Bomere and the XI Towns Federation Knowledge Organiser—Geography

Topic: Around the World. Focus on Italy

Class/Year Groups: Grinshill, Stiperstones, Wrekin

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What you already know.

- The names of the 7 continents and 5 oceans.
- The names of a number of countries.
- About a range of maps, plans and aerial views.
- The difference between cities, towns and villages.
- About human and physical features of an environment
- How to use different kinds of map.



What you will learn

<u>Location</u>

- Where countries in the world are.
- The location of Italy
- The Capoluoghi
- About weather and climates around the world, and specifically in Italy.

Diversity

- About biomes around the world
- About key physical and human features in Italy.
- About the cultures
- About the buildings.
- About jobs and trade links .
- About land use in different Italian regions.

Relationships

- About the relationships between the people and the land.
- About why people settled in different locations.
- About Italy as a tourist destination





| 1 | Key Vocabulary: | |
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| | Country | A land controlled by a single government. |
| | Mediterranean | A large sea that separates Africa from Europe. |
| | Region | Part of a country that has certain characteristics from others. |
| | Culture | The ideas, customs and social behaviour of a particular people or society. |
| | Capital | A city or town where the government usually meets. |
| | Climate | The general weather conditions that are typical of a place |
| | Europe | Europe is a continent made up of 50 countries, 27 of them belong to the European Union. |
| | Biome | A natural area of the living world which has its own climate, vegetation and animals |
| | Human Geography | Features of land that have been impacted by human activity |
| | Physical Geography | Natural features of land |
| | Tourist | A person who is visiting a place for pleasure and interest, especially when they are on holiday. |

National Curriculum Objectives:

- understand geographical similarities & differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom & a region within North or South America
- use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied
- identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich
- use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.



