Year 1 – Summer 1- Nurturing Nurses
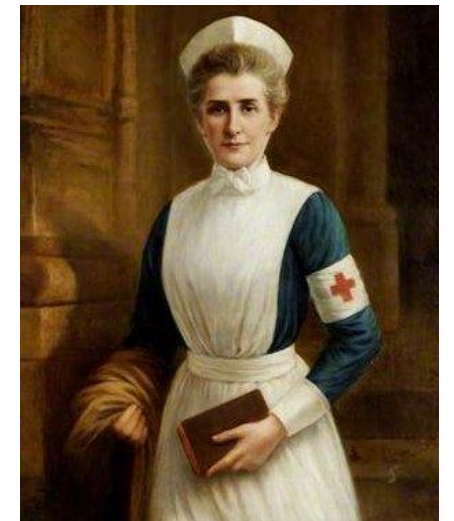## Why do we remember Mary Seacole and Edith Cavell?

Key Vocabulary	Definition
Crimean War	(1853-1856) A war between Russia on one side and Britain, France and Turkey on the other side.
World War I	(1914-1918) First World War or World War I. A global war with many countries involved.
battlefield	A place where soldiers fight in war.
racism	When someone is treated differently because of their race, ethnicity, nationality or colour.

This is a history topic. We will be working as historians.

hospital	A building where doctors and nurses take care of people who are ill or injured.
nurse	Somebody who takes care of people who are sick or injured.
patients	People who are being looked after by nurses and doctors.
soldier	A person who is trained to fight in wars.

Mary Seacole

Edith Cavell

Key Facts

- Mary Seacole was a nurse in the Crimean War.
- She set up a hospital called the British Hotel to look after soldiers.
- Some people thought that Mary Seacole could not be a good nurse because of the colour of her skin.
- Edith Cavell was a nurse in the First World War.
- She saved soldiers from both sides during the First World War.
- Edith helped over 200 soldiers escape from the German army.