


COURSES IN ITALIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE


New term starting on 25th September 2023

The Italian Institute of Culture in Edinburgh is the official Italian government centre for language and culture in Scotland and Northern Ireland and it offers a wide choice of general language courses at a similarly varied choice of days and times. Our linguistic levels follow the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages, CEFR, produced by the Council of Europe.

In person and online

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IN PERSON

LEVEL	DAY	TIME	GRAMMAR REQUIREMENTS
A1.1	Mon	12:00 - 13:30	Students with no knowledge of Italian (NEW CLASS)
A1.1	Mon	19.15 - 20.45	Students with no knowledge of Italian (NEW CLASS)
A1.1	Wed	17.30 - 19.00	Students with no knowledge of Italian (NEW CLASS)
A1.1	Wed	15.45 - 17.15	Students with little knowledge of Italian (started April 2023)
A1.2	Wed	12:00 - 13:30	Students who are familiar with presente and passato prossimo
A1.2	Mon	17.30 - 19.00	Students who are familiar with presente and passato prossimo
A1.2	Wed	19.15 - 20.45	Students who are familiar with presente and passato prossimo
A2	Mon	17.30 - 19.00	Students who are familiar with passato prossimo, pronomi diretti and pronomi indiretti
B1	Mon	17.30 - 19.00	Students who are familiar with passato prossimo, pronomi diretti and pronomi indiretti
B1	Wed	17.30 - 19.00	Students who are familiar with passato prossimo, pronomi diretti and pronomi indiretti
B2	Wed	15.45 - 17.15	Students who are familiar with congiuntivo imperfetto, passato remoto, condizionale passato and periodo ipotetico
B2	Mon	19.15 - 20.45	Students who are familiar with congiuntivo imperfetto, passato remoto, condizionale passato and periodo ipotetico
C1	Mon	10.00 - 11.30	Students who are familiar with futuro anteriore, discorso indiretto, gerundio and verbi pronominali
C2	Mon	15.45 - 17.15	Students who are able to converse fluently in Italian
C2	Mon	12.00 - 13.30	Students who are able to converse fluently in Italian
C2	Mon	19.15 - 20.45	Students who are able to converse fluently in Italian

ONLINE

LEVEL	DAY	TIME	GRAMMAR REQUIREMENTS
A1.1	Mon	17:30 - 19:00	Students with no knowledge of Italian (NEW CLASS)
A1.1	Wed	12:00 - 13:30	Students with no knowledge of Italian (NEW CLASS)
A1.1	Wed	19.15 - 20.45	Students with no knowledge of Italian (NEW CLASS)
A2	Mon	19.15 - 20.45	Students who are familiar with passato prossimo, pronomi diretti and pronomi indiretti
A2	Thu	19.15 - 20.45	Students who are familiar with passato prossimo, pronomi diretti and pronomi indiretti
B1 CIT	Mon	19:15 - 20:45	Students who are looking to consolidate knowledge and boost exam confidence for the CILS B1 cittadinanza exam for Italian citizenship
B1	Tue	10.00 - 11.30	Students who are familiar with imperfetto, imperativo and futuro semplice
B1	Wed	19.15 - 20.45	Students who are familiar with imperfetto, imperativo and futuro semplice
B2	Wed	17.30 - 19.00	Students who are familiar with congiuntivo imperfetto, passato remoto, condizionale passato and periodo ipotetico
C1	Mon	19.15 - 20.45	Students who are familiar with futuro anteriore, discorso indiretto, gerundio and verbi pronominali
C1	Wed	17.30 - 19.00	Students who are familiar with futuro anteriore, discorso indiretto, gerundio and verbi pronominali

LINGUISTIC LEVEL GUIDE

ELEMENTARY	INTERMEDIATE	ADVANCED
<p>A1</p> <p>You can understand and use familiar everyday expressions and simple phrases, ask and answer basic questions, and interact if the other person speaks slowly and clearly.</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>You can understand main points regularly encountered in work, school, and leisure and can deal with most situations likely to arise while travelling in an area where the language is spoken. You can produce simple connected text on familiar topics. You can describe experiences, events, dreams, hopes, and ambitions and explain opinions and plans.</p>	<p>C1</p> <p>You can understand a wide range of demanding texts and recognize implicit meaning. You can express yourself fluently and spontaneously, using language effectively for social, academic and professional purposes. You can produce clear, well-structured, detailed texts on complex subjects.</p>
<p>A2</p> <p>You can understand sentences and frequently used expressions related to topics such as personal and family information, shopping, and local geography. You can exchange information simply and directly on familiar and routine matters.</p>	<p>B2</p> <p>You can follow the main ideas of complex text on both concrete and abstract topics, including technical discussions in your field of specialisation. You can interact with a degree of fluency and spontaneity with a native speaker. You can produce clear, detailed text on a wide range of subjects and explain various viewpoints on topical issues.</p>	<p>C2</p> <p>You can easily understand virtually everything heard or read. You can summarise information from different spoken and written sources, reconstructing arguments and accounts in a coherent presentation. You can express yourself very fluently and precisely, differentiating finer shades of meaning even in more complex situations.</p>

ENROLMENT FORM

Please complete and return the enrolment form to: corsi.iicedimburgo@esteri.it.

First name	Surname
Address	
Email	
Mobile No	Phone No.
Level	Day Time
Fee £	Payment method
Date	
Signature	

TERMS	WEEKS	DATES	PRICES	
I	11	25.09.2023 07.12.2023	£130.00 £120.00 concessions	TWO TERMS £240.00/ £220.00 concessions
II	11	15.01.2024 28.03.2024	£130.00 £120.00 concessions	
III	10	15.04.2024 20.06.2024	£110.00 £100.00 concessions	

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Please read the following terms and conditions carefully.

Concession price applies to IIC Members, Senior Citizens, Students and Unemployed.

Fees must be paid by BACS or cheque in full (details will be provided via email) one week before the term starting date. A receipt will be issued at the beginning of the course.

No partial refund can be given for classes not attended and no postponement can be allowed. Fees will be refunded only if a course is cancelled due to an insufficient number of students (we aim for a minimum class size of 6 and a maximum of 14).

The classes on Italian Bank holidays might be postponed to the following day (I term: 1st November).

Once you have sent us your enrolment form and payment, you simply turn up on the first day of your course. No written confirmation will be sent to you. In the unlikely event of cancellation, we will notify you.

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