## Title:

Florence Nightingale: A Monologue to Teach and Inspire

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#### **Abstract Summary:**

With an old bridesmaid dress, a little lace, and an English accent learned online, Florence Nightingale appears in one classroom. This presentation shares how to creatively weave story into lecture and its many benefits.

# **Learning Activity:**

| LEARNING OBJECTIVES  | EXPANDED CONTENT OUTLINE   |
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| The learner will be able to identify three benefits of storytelling in the classroom.  | Benefits of storytelling include: Helps students connect interrelated facts and concepts, engages students in learning, enhances community within the classroom, improves listening, critical thinking and empathy.      |
| The learner will be able to identify three actions that will promote active listening and audience participation when stories are told in the classroom. | To promote active listening and audience participation: Speak slowly with alternating rhythm, walk around, use props, hands and facial gestures, pause to ask students questions before revealing the rest of the story. |