

Florence Nightingale: A Historical Fact-File with Ellie

Learning objective: To identify and record key facts about the life and work of Florence Nightingale.

Hello! I am Ellie the elephant. I love history! Today, we are learning about Florence Nightingale. Use the word bank to help you fill in the boxes below. Write one or two short sentences for each section.

Word bank: nurse · hospital · Scutari · lamp · clean · medicine · hero

1. Who was Florence Nightingale? (Hint: What was her job?) (2 marks)

2. Where did she go to help soldiers during the war? (2 marks)

3. Why did people call her 'The Lady with the Lamp'? (2 marks)

4. What important changes did she make in the hospital? (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Imagine you are a soldier in the hospital. Write one sentence to thank Florence for her help.