



Topic Title: Swords and Sandals

Year Group: 4

Academic Year: 2022-2023

KS2 Geography Intent: Where is Rome located and how is it different to the UK?

The children will learn where Italy is relative to other countries and will be able to locate Rome and other major cities, rivers and mountains in Italy. They will gain an understanding of ancient and modern Rome and be able to make clear comparisons. The children will be able to compare human and physical geography of Italy with that in the UK.

Prior Geographical Learning/Linked Topics: Year 2 – Comparing countries (We’re going on a Lion Hunt)		Literacy Links (including texts/media used): Escape from Pompeii Boudicca	Maths Links: Roman numerals
Locational Knowledge	Place Knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Geographical Skills and Fieldwork
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Human geography, including: types of settlement and land use.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Use maps, atlases and globes, to locate countries and describe features studied.



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<p>Content:</p> <p>Where is Rome?</p> <p>Children to use atlases and maps to locate and identify Italy, Rome and the UK. Discuss with the children what countries make up the UK, locate these on a map. Can the children find Italy on a world map? Discuss capital cities with the children. What is the capital of countries within the UK? What is the capital of Italy? Can we locate these on a globe, atlases and maps?</p> <p>Comparing ancient and modern Italy.</p> <p>Discuss what an attraction is? Locate attractions on a map on Italy. Where is the colosseum? Where is the leaning tower of Pisa? Are the attractions different or the same (ancient/modern)?</p> <p>Compare Italy and England</p> <p>Discuss with children similarities and differences of Italy and England. Children to compare the similarities and differences between Italy and England in terms of weather, landscape, population, land use, trade links, settlements.</p>	<p>Key Vocabulary:</p> <p>maps, atlas, Italy, England, volcanoes, mountains, landscape, weather, temperature, climate, season, mountainous, population.</p>
<p>Stunning Start/Marvellous Middle/Fabulous Finish:</p> <p>Olympic Games.</p>	<p>OAA/Trips/Visits/Visitors:</p>



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Roman Battle on school playground.

Roman Banquet in school hall.

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