### Theme home learning 22.6.20

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about famous or significant people. Learning may focus on past or present inventors, explorers or scientists and how they influence society today. As our class is named after her, the person we will focus on is Mary Seacole.

## How Important is Mary Seacole?

Mary Seacole was a Jamaican-born nurse who is remembered for helping soldiers during the Crimean War. Using this video your child can create a simple timeline of Mary Seacole's life. If this is too challenging, why not ask your child to design an award for Mary Seacole.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zns9nrd/articles/zjsxcqt

Your child could also locate Jamaica and Scotland on a world map.

#### Keep them Clean!

Mary Seacole visited Florence Nightingale, another important nurse, during the Crimean War. Florence Nightingale was known for highlighting the importance of hygiene when caring for the sick, particularly handwashing. Ask your child to create handwashing posters for the home. They might want to make up a jingle too!

### **Intriguing Inventions**

Challenge your child to invent something new. Perhaps a new gadget for the home to keep the family entertained, or something that would help a doctor or a nurse. They can draw and label their design, and could have a go at making it using things from the recycling box.

## The Queen: Then and Now

What was life like for Queen Elizabeth I? This video may help your child to understand.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkrkscw/articles/zkh7bdm

How is life different for the current queen, Queen Elizabeth II? Ask your child to create a list of the similarities and differences. They might focus on appearance, family and interests. They could show this using illustrations too.

# A Seriously Significant Somebody

Who is important to your child? What makes them so important? Your child could draw or paint a portrait of their significant somebody using a photograph or digital image to support them. They may wish to write an information report about this person too!

# Beulah Henry 1912 - 1970

Beulah was a famous American inventor who invented over 100 new products. She made several umbrella inventions from clip on covers to special umbrella bags. If you were going to design an umbrella what would it look like and what materials would you use? Try making a model umbrella using junk box materials you might find at home.

## RE:

Watch Robin's assembly with the link below.

# https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wEo9CgLaTE8

Robin's assembly this week is about treating everyone well, and takes into account recent events in the news about racism. You may wish to watch it first to prepare to share this with your child; I have watched it and feel it is important to educate little ones about difficult things such as this, because that awareness is so important from an early age. Please be prepared to discuss the contents with your child.

### PE:

- Instead of setting a specific PE task this week, please follow the link attached:
  - https://www.getset4pe.co.uk/ResourceBank/ResourceCategory/1002
  - Get Set 4 PE is a fab company that, thanks to our school subscription, has provided a huge number of activities that can be done at home and match the skills we teach in school. Please pick one or two and have a go this week!
- Please see the links below for further PE inspiration and teaching ideas.
  - Saskia's Dance School https://www.youtube.com/user/saskiasdansschool/videos?app=desktop
  - Kids Bop Dance Break https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqscMO1YfPB3-7dZZSxKPrQ
  - Cosmic Yoga <a href="https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga">https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga</a>

- Yoga - <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4ZpkRAcgws4&feature=emb\_title">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4ZpkRAcgws4&feature=emb\_title</a>
Also, there will are a number of activity and play resources, ideas, daily challenges promoted via the East Devon School Games Twitter Account: @EDSchoolGa1