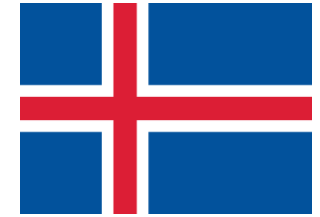




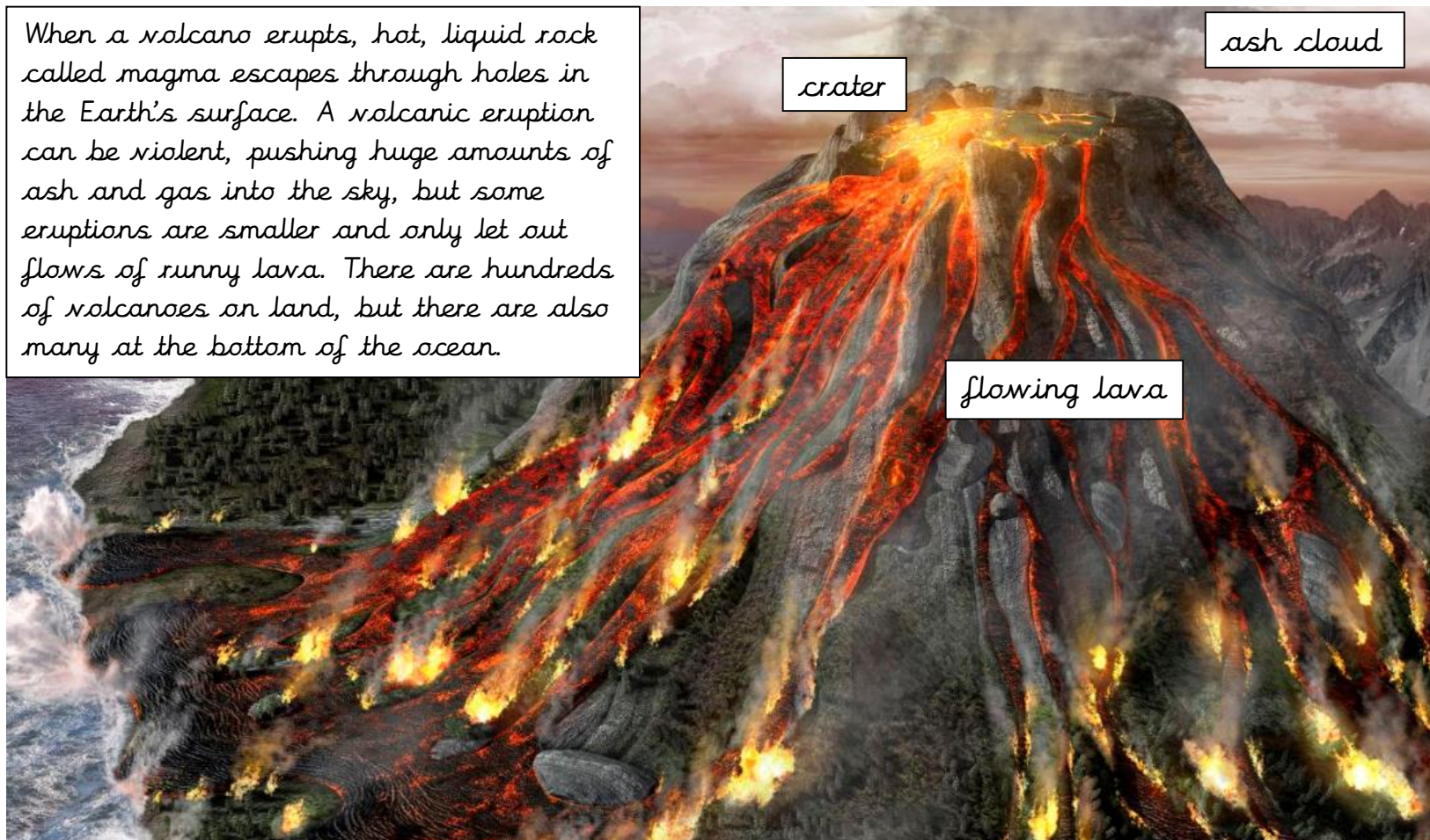
Key Vocabulary

★	<i>volcano</i>	A mountain with a crater through which lava, rock or gas have erupted
★	<i>eruption</i>	A sudden outbreak of something unwelcome or noisy
★	<i>Europe</i>	The continent we live in
★	<i>Nordic</i>	Relating to Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Finland, and Iceland.
★	<i>Icelandic</i>	Relating to Iceland or its language
★	<i>ash</i>	The powder left after something burns
★	<i>physical features</i>	A natural feature on earth's surface such as water, mountains and deserts
★	<i>human features</i>	A man-made feature such as bridges, houses and canals



Iceland's flag

When a volcano erupts, hot, liquid rock called magma escapes through holes in the Earth's surface. A volcanic eruption can be violent, pushing huge amounts of ash and gas into the sky, but some eruptions are smaller and only let out flows of runny lava. There are hundreds of volcanoes on land, but there are also many at the bottom of the ocean.



crater

ash cloud

flowing lava



Geyser - a spring that shoots out water and steam

