Learning Project WEEK 1: Florence Nightingale

Age Range: KS1

Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Working on Numbots - your child will have an individual login to access this.

- Practise counting in 2s, 5s and 10s (Year 2's also need to practise counting in 3's, choose the duck you want to practise the times table of). This game could support this.
- Practise telling the time on a clock with hands. This could be done through this online resource. Read to the hour, half hour and quarter past (year 1). Year 2 you need to use digital clocks too and read to every 5 minutes past and to.
- Choose and write the name of a 2D shape of your choice. List how many sides and corners it has. Is it symmetrical?
- Try these interactive games about shapes on Top Marks.

Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

- Find a book about a nurse or doctor or someone in the emergency services. Can you read the book to someone?
- Read a poem about a nurse. You can read one about Florence Nightingale online here.
- What stories do you like to read when you are ill? Write a list and read one to someone.

Weekly Phonics/Spellings Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Daily phonics - your child to practice their sounds and blend words. Interactive games found on link below.

- Phonics play
- **Top Marks**
- Spelling shed login
- Spell the numbers one up to twenty
- Spell common exception words

Weekly Writing Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Ask your child to:

- Write a comic strip about a nurse.
- Create a list of all of the jobs who are part of the emergency services.
- Invent a story involving a nurse. They could write it out or make a story map. Encourage your child to use story language. You could watch 'I want to be a nurse' for ideas.
- Create a thank you card for your Doctor's surgery or nearest hospital.
- Write a poem or a prayer about nurses and doctors.

This project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about Florence Nightingale.

Who was Florence Nightingale?

Watch **BBC** History Clips to find out more about her.

Read some facts about her here.

And some more facts here.

Read 30 facts here.

Learning Project - to be done throughout the week: Florence Nightingale

Now write a non-chronological report about Florence Nightingale using headings e.g. when did she live? Why was she famous? What did she do after the Crimean War?

What are the Emergency Services?

There are lots of things on Twinkl website about the <u>Emergency Services</u> for KS1. Use the code UKTWINKLHELPS to login for free.

Draw a picture of the different types of emergency services.

Sing some songs or nursery rhymes about different emergency services e.g. London's Burning, Miss Polly had a Dolly who was sick, Doctor Foster went to Gloucester. There are some on Twinkl website too and ones to familiar tunes here.

What is First Aid?

Learn some basic first aid.

Design a poster telling people what to do e.g. how to phone for an ambulance, what to do if you bang your head, what to do if you cut yourself.

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

<u>Classroom Secrets Learning Packs</u> - These packs are split into different year groups and include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home.

<u>Twinkl</u> - to access these resources click on the link and sign up using your own email address and creating your own password. Use the offer code UKTWINKLHELPS.

<u>Headteacherchat</u> - This is a blog that has links to various learning platforms. Lots of these are free to access.

See the <u>Curriculum Support</u> page on our website for more ideas.