



Italy: where is it and what's it like now?

Powerful knowledge		Vocabulary	
		Tier 2	Tier 3
	<p>Italy is country in the continent of Europe. Italy has a long coastline within the Mediterranean Sea. The North of Italy is mountainous with the Alps, while the South is flatter.</p>		
	<p>The climate of Italy depends on where you are. In the North, it is warm in the summer but cold in the winter. The south the climate is warmer all year round and in the summer, it can be very hot due to the warm winds from Africa and the Mediterranean.</p>	<p>region coastal mountainous</p>	<p>continent country grid reference</p>
	<p>Give the grid reference for the bottom left corner of the square you need.</p>		
	<p>When choosing where to live, people need... ...somewhere to work ...somewhere for leisure activities ...somewhere with good transport links. ...somewhere safe</p>		


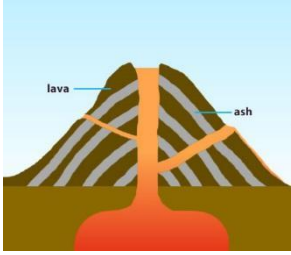




Who were the Romans and what was life like?

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<p>117 AD</p>	<p>The Romans invaded a lot of countries, including Britain.</p> <p>An Empire is a large area controlled by one group of people or one person.</p>				
	<p>Roman Britain was a province of the Roman Empire from 43 to 409. Before the invasions, the tribes of Britain had already started to trade with Europe.</p>				
	<p>First, Kings controlled Rome. The Senate advised the King.</p>	<p>Next, Rome became a Republic, ruled by the Senate.</p>	<p>Then, Emperors ruled Rome. They were advised by the Senate, but could ignore it. Sometimes, the Senate had the Emperor killed.</p>	<p>invade</p> <p>power</p> <p>advise / advised</p>	<p>empire</p> <p>Senate</p> <p>Republic</p> <p>Emperor</p> <p>democracy</p>
<p>The authority and power of the Senate increased and decreased over the Roman era.</p>					
	<p>The Roman Empire was an agricultural society where most people made a living from farming. Eventually, all free people were made citizens. Women only had limited rights- they could not vote or be a leader, but they could own property and run a business (in the Bible, there is a woman named Lydia who sold purple cloth). Many people were poor and had to live off grain handed out by the leaders.</p>				





Is a volcano good place to call home?

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	<p>Tectonic plates are huge jigsaw pieces of rock that make up the surface of the Earth. They float on the mantle.</p>	<p>destructive</p> <p>impact</p> <p>advantages</p> <p>disadvantages</p>	<p>eruption</p> <p>plate boundary</p> <p>friction</p> <p>melting</p> <p>active</p> <p>dormant</p> <p>fertile</p> <p>tectonic plates</p> <p>mantle</p> <p>magma</p> <p>lava</p> <p>continent</p> <p>ocean</p> <p>geothermal</p>
	<p>The Pacific Ring of Fire is an imaginary line around the Pacific Ocean where most volcanoes are found.</p>		
	<p>Most volcanoes are usually found on tectonic plate boundaries, either where two plates are being pulled apart, or where one plate is pushed down under another.</p>		
	<p>Volcanoes erupt when molten rock (magma) rises to the surface.</p>		
	<p>The slopes of a volcano are often very fertile, making them popular with farmers. The heat from the volcano can also be used as geothermal energy.</p>		



How do you eat like an Italian?

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	<p>Pizza originated in Naples, Italy. It became popular across Europe after World War Two when troops stationed in Italy enjoyed pizza and took the recipe back home. Pizza is a disk of baked dough, usually topped with tomato and cheese, then adding a selection of seasonal ingredients for extra flavour.</p>	originated typical seasonal	bake dough carbohydrate protein fat nutrients vitamins minerals
	<p>Pasta is made from flour and water. Usually, egg is also added. The dough is then shaped into differed shaped to suit the sauce that is added for flavour.</p>		



Carbohydrates- provide energy
Protein- growth, repair and energy
Fat- Provides energy
Vitamins and minerals- keep the body's functions working
Water- carried nutrients, removes waste and keeps temperature normal