

History Healthy Bodies

In this unit, the children will:

- Learn about significant historical figures: Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale and Edith Cavell
- Describe the past using words such as past/present, after/now and then/now.
- Compare the lives of three significant figures.
- Compare hospitals and nursing now and in the past.

Important People

Mary Seacole—A British—Jamaican businesswoman and nurse who set up the 'British Hotel' during the Crimean war.

Florence Nightingale—The founder of modern nursing. She was a manager and trainer of nurses during the Crimean war.

Edith Cavell- SA British nurse who cared for many wounded soldiers during World war 1.

Key Vocabulary

Significant—important or worthy of attention.

Figure—a person

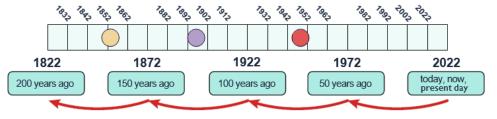
Historical—belonging to the past

Nurse—a person trained to look after other people who are sick

Crimean -a person who lives in Crimea.

War—conflict between different groups.

Compare—to note the similarities and differences between things.



- Florence Nightingale became a nurse in **1851**.
- Edith Cavell became a nurse in
- The NHS (National Health Service) was founded.

What came before?

Year 1: Time Travellers. Queen Victoria and old and new toys

What comes next?

Year 3: Moving to Thrive. The Windrush



