Online activities

Use the Memorial's online databases to investigate the war service of the nurses listed on the right. Some of these nurses died and some did not, so you may need to use a number of different databases to gather your information. For guidance on researching, see the Memorial's information sheets.

You can use one or more of the following databases to find your information:

The Roll of Honour

This will have the names of the nurses who died in war and some basic information about where and how they died.

http://www.awm.gov.au/research/people/roll_of_honour/

Nominal Rolls

The nominal rolls list all Australians who enlisted in particular conflicts, as well as some basic service details.

http://www.awm.gov.au/research/people/nominal_rolls/

Honours and awards

Here you can find out whether any of the nurses received awards for their service.

http://www.awm.gov.au/research/people/honours_and_awards/

Boer War

Sister Fanny Hines

Sister Julia Anderson

First World War

Sister Evelyn Trestrail

Sister Nellie Morrice

Sister Grace Wilson

Sister Dorothy Duffy

Sister Jean Miles-Walker

Second World War

Matron Kathleen Dorothy Best

Matron Annie Sage

Sister Margaret de Mestre

Captain Constance Box

Sister Wilma Oram

Staff Nurse Margaret Anderson

Sister Jenny Greer

Matron Olive Paschke

Sister Marie Craig

Sister Cherry Wilson

This document is available on the Australian War Memorial's website at http://www.awm.gov.au/education/resources/nurses

Collection search

This database provides online access to the Memorial's collection. Here you may find an image of, or objects belonging to, one or more of these nurses.

http://www.awm.gov.au/search/collections/

Activity

When you have finished, present your findings to the class. You may wish to prepare an oral presentation using PowerPoint.

Post-Second World War

Captain Barbara Probyn-Smith

Lieutenant Nell Espie

Sister Betty Crocker

Sister Natalie Oldham

Sister Jan McCarthy

Flight Officer Patricia Furbank

Sister Dorothy Angell

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