

Florence Nightingale

Florence Nightingale was a famous Victorian lady. She trained nurses to help soldiers who were wounded in the Crimean War. Use the timeline to check whether statements about Florence Nightingale's life are true or false.

1800	—	The battery is invented.
1811	—	Food is first put into tin cans.
1820	—	Florence Nightingale is born.
1837	—	Victoria becomes Queen.
1840	—	The postal service begins.
1849	—	The safety pin is invented.
1854	—	The Crimean War begins.
1856	—	The Crimean War ends.
1870	—	Jules Verne writes <i>20 000 Leagues Under the Sea</i> .
1879	—	The first streets in England have electric lighting.
1886	—	Coca Cola is invented.
1901	—	Queen Victoria dies.
1910	—	Florence Nightingale dies.



- Are these statements true or false? Circle your answer and explain why:
Florence Nightingale lived for over 1000 months.

True/False _____

Victoria was Queen for about 2000 weeks of Florence Nightingale's life.

True/False _____

Florence Nightingale could have drunk Coca Cola for 240 months of her life.

True/False _____

The Crimean War lasted for less than 1200 days.

True/False _____

Florence Nightingale was over 6000 days old when the postal service began.

True/False _____