

Year Two

Autumn Two

Project overview

Our Heroes

History Unit



How have doctors and nurses overcome challenges to help us?

How have doctors and nurses helped take care of us in the past and present?

National curriculum statements:

- Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally
- Significant historical events
- changes within living memory
- the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements

Knowledge	Skills
The NHS was founded on the 5th of July 1948 under the Labour Governemnt.	Use words and phrases such as: a long time ago, recently, when my parents/carers were children, years, decades and centuries to describe the passing of time.
That Florence Nightingale is regarded the founder of modern nursing. What is nursing?	Show an understanding of how a significate historical event changed how people live today
How Mary Seacole over came challenges to become a key nursing figure.	Use artefacts, pictured, stories, online sources, databases including primary resources to find out about the past.
A nurses role in a hospital setting.	Describe significant people from the past.
Understand the changes in nursing and why	Recognise that there are reasons why people in the past acted as they did.
How the NHS has adapted to deal changing situations	

Key Vocabulary: Nurse doctor NHS Primary Resources Crimean
war medicine

Key Question Ideas

Why is it called the NHS?

What impact has the NHS had on life today?

How did life change since Florence Nightengale?

Suggested Objectives of Learning

OL: Can I interview a nurse and describe their role?

OL: Can I say why the NHS was set up?

OL: Can I explain why Florence Nightengale is seen as the founder of modern nursing?

OL: Can I explain why Mary Seacole is seen as a key nursing figure in the Crimean war?

OL: Can I explain how the NHS supports me?

OL: Can I explain how the NHS has adapted to change?

OL: Can I compare nursing in the Crimean war to now?