

Italy, a European country with a long Mediterranean coastline, has left a powerful mark on Western culture and cuisine. Its capital, Rome, is home to the Vatican as well as landmark art and ancient ruins. Other major cities include Florence, with Renaissance masterpieces such as Michelangelo's "David" and Brunelleschi's Duomo; Venice, the city of canals; and Milan, Italy's fashion capital.



The grey wolf is ITALYS national animal.





ROME is the capital city of ITALY. It is a city full of many ancient artefacts for example, the Colosseum.

Rome was built between 72 A.D and 80 A.D under the Emperor Vespasian, in the heart of Ancient Rome.

The Colosseum was made from **stone** and **concrete**, this magnificent monument was built with the man power of tens of thousands of slaves.

Below the Colosseum were numerous rooms and underground passages. Here is where the animals and gladiators were kept, waiting to meet their fate in the arena above.

There were also 36 trap doors in the arena for special effects!

This brilliant building had 80 entrances and could seat approx 50,000 spectators who would watch sporting events and games.





Pasta and pizza is the most eating food in ITALY





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THE FERRARI IS ORINGALLY MADE IN ITALY



MONALISA

LEONARDO DA VINCI PAINTED THE MONA LISA.

He was born April 15, 1452, Anchiano, near Vinci, Republic of Florence, Italy. He died May 2, 1519, Cloux [now Clos-Lucé], France, He was an Italian painter, draftsman, sculptor, architect, and engineer.

The "Mona Lisa" painting can be seen in the Louvre Museum, Paris, France. It was painted between 1503-19 and is one of his most famous paintings.



