



Why should we celebrate Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale?

(Main Discipline Focus: Significance)

Who were Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole?

Florence Nightingale was a **nurse**, who found new and special ways to **treat soldiers** in a war

Mary Seacole was a Jamaican / British **nurse** who travelled the world nursing wounded soldiers.



Why do we remember them?

We remember them as they did a lot of work **educating people** about the importance of **keeping hospitals clean** and free from infection.

Where did they work?

In the **Crimea** – Russia
Scutari Hospital in Crimea.

Hospitals in England



What do we remember her for?

Florence **saved many lives** during the Crimean War. She worked to make hospitals safer and cleaner.

Mary travelled the world as a nurse, when many people would be **mistreated because of the colour** of their skin.

When?

Florence 1820 – 1910

Mary – 1805 – 1881

Who was on the throne?



Queen Victoria
and then her son **King Edward VII.**

Key vocabulary

Victorian

Crimean War 1853 and 1856 in Russia.

Britain, France, Turkey Vs Russia.

soldiers army medicine

hospital cleanliness

Heroine A brave woman who we admire.

The lady with the lamp

