Hidden Heroes: KS1 Knowledge Mat

Subject Specific Vocabulary

Florence Nightingale	Florence Nightingale was a British nurse, who helped the soldiers in the Crimean War.
Crimean War	Crimean War started in 1853 and finished in 1856. It was a war between Russia on one side and Britain, France, Turkey and Sardinia on the other side.
Nurse	A person that is trained to help people who are sick or injured.
Hospital	A place where people go when they are sick, injured or need an operation.
Disease	A disease is an illness that can make people very sick.
Soldiers	Soldiers are men and women that fight in the wars.
Mary Seacole	Mary Seacole was a nurse that set up a hotel to help soldiers.
Hero	A person, who is admired for being brave and courageous.

Other Heroes

Key facts about Florence Nightingale

Florence Nightingale was born on 12th May 1820 in Florence, Italy.

In 1853, Florence became a nurse. But, her father didn't want her to do this as a job.

In 1854, Florence goes to the Crimean War to help the injured soldiers.

In 1860, Florence sets up her own nursing school and trains other people to become nurses.