

## Combined courses

Combined courses allow the student to have a standard course combined with additional classes in the afternoon. It is possible to have a combination with private lessons, business Italian, literature, architecture, arts or with more practical activities, as for example tango.

### STANDARD + INDIVIDUAL

COD SI

The additional private lessons help the student to work on his own personal problems with the Italian language revising grammar or having conversation.

### STANDARD + CONVERSATION

COD SP

This combined course is designed for those who want to develop their conversational capabilities. Students will be led through their conversation class using topical subjects treated in newspapers, magazines, TV etc.

### STANDARD + BUSINESS ITALIAN

COD SC

This combined course is thought for those who work in Italy or with Italian companies. In this course the student will, for example, learn to speak about the organization and the different departments of a company and will learn to handle in Italian the relations with customers and suppliers, with banks and insurance companies.

Business Italian classes are private lessons. If there is more than one person interested in these classes there will be a discount on the prices.

### STANDARD + LITERATURE

COD SL

In the literature course students will get to know Italian and Piedmontese authors. They will read and analyse together with the teacher some of the authors' most important works.

### STANDARD + ITALIAN CINEMA

COD SF

The cinema course will give the students the opportunity to get to know some of the films which have been fundamental for Italy's cinema history by watching and discussing some of the most significant scenes of the films chosen by the teacher.

### STANDARD + ITALIAN ARCHITECTURE

COD SA

The architecture classes will give a survey of the most important Italian architectural styles and will analyze some of the most important works. Furthermore the course will give a lot of information on the history of Turin's architecture, from Roman Turin to Baroque Turin, to Turin first Capital of Italy to contemporary Turin.

### STANDARD + HISTORY OF ITALIAN ART

COD SS

The History of Art course gives a survey of the most important Italian tendencies in art and analyses some of the most significant works of the artists chosen by the teacher. The topics of the course will also be chosen according to the art events in Turin.

### STANDARD + TANGO

COD ST

In recent years Turin has become Italy's capital of Argentine Tango. L'Italiano Porticando collaborates with one of Turin's most important tango schools, with teachers who can boast many years of experience in teaching Argentine Tango Techniques, Milonga and Vals. The courses are held in the evenings during the week. Tango classes are held from middle of September to middle of December and from January to July. Classes are open to "experts" as well as to complete beginners.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Conversation, Literature, Cinema, Architecture and History of Art classes are group classes. If there aren't enough people interested in the course the number of hours per meeting will be reduced from 3 to 2 leaving the price unchanged.

## Special topic courses

### ITALIAN FOR GOURMETS (1 WEEK)

COD. T01

Dates: every third week of the month (except July, August and Christmas)

Level: from beginners

Would you like to know more about cuisine and wines of Piedmont? Then this is the right course. An opportunity to learn or improve your Italian language while learning about Piedmont's gastronomic specialities.

The course includes:

- 15 or 20 hours of lessons
- welcome aperitif and tour through Turin's historic city centre
- chocolate specialities tasting at the workshop of a "maestro cioccolataio" in Turin's historic city centre
- cooking class with dinner;
- wine-tasting at a wine-cellar;
- course book and documentation

### ITALIAN AND FIAT (1 WEEK)

COD. T02

Dates: every fourth week of the month

(except July, August and Christmas)

Level: from beginners

Turin and FIAT are a well-know association.

This course focuses on the history of FIAT, Italy's most important automotive company and the motor history.

The course includes:

- 15 or 20 hours of lessons
- 1,5 h class on "Turin and FIAT in the past and today"
- visit to the Lingotto, FIAT's first factory and now a cultural and commercial centre
- guided tour at FIAT's Turin plant, FIAT Mirafiori
- course book and documentation

### CHRISTMAS IN A DIFFERENT WAY (1 WEEK)

COD. T03

Dates: every week in December

Level: from beginners

The students can learn or improve their Italian while being immersed in the particular atmosphere in Turin at Christmas time, which is created every year by the special Christmas illumination "Luci d'Artista", one of the many examples of modern art in Turin.

The price includes:

- 15 or 20 hours of lessons;
- welcome aperitif and tour through Turin's historic town centre discovering „Luci d'Artista"
- Turin's particular Christmas illumination
- visit to the Christmas Market
- mini-cooking course on a traditional Christmas menu and dinner with the dishes cooked
- course book and documentation

