Year 2 History Knowledge Organiser Term 3 2024

Mary Seacole was a nurse. Her mother was Jamaican and her father was Scottish. She travelled from Jamaica to look after wounded soldiers on the battlefield in the Crimean War. She set up a hospital called the British Hotel to look after soldiers.

Florence Nightingale was a nurse. She made hospitals cleaner for patients and looked after soldiers in the Crimean War. She set up the Nightingale Training School for nurses in 1860.

We will be learning about Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole as pioneering nurses from the past. We will make comparisons between the two ladies and look at the impact they had on modern day nursing.

Key Vocabulary

Accuracy
Bravery
Comparison
Compassion
Cause and effect
Gender
Nationality
Nurse
Patient
Pioneer
Prejudice
Primary sources
Reliable
Secondary sources
Significant
Similarity and difference
Skills
War

Our History lessons will work on developing good enquiry skills. We will look at different sources of information and think about the reliability and usefulness of each source, considering how we know about things that happened in the past.

Timeline

1853
Florence becomes a nurse.
Crimean War starts.

1856
The Crimean War ends. Mary returns to England.

1855
Mary Seacole pays for herself to travel to treat soldiers in the Crimean War.

1861
Mary Seacole dies.

1914
First World War breaks out.

1820
Florence Nightingale is born.

1805
Mary Seacole is born.

1854
Florence goes to nurse soldiers in the Crimean War.

1860
Florence sets up her nursing school.

1910
Florence Nightingale dies.