

Year 3 Knowledge Mat: Italy and the United Kingdom

Subject Specific Vocabulary	
Italy	A country in the middle of the Mediterranean Sea, in Southern Europe.
United Kingdom	An island in North Western Europe made up of Scotland, England, Northern Ireland and Wales.
Europe	One of the continents of the world which is entirely in the Northern Hemisphere.
Climate	Long term average of weather, usually averaged over 30 years.
Population	The number of people who live in a country.
Border	The boundary between one country and another.
Coast	The area where the land meets the sea or ocean.
Physical features	Physical features are the Earth's natural features. For example: beach, cliff, mountain.
Human features	Human features refer to things around us that are built by humans. For example: house, farm, shop, museum, school.



United Kingdom flag



United Kingdom



Italy flag



Italy

Italy Facts

Capital city is Rome.

Population is 59.55 million (2020).

There are over 400 islands in Italy, including islands in the Mediterranean Sea and inland islands in lakes and rivers. The largest island is Sicily.

United Kingdom Facts

Capital city is London.

Population is 67.22 million (2020).

There are approximately 4,000 islands off the coast of the UK. About 200 of these are inhabited.

Homework - to be completed by Friday 18th October

Task 1 Choose a traditional meal from either country and make a poster with the ingredients labelled.

Task 2 Pack a suitcase to go on holiday to one of the countries. Take photos or draw a picture to show what you have packed. Why did you pack what you did?

Task 3 Choose a famous monument from the United Kingdom or Italy and make a model of it (London Eye, Angel of the North, Leaning tower of Pisa).