Lezione 1

Discovering Italy

ALLA SCOPERTA DELL'ITALIA...

Before starting our journey to discover Italy let's get to know each other! Let's use Italian to do so!!! I'll start first:

Ciao! Io sono Cristoforo e sono di Genova. Piacere! E tu?



Now, introduce yourself to your classmates and try to remember all their names!!!

Ciao! Io sono ______ e sono di ______. Piacere!

Great! And now that we know each other tell me what you know about Italy? Where is it? In Europe but where? Which are the countries near Italy among those written below? Careful! They are written in Italian, but you are smart, you can guess what they are

... Don't look on Google maps, try to remember or guess...

Spagna Germania Portogallo Francia Svizzera Irlanda Slovenia Austria

Did you guess? BRAVI!!!!

Now let's see if you know more... Which is the capital of Italy? How do you write it and pronounce it in Italian?

And what is the most famous monument you can find there?

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Curiosità

Italy has a particular shape, which does it remind you of? Look at it carefully and turn it around. Did you get



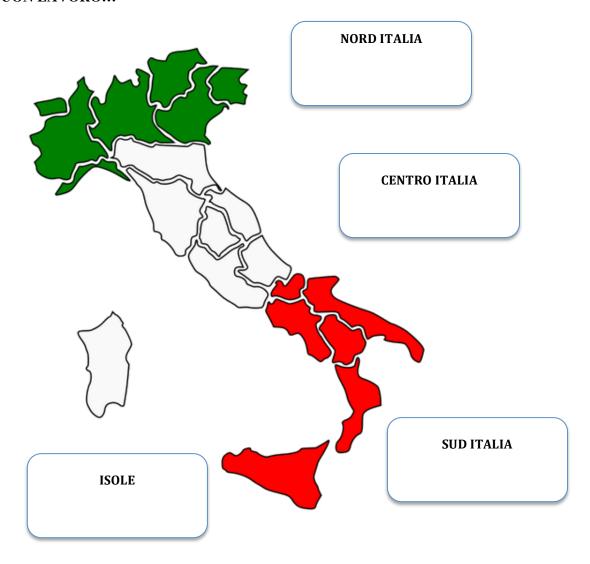
TASK 1: Explore Italy!!!

Now you are the explorer, you are Cristoforo Colombo and you have to look for other beautiful cities in Italy.

Work in small groups

- 1. Connect to the Padlet map page of your teacher
- 2. Using google maps find **3 cities in Italy** (your teacher will decide if the cities need to be located in the centre, nord, south or in the islands)
- 3. Mark them in the map below
- 4. Find also a monument for each city and save a picture of it on Padlet Map Follow the example that the teacher has made for you.

BUON LAVORO!!!





GAME: VELOCI, VELOCI...

Now let's check your Italian. I am sure that you know already a lot of Italian words. Let's see how many. In small groups make a list of the words you know (think about food, fashion, music etc.). You have 90 seconds. PRONTI...VIA!

Write your list and share it on Padlet only at the end of the game. Write the word also in this box.

MAMMA MIA!!! You really know a lot of Italian words!!!

Now, using those words, let's check how we do pronounce words and let's have a look at the alphabet. Using your list of words associate each letter to a word.

A	a	come	Н	acca	come	Q	qu	come
В	bi	come	I	i	come	R	erre	come
С	ci	come	L	elle	come	S	esse	come
D	di	come	M	emme	come	T	ti	come
Е	e	come	N	enne	come	U	u	come
F	effe	come	О	0	come	V	vi/vu	come
G	gi	come	P	pi	come	Z	zeta	come

LE LETTERE STRANE...

J	i lunga	W	doppia vu	Y	ipsilon
K	cappa	X	ics		

Try to spell these Italian words. Try to understand what they are. If you don't know some, ask your teacher!

DVD	CD	SMS	TV	TG
PC	FM	CV	MP3	MP4
XS	S	M	L	XL

It's time to say goodbye...

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