

WARRIORS FACTFILE CHALLENGE

Can you research information about our players and make a Factfile about them? We have created a template you can use to build up your own Factfile and an example using Warriors Women and England Wing Lydia Thompson.

Look on a range of websites to ensure information is accurate:

<https://warriors.co.uk/teams/current/first-team/>

<https://warriors.co.uk/teams/current/worcester-warriors-women/>

For international players you may find information on the websites of their international team – RFU, WRU, SRU etc.

Online encyclopaedias like Wikipedia are useful resources, but they can be edited by anyone.

You will need to find (or draw) a picture, key facts (date of birth, height, weight, honours, position), and then write some more detailed information about the players career.

Can you find a video clip of the player?

When it's done send it to us through our social media or via emailing Maximus@warriors.co.uk and we can send it on to the player!

LYDIA THOMPSON

Date of Birth: 10/02/1992

Place of Birth: Stourbridge, England

Position: Wing

Height: 1.70m

Weight: 70kg

International Honours: England 46 Caps, (27 tries).
England 7's

Rugby World Cup - Winner 2014, 2nd Place 2017

6 Nations - Winner 2017

World Player of the Year nomination - 2017

Commonwealth Games - Bronze Medal 2018



Lydia Thompson played junior rugby for Worcester RFC before joining the senior team in 2012.

She made her debut for England vs Spain in 2012 and scored a hat-trick of tries. Lydia was a member of England's World Cup winning team in 2014, scoring 2 tries against Samoa before missing the later part of the tournament because of injury.

In 2017 she helped England to win the 6 Nations Grand Slam, scoring 3 tries against Wales in Cardiff and 1 against Ireland in Dublin. She was then selected for England's World Cup squad, who eventually finished runners up to New Zealand. Lydia scored 5 tries in 4 games, including a try against New Zealand in the final in Belfast. Her performances in 2017 led to her being nominated as World Rugby Women's Player of the Year.

In 2018 Lydia focussed on sevens where she won a Bronze Medal for England in the Commonwealth Games in Australia after helping the team beat Canada 24-19 in the Bronze Medal Match.

In 2019 Lydia missed England's 6 Nations campaign through injury, but she returned to the squad for the Summer Super series in the USA and the 2020 6 Nations.

[Lydia Thompson v New Zealand, 2017 World Cup Final](#)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1MnhKNUvnW8>

