

# Year 2 : Florence Nightingale

What should I already know?

- History refers to the passing of time
- Common words related to the passing of time
- How to ask and answer question

History -learning about past events people and decisions

N/C - study of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements

Powerful knowledge

## Significant dates, people and places

1820

Florence Nightingale was born in Florence Italy on May 12<sup>th</sup> - she was named after her place of birth

1837

At the age of 17 she believed she was called into service by God

1851

Florence trained as a nurse in Germany

1854

Florence was named 'Lady of the Lamp' as she cared for people in the night with a lamp in her hand.

1859

The Nightingale Training School was open

1910

Florence Nightingale died on 13<sup>th</sup> August



**Florence Nightingale**

soldier war   
 hospital cleaning   
 lamp clean   
 Red Cross charity   
 medal God   
 Turkey care   
 Scutari injured   
 Crimean War sick

'Lady of the Lamp'

Interesting facts - Florence Nightingale was very good at maths and was the first women to become a member of the Royal Statistical Society.

# Glossary/Key Events

<i>charity</i>	An organisation set up to provide help and raise money for those in need
<i>Crimean War</i>	A war fought between 1853-1856 with Britain France and Turkey on one side and Russia on the other
<i>Soldier</i>	Someone who fights as part of the military.
<i>Who was Florence Nightingale?</i>	She was a famous British Nurse who helped make hospitals more sanitary places and wrote books about how to be a good nurse.
<i>Where was she born?</i>	She was born in the city of Florence in Italy on 12 <sup>th</sup> May 1820
<i>What was she well known for?</i>	She was famous for founding modern nursing and checking on her patients during the night becoming known as the 'Lady of the Lamp'
<i>What was one of her greatest achievements?</i>	She is well remembered as the nurse who looked after wounded soldiers in the Crimean war
<i>Did she marry and have children?</i>	Although she had marriage proposals she never married or had children.

Key people



*Soldiers*



*Florence Nightingale*