Vocabulary

Continent Atlantic

Country Pacific

Map Ecosystem

Mediterranean Italy

Climate Siesta Spain

Equator Peninsular

Latitude Greece culture

Gulf Stream Turkey Map

## **Skills**

**Look at and describe** the fruits and vegetables that grown in the Mediterranean

**Locate** the Equator on a globe

**Locate and recall** the capital cities of Italy, Greece, Portugal and Turkey.

**Create** a tour guide pamphlet of your chosen country.



## **BPS SUBJECT ORGANISER**

## **Subject**

<u>Geography – Southern Europe</u>

Term 5

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## By the end of the block, children should know –

That Southern Europe is sometimes called Mediterranean Europe

'Mediterranean' comes from the Latin word that means in the middle of the land

The weather is usually hot and dry in places like Southern Italy, Spain and Greece.

The Equator is an imaginary line that runs around the middle of the earth, right in the middle between the North and South poles

We measure the distance to and from the Equator using latitude

The Gulf stream is a current of warm that flows from the Gulf of Mexico in Central America, all the way across the Atlantic Ocean to Europe

An Ecosystem is the climate in which different plants and animals live, dependent on the conditions.

People sometimes sleep until it is cooler later on in the day, this is called a 'Siesta' which means 'nap; in Spanish

A Peninsular is an area of land almost completely surrounded by water.

