

# LANGUAGE COURSES



## Standard Course

20 lessons (each 45 minutes) per week. This course is offered throughout the whole year for all levels. This course is held from Monday through Friday with four lessons of daily instruction, usually in the morning. This is the most popular course and for a majority of the students the best choice. The lessons cover all necessary requirements of the Italian language. The main aim of the courses is to improve the conversational skills of the students and create confidence in handling everyday situations.

## Long-Term Standard Course

20 lessons (each 45 minutes) per week. This is the ideal option for all those who are planning for a longer stay in Italy. This 12 week course provides a great opportunity not just to learn the language but also get to know the land and its people. Many of our long-term students finish this course with the accredited AIL «Firenze» Exam – an intensive language program at a reduced price!

## Long-Term Semester Course

The Long-Term Semester Course lasts 24 weeks and is an extended version of the Long-Term Standard Course. The general structure is similar, but the objectives are targeted on a long-term basis. Last but not least, the Long-Term Semester Course has a particularly attractive price!

## Long-Term «CSN» Course

20 lessons (each 45 minutes) per week. This course lasts 13 weeks and is created for our Swedish students who can apply for study grants for our school, as it is recognized by CSN-Lund. The offer also includes accommodation at a very special price.

## Intensive Plus Courses

Our Intensive Plus Courses offer a combination of group lessons and private tuition (one-to-one). During the private tuition potential difficulties can be addressed more directly and efficiently. The following courses are offered:

- Intensive Plus-5 Course:  
20 lessons standard course and additional 5 private lessons per week
- Intensive Plus-10 Course:  
20 lessons standard course and additional 10 private lessons per week

## Examination Courses for the Italian Certificates «Firenze»

Our school is an accredited center for the examination of the Accademia Italiana di Lingua (AIL) and organizes preparation courses for the different Italian language exams. We offer different levels of courses from beginner to expert, which all start one month ahead of the exams (Standard Course combined with a special preparation course). These courses comprise of the daily Standard Course plus two lessons/day of special exam preparation training. If necessary we can send out an entry test to determine your language knowledge level and the corresponding time needed for preparation.

If you would like individual preparation for the «Firenze» Diploma examinations and to take the exam on a special date, please get in contact with our school for further information. Please check out the special course dates!

## Italian Language and Culture Course for Seniors

This course is specifically designed for more mature students over the age of 50. Students will learn Italian in a pleasant and relaxing environment, accompanied by a wide variety of cultural activities.

## Academic School Year - «Gap Year»

The “Academic School Year” is a 32 week language and culture course for students who wish to experience living and studying in Italy. The course combines not only language courses with Italian culture classes at the Centro Puccini, but the syllabus also incorporates the fundamental elements of level C2 of the European Language Portfolio. All in all, the course offers students the opportunity to see at first hand the various aspects of Italy’s rich history and culture.