

Topic: Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole
Year 2

What I should already know	Key Dates	Vocabulary																	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nurses and doctors are people who help you when you are hurt or poorly. London is the capital city of England 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Crimean War was in 1854 until 1856. In 1854 Mary Seacole used her own money to travel to the Crimea. In 1854 Florence Nightingale led a team of nurses to the Crimea. 	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>nurse</td> <td>A person trained to care for a sick or injured person.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Herbal</td> <td>A mixture made with natural herbs.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jamaica</td> <td>A small island</td> </tr> <tr> <td>British Hotel</td> <td>A hut made of metal sheets where soldiers could rest, eat and drink.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>battlefield</td> <td>Where a battle takes place.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Crimean War</td> <td>A war between Russia and the United Kingdom, France and Turkey.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Medals</td> <td>An award for an achievement</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Scutari</td> <td>The site of a British Army hospital</td> </tr> </table>	nurse	A person trained to care for a sick or injured person.	Herbal	A mixture made with natural herbs.	Jamaica	A small island	British Hotel	A hut made of metal sheets where soldiers could rest, eat and drink.	battlefield	Where a battle takes place.	Crimean War	A war between Russia and the United Kingdom, France and Turkey.	Medals	An award for an achievement	Scutari	The site of a British Army hospital	
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Timeline of Events

1805 Mary Seacole was born

1820 Florence Nightingale was born

1854 The Crimean War began. Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole travel to the Crimea

1855 Florence received a brooch from the Queen

1856 The Crimean War ends. Mary Seacole receives medals.

