Frogwell School Year 2 Knowledge Organiser Term 1 Who were Florence, Mary and Edith and why do we remember them?







Mary Seacole



Edith Cavell

Timeline		
1805	Mary Seacole was born	
1820	Florence Nightingale was born	
1854	The Crimean War began	
1854	Florence and her nurses went to the Crimean war.	
1855	Mary arrived in the Crimea and set up the British Hotel.	
1856	The Crimean War ended	
1860	Florence opened a training school for nurses in London.	
1865	Edith Cavell was born	
1881	Mary Seacole died	
1914	World War One began and Edith went to help soldiers in Belgium	
1915	Edith was killed by the German army for helping soldiers escape.	

Florence Nightingale

- Florence was born in Italy in 1820.
- She trained to be a nurse in Germany.
- She is famous for improving hospitals and saving soldier's lives during the Crimean war.

Mary Seacole

- Mary was born in Jamaica in 1805.
- In 1850, there was a cholera outbreak in Jamaica, where Mary used her medical skills and knowledge.
- In 1854 Mary went to the Crimea to help soldiers in the Crimean war.
- She became known as Mother Seacole because she cared for the soldiers and she was awarded medals for her bravery.
- She died in 1881 in London.

Key Vocabulary		
cholera	A deadly disease caused by using dirty water.	
Crimea	a small part of Ukraine that is controlled by Russia	
Crimean war	A war between Russia and England, France and Turkey	
dehydrated	When someone is very thirsty and needs water	
wounded	Someone who has been injured	
World War One	A famous war from 1914- 1918.	
Remembrance day	A day o to remember people who died in the world war I.	

Edith Cavell

- Edith Cavell was born in 1865.
- In 1890, when Edith was around 25 years old, she went to Belgium to become a governess.
- In 1896, Edith joined the Royal London Hospital to complete her nurse training.
- In 1914, the First World War started.
 There were many battles in Belgium.
- Edith decided to help British, Belgian and French soldiers escape to a safe country.
- In 1915, she was caught by German police. She told the truth about helping the soldiers and was killed.