



Topic: Florence Nightingale

Year: 2

Strand: the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements, some should be used to compare aspects of life in different periods

What should I already know?

- I should have heard of the **Victorian** Times.
- I should know that hospitals have changed a lot over the years.
- I should know that there have been wars fought in the past.

Historical skills and Enquiry

- Who was Queen when **Florence Nightingale** did her work?
- Can you name the things that **Florence** changed about nursing?
- How was **Florence** different to other women in **Victorian** times?
- What was **Florence's** nickname?
- What is **Florence's** legacy?

Important facts that I will learn

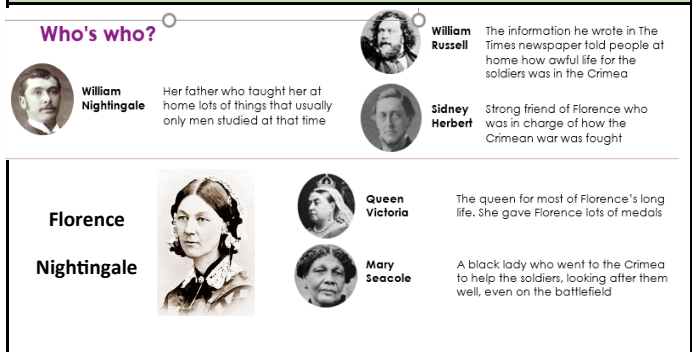
Having studied this topic you should be able to understand:

1. Florence is a famous nurse remembered for her work helping soldiers get better in the Crimean war. She became known as the Lady of the Lamp.
2. She got rid of the dirt, cleaned the sheets and made everyone wash their hands. She was very well organised and knew how to get things done
3. After the war Florence really improved hospitals at home.
4. Her work training nurses was really important. Nurses have to obey her rules on how to be a good nurse, even today.
5. She wrote lots of books on nursing which were easy to read.
6. She is remembered today and medals with her name on are given to nurses, even though she died over 100 years ago

Vocabulary

Crimea	Part of Russia where a war was fought between Britain and France and Turkey on one side and Russia on the other
Hygiene hygienic-	Making things clean - <i>opposite unhygienic</i>
Infection	When germs get in a wound and make you ill
Injured	Painful cut or shot that had to be mended
Medicine	Special type of drink to make you better
Sanitation	Keeping things clean, especially by washing
Scutari	The place in the Crimea where Florence had her hospital
Soldier	Man who fought in an army
Ward	Parts of hospitals with beds for injured soldiers
Wound (say woo-nd)	Normally a bad cut

Diagrams



Time line

