

Year Group:	2	Subject:	History
Term:	Spring	Topic:	Marie Curie

Links to Previous Learning
List the main achievements of her life and turn them into a time line
Why did Marie Curie have to travel to another country to study?
What did Marie Curie invent that helped soldiers in WW1?

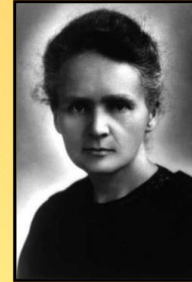
What you should know:
To use artefacts, pictures, stories, online sources and databases to find out about the past.
To describe historical events.
To describe significant people from the past.
To recognise that there are reasons why people in the past acted as they did.

**Key Fact:** Marie Curie is remembered for her discovery of radium and polonium, and her huge contribution to finding treatments for cancer.



Marie Curie was the first:

- The first woman of the degree in physics.
- The first woman to graduate in France.
- The first woman to obtain a Nobel Prize.
- The first woman to obtain a chair at the Sorbonne.
- The first scientist to obtain two Nobel Prizes



Why was it especially difficult for Marie Curie to complete her work?

Key Vocabulary	
Influential	Makes people takes notice
Diagnose	Finding out about an illness

At home: Find out more about how the work of Marie Curie impacts our lives today.

