

FPS Geography

Knowledge Organiser

Year 3/4 What are the differences between England and Italy?

Geography investigators: Similarities and differences between a region of the UK and a region of Europe.

Human Geography

Learning: compare significant landmarks in Nottingham and Rome, compare land use in both countries,



England

Key Questions: What is a vegetation belt and why are they important?
What is the significance of Sherwood Forest?



Physical Geography

Learning: recap continents, rivers and oceans, compare physical features in Nottingham and Rome, use maps and atlases to locate both cities and countries.



Vocabulary

Human feature	Something man made e.g. landmark buildings, bridges and settlements.
Physical feature	Features that occur naturally e.g. rivers, mountains and forests.
Vegetation belt	An area with distinct plant types e.g. Sherwood Forest.
Land use	How people use the land to make a living.
Urban	Relating to cities and towns.
Rural	Relating to the countryside.
Coastal	Relating to the coast.
Climate	The weather in a certain area or region.
Culture	The distinctive characteristics of a country or group of people.

Climate

What is the weather like in Italy compared to England?

Italy

Key Questions: What is life like in Italy? How is this different to living in England?

