




# Mediterranean - Geography

Key Vocabulary		Countries			Maps
Mediterranean	From the Latin meaning 'middle of the land'.	Country	Capital	Language	 
Equator	An imaginary line around the 'middle' of the Earth. The sun's rays hit the equator directly, making the places located near to it very warm.	Italy	Rome	Italian	
Latitude	Latitude is a measurement that gives the location of a place on Earth north or south of the equator. Maps sometimes show imaginary lines of latitude to help us locate places.	Spain	Madrid	Spanish	
Ecosystem	A community of plants and animals found in a particular area.	Portugal	Lisbon	Portuguese	
Peninsula	A region of land that sticks out in a body of water, with water on three sides.	Greece	Athens	Greek	
Inhabit	To live or dwell in a place, as people or animals.	France	Paris	French	
Population	The whole number of people living in a country, city, or area.				
Continent	A large solid area of land. Earth has seven continents.				
Refugee	People who are trying to enter Europe.				
Hemisphere	Hemisphere means half (hemi) of the Earth (sphere).				
Human feature	Something created by man.				
Physical feature	A natural part of the land.				