

Newton and his laws

Worksheet 2 Teacher's notes

ISAAC NEWTON

READING COMPREHENSION – TICK THE STATEMENTS TRUE OR FALSE

1. Isaac Newton was born in Scotland. F
2. His most acclaimed work was *Mathematical Principles of Natural Philosophy*. T
3. His father's name was Isaac. T
4. His mother was married more than once. T
5. Newton entered Cambridge university in 1664. F
6. The Great Plague came to England in 1667. F
7. Newton became a professor in Oxford. F
8. Robert Hooke was one of the original members of the Royal Academy. T
9. There was a big dispute between Hooke and Newton. T
10. In 1687 Newton published *Philosophiæ Naturalis Principia Mathematica*. T
11. Newton fell into another nervous breakdown in 1693. T
12. He died in May 1727, at the age of 85. F