## Grade 2 Reading History "The Journey of the Titanic"

Long ago, in the year 1912, a grand and luxurious ship set sail on its maiden voyage. It was called the RMS Titanic, and it was said to be the most magnificent ship ever built. People from all over the world were excited to travel on this incredible vessel.

The Titanic was enormous, with many floors filled with elegant rooms, dining halls, and even a grand staircase. It had everything one could dream of on a ship, including restaurants, libraries, and even a swimming pool.

On April 10, 1912, the Titanic began its journey from Southampton, England, and made stops in Cherbourg, France, and Queenstown, Ireland, to pick up more passengers. There were people from different countries on board, each with their own stories and dreams.

However, tragedy struck on the night of April 14, 1912, when the Titanic hit an iceberg in the icy waters of the North Atlantic Ocean. The impact caused the ship to start sinking. It was a dark and terrifying night for everyone on board.

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### **Multiple Choice Questions:**

1.	When	did	the	Titanic	set sail	on	its	maiden	voyage?
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- A. 1920
- B. 1912
- C. 1935
- D. 1898
- 2. What was the Titanic known for?
  - A. Being a small ship
  - B. Being the most magnificent ship ever built
  - C. Carrying only cargo
  - D. Having no passengers
- 3. How many floors did the Titanic have?
  - A. 3
  - B. 10
  - C. 5
  - D. Many floors with elegant rooms
- 4. Where did the Titanic make its last stop before the tragic event?
  - A. Southampton, England
  - B. New York, USA
  - C. Cherbourg, France
  - D. Queenstown, Ireland
- 5. What caused the sinking of the Titanic?
  - A. A thunderstorm
  - B. Hitting an iceberg
  - C. Engine failure
  - D. Running out of fuel

#### **Answers- Reading History Prompt**

#### Question 1:

• **Answer:** B - 1912

• **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "On April 10, 1912, the Titanic began its journey from Southampton, England" Therefore, B is the right answer for this question.

#### Question 2:

• **Answer:** B - Being the most magnificent ship ever built

• **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "The RMS Titanic, and it was said to be the most magnificent ship ever built." Therefore, B is the right answer for this question.

#### Question 3:

• **Answer:** D - Many floors with elegant rooms

• **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "The Titanic was enormous, with many floors filled with elegant rooms, dining halls, and even a grand staircase." Therefore, D is the right answer for this question.

#### **Question 4:**

• **Answer:** D- Queenstown, Ireland

• **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "On April 10, 1912, the Titanic began its journey from Southampton, England, and made stops in Cherbourg, France, and Queenstown, Ireland, to pick up more passengers." Therefore, D is the right answer for this question.

#### **Question 5:**

• **Answer:** B - Hitting an iceberg

• **Explanation:** Based on information provided in the passage, it states that "However, tragedy struck on the night of April 14, 1912, when the Titanic hit an iceberg in the icy waters of the North Atlantic Ocean." Therefore, B is the right answer for this question.