Neighbouring countries are: France, Monaco, Switzerland, Austria, Slovenia

Mountain ranges are: The Alps (including Dolomites,) Apennines

Major cities are: ★ Rome, Milan, Naples, Turin, Palermo

Surrounding sea: Adriatic Sea, Mediterranean Sea

Fold mountains: mountains formed by the effect of folding layers within the upper part of the Earth’s crust

Tectonic plates: pieces of the Earth’s crust which can move

Earth’s crust: outer layer of the Earth

Volcano: vent in the Earth’s crust through which lava ejects.

Vesuvius: active volcano in Italy

Erupted: ejected lava, break out

Pompeii: ancient city near Naples which was destroyed by a volcano in AD79