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# **Italy's Natural Features Answer Key**

- 1. Po River
- 2. Sicily
- 3. Apennines
- 4. Sardinia
- 5. Mt. Etna

### Teacher's Guide

### **Purpose**

- Introduce and reinforce major physical features of Italy.
- Build mid-level geography skills for grades 6 to 7.
- Strengthen recognition of bolded terms such as Po River, Apennines, and Mt. Etna.

### **Instructional Tips**

- Review each feature as a class before starting the worksheet.
- Encourage students to highlight key words in each description that give clues.

## **Engagement Ideas**

- Display images of Italy's rivers, mountains, islands, and volcanoes to spark student interest.
- Invite students to share which physical feature they would most like to explore and why.

#### **Extension Activities**

- Have students research the role of the Po River or Apennines in Italian culture or history.
- Encourage students to write a brief report on how volcanoes like Mt. Etna affect nearby towns.

