

Florence Nightingale: A Hero of History

Learning objective: To identify key items used by Florence Nightingale to improve hospital care.

Follow the steps below to draw Florence Nightingale in the hospital. Use the labels from the word bank to name the items in your drawing.

Draw: Draw a scene inside a hospital ward from the 1850s. Draw Florence Nightingale standing in the centre. She should be holding a lantern (lamp) to light up the dark room. Draw simple wooden beds in rows. The style should be clear and neat, like a historical sketch. Label your drawing using the words from the word bank.



Label words: lamp · nurse · medicine · bandage · bed

Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw Florence Nightingale wearing her nurse's uniform.
2. Step 2: Draw the lamp she held in her hand. Why did she carry it?
3. Step 3: Draw a bed with a soldier resting on it.
4. Step 4: Draw a bandage or medicine on a small table near the bed.