

# SHIP OF DREAMS

## GUIDED TOUR: ROI - 5TH & 6TH CLASS



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EDUCATION



*Ship of Dreams* is a 90 minute highlight tour especially designed for education visitors which uses a live guide and headsets to enrich your learning experience. Your trained guide will steer you through the galleries, helping you and your students focus on the

story of Titanic; from why she was designed, how she was built and her luxurious fit-out, right up to the story of her wreck's discovery. You'll be guided to appropriate activities, hear stories about her passengers and crew and reflect on the tragedy of her loss.

The following are a selection of the curriculum targets this tour will support;

### History

- Working as an Historian - Using Evidence
- Working as an Historian - Cause and Effect
- Stories from the lives of people in the past - attitudes and motivations of characters in their historical context
- Stories from the lives of people in the past - become aware of the lives of people from different social, cultural, ethnic and religious backgrounds, including the lives of 'ordinary' as well as 'more famous' people
- Eras of conflict and change - the reactions of people to changes and issues they faced
- Story - listen to local people telling stories about their past
- Life, society, work and culture in the past - people at work
- Life, society, work and culture in the past - become familiar with technologies which people developed and their influence on the lives of people
- Continuity and change over time - workshops and factories
- Life, society, work and culture in the past - life of workers in 19th (and early 20th) century industrial towns
- Continuity and change over time - transport
- Life, society, work and culture in the past - migration and emigration
- Continuity and change over time - communications

## English

- Developing receptiveness to oral language
- Developing reading strategies
- Developing competence and confidence in using language by practising reading for information
- Developing interests, attitudes, information retrieval skills and the ability to think.
- Begin to be aware of how different media present information, ideas and events in different ways

## Geography

- Develop some familiarity with, and engage in practical use of, maps and photographs of different scales and purposes

## PSHE

- Myself and the Wider World - Media Education

**Pupils who take a *Ship of Dreams* tour will leave with a better understanding of the story of RMS Titanic and a richer empathy for the people involved with her in various capacities. They will have a greater appreciation of the skill required to design and build her and to fit her out. *Ship of Dreams* seeks to help students connect more with the historical reality of the story rather than the fictional myths and cinematic representations with which the wider public are more familiar.**