

Tell Us More About Tommy!

What type of plane is Tommy? _____

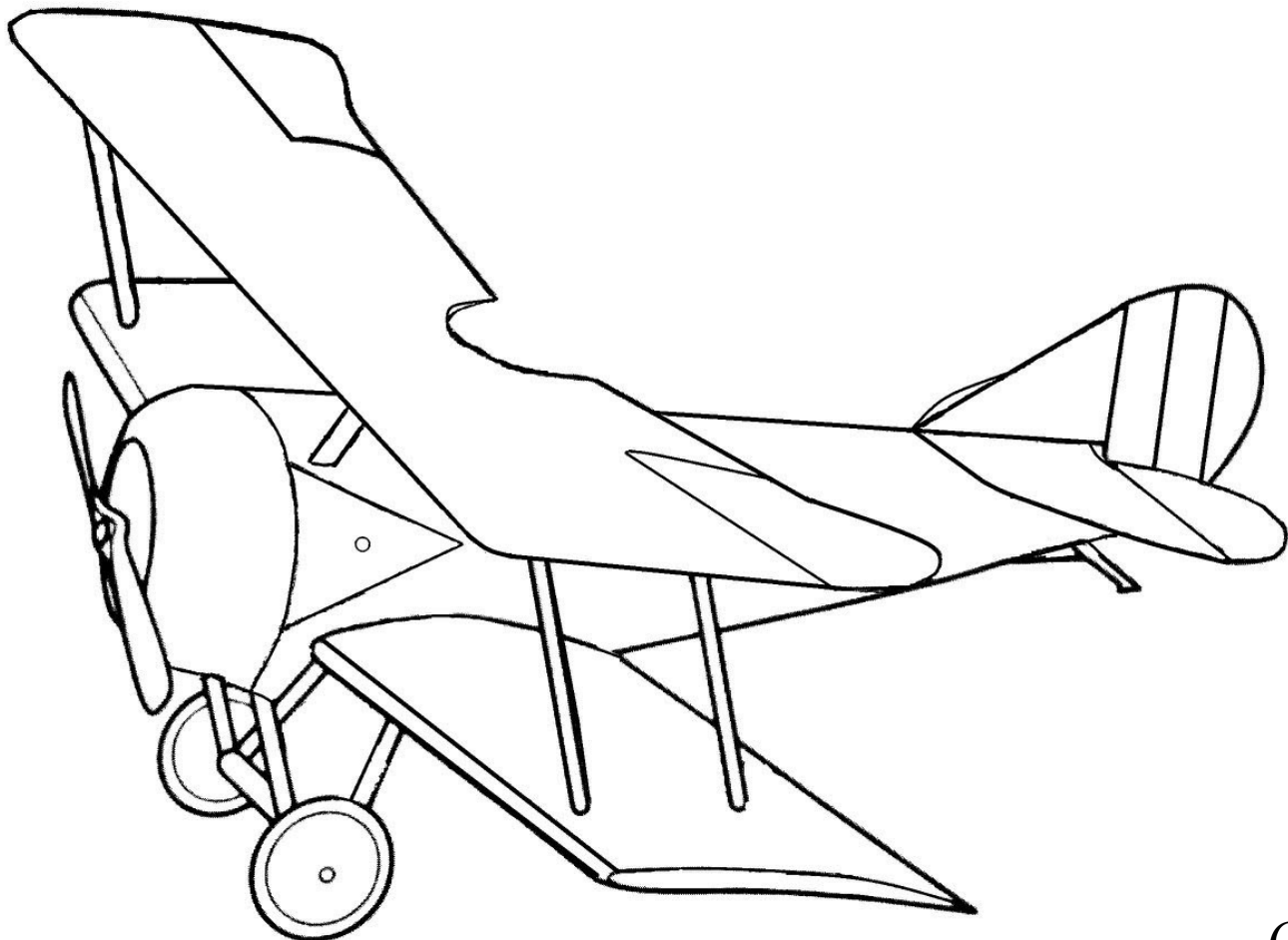
How long is his wingspan? _____

How fast can Tommy fly? _____

When was Tommy first invented? _____

Where was Tommy invented? _____

Write 3 sentences about why Tommy is important to
history:



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What type of plane is Tommy?	Thomas Morse Scout S4-B or S4-C
What is Tommy made of?	Wood, metal, canvas
How fast can Tommy fly?	95 Miles per hour
When was Tommy first invented?	1918
Where was Tommy invented?	Ithaca NY, Thomas Morse Aviation Corporation

Activity Instructions:

The image above is of a Thomas Morse Scout S4-B a plane that was first invented and built by the Thomas Morse Aviation Corporation in Ithaca NY in 1918. This plane (or the S4C model) was used to train every American pilot in the 1920's.

Tell students to research Tommy Plane through these sites and complete the worksheet:

- www.airspacemag.com/history-of-flight/13_sep2018-ithacas-airplane-180969918/
- www.fantasyofflight.com
- www.yanksair.org
- www.skytamer.com