task(s) I have chosen (✓)	Homework Tasks
	Make a leaflet to give out to passengers telling them what is available to them when they come on board Titanic, e.g., a swimming pool, dining facilities and a gym!
	Write a diary entry about being a passenger on board Titanic's maiden voyage.
	Create a timeline of the events of the sinking, showing the forces involved and how they changed as Titanic fell to the ocean floor.
	Design a life jacket using materials that would help someone stay afloat and stay warm in cold water. Think carefully about properties of different materials.
	Find out how many countries have links to the Titanic (where she was built, set sail from, docked at, countries that have Titanic museums) and mark these locations on a map of the world. Don't forget to include a key.
	Research how the Titanic changed Belfast in the 1900s when she was built and how the Titanic Museum has changed Belfast in recent years.
	Research the passenger Molly Brown and explain why she earned the nickname 'The Unsinkable Molly Brown'.
	Create a timeline showing the key events and what happened during the Titanic's journey from Southampton before her demise in the Atlantic Ocean.
	Research what is happening to the Titanic as it sits on the ocean floor, what condition scientists expected to find the wreck in and what is actually happening to it and why.
	Research the accurate historical details of the Titanic's voyage and write a newspaper report about the building of the mighty Titanic. Don't forget to use the correct layout.
	Research and complete a fact file on icebergs – what is the biggest ever recorded, what interesting facts can you find out about them? How are they formed?
	Design and make a model of RMS Titanic. You can use any type of material that you want for your model. Try to include accompanying explanatory notes.
	Find out about the food on board Titanic. Design a menu for 1st, 2nd or 3rd Class passengers. Cook one of these dishes and bring into class.
	Design and create your own lifeboat and see how many marbles it can hold safely in a tub of water. Can you design a lifeboat which safely carries 20 marbles?

We hope that you really enjoy working on these tasks at home; we can't wait to see your completed tasks!