

ITALIAN 2: COURSE INFORMATION

CRN: 72636 SUBJ: ITAL COURSE: 2 SEQ: 001 DAYS DAILY TIMES: 10:00-11:00 UNITS: 5

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OBJECTIVES

Welcome to Italian 2. The main purpose of this course is a consolidation and extension of the basic structures and grammar of Italian 1 with completion of introduction to understanding, speaking, reading and writing the Italian language and to basic aspects of the Italian culture. Emphasis will be on communicative skills in situational and cultural context. The class is conducted in Italian.

CONTENT

During the course the following textbooks are required:

AVANTI, Aski/Musumeci/McgrawHill-textbook.2nd Ed.

AVANTI, Lab Manual /Workbook to accompany textbook.2nd Ed.

Italian 2 covers the material from chapter 9-16.

Textbooks are available at the City College Bookstore and at the Reserve Desk of the Rosenberg Library / Resource Center (Phelan Campus). You might want to check also on *amazon.com* or *half.com* for online price. Other material will be provided by the instructor. (1 ½ -2 inch 3-ring binder is required).

A bilingual dictionary is optional but recommended (Zingarelli, Collins or Garzanti).

You will find the CD's and DVD's for the course available for listening and viewing at CCSF Language Lab. All students are required to attend language laboratory on a regular basis throughout the semester. Two hours of lab work per week are required. Be sure to account for your lab time every time there is a chapter test.

Attendance cards -provided by the Lab or by the student if online should be submitted to the instructor to verify attendance the day of the quizzes. Another way to do the lab work is online. The user ID is "italian" and the password is "ccsf". The website is: <http://www.ccsf.edu/langlab>

Language Lab: 205 LLRC.Rosenberg Library M-R 8am-8:45pm, Fr. 8am -4:45pm Sat. 9:00am- 4:45pm.

WORKBOOK /LANGUAGE MANUAL ASSIGNMENTS

You should set a total of about six (6) hours per week for practice and study for this course. You will have written obligatory homework assignments for each class.

The answers to the exercises in the WB and in the LM are posted in my webpage:

<http://www.ccsf.edu/Resources/Faculty/cconcin/> It is students responsibility to correct their own exercises using these answer keys. It is very important to do the exercises without help and then make corrections in a different pencil or color. These corrections will help you identify areas that you need to review. You are cheating yourself if you do not work out the exercises before you consult the answers.

We will review the Workbook material the day before the quiz in class, so you need to have it completed! By completing the workbook/language manual section by section and self-correcting carefully, you will have ample time to study problem areas and/or get help from your teacher.

Do your homework each night so that you keep up with the material. If you procrastinate and put off doing the workbook until the night before the quiz, you may feel overwhelmed and you won't have time to study for the quiz.

How to self-correct:

1) Do all written exercises, using the textbook.

2) Check answers with Answer Key. The better you self correct, the better your grade.

You do NOT need to hand in assignments from the WB or the LM but language lab. attendance cards -provided by the Lab or by the student if online- must be submitted to the instructor to verify attendance the day of the quizzes.

GRADES

Your final grade will be an estimation of how much you have learned during the semester. You should consider each class to be an informal quiz, making class attendance important. The final grade for this course can be CREDIT (=A, B or C) or NO CREDIT (=D or F). There are no extra credit possibilities in this course.

QUIZZES AND EXAMS

There will be a short quiz at the end of each chapter (each approximately 40 minutes in length). The quiz will cover *Strategie, Lessico, Strutture* and *Cultura*. **The Cultura section of the quiz will include questions from *Ascoltiamo!*, *Leggiamo!* and *In Italia*. You will only be allowed a make-up if you contact your instructor beforehand.** Any make-ups will be scheduled at the convenience of your instructor. If you miss a quiz, you must email or phone me ASAP. A missed quiz without prior notification will count as a zero. All chapter quizzes will be corrected and returned to you the following class.

There is no mid-term exam, but there is a **final exam** which will be comprehensive and cover all the material studied in the course. The final exam must be taken at the scheduled time and place.

REQUIREMENTS

You are required to attend class. You must be on time and remain for the entire class. Please arrive on time, turn your cell phone off, and refrain from eating or drinking. If you are absent excessively, for any reason, I may drop you from the course. Regular attendance and participation in class activities are essential for learning a foreign language. In order to make progress in understanding and speaking Italian, students must hear and speak it on a daily basis. Therefore, prepare carefully for class by completing all assignments in advance, and be ready to participate in class. Do not slow down class pace, so please, keep the pace established by the syllabus and notify me of any difficulties that you encounter. Furthermore try to avoid yourself unnecessary embarrassment by coming unprepared! If you have to be absent or are ill, contact me or a classmate to find out the assignments that you missed. . Repeated and/or lengthy absences as well as lack of quality participation and interaction will affect your course grade. **Over six (6) class hours**, not days, will be automatically considered excessive and will result in your final grade lowered by one letter grade. It is the student's responsibility to drop a class if she/he decides to discontinue during the semester, or a final grade of "W" or "F" will appear in her/his permanent record!

EVALUATION

The final evaluation will be based on written quizzes [30%] hours spent in the Language Lab. [5%], attendance [15%], classroom participation, performance, completion of written assignments in class [30%], and the final written comprehensive examination [20%]. Grade scale:

100-98	A+	97-93	A	92-90	A-
89-88	B+	87-83	B	82-80	B-
79-78	C+	77-73	C	72-70	C-
69-68	D+	67-62	D	61-60	D-
59-0	F				

TUTORING SERVICES

Most of the students will find that they benefit from the aid of a tutor. Students who need tutoring can go to the Learning Center in the Rosenberg Library (452-5109) to request FREE tutoring. Ideally this should be done early in the semester. Please make sure that the tutors give me a note with the time you spent with them, and you will get lab credit for time spent with Italian tutors.

Please, also feel free to see me during my office hours. It is the time to ask additional questions, clear doubts, or to have more attention.

RESOURCES IN ITALIAN

There are a lot of links to online Italian activities, as well as self-quizzes, just visit [Parliamo Italiano Textbook Web Site](#). This is a great resource; it has Flashcards, Web Activities, Practice Tests, the Videoscript, and many other helpful tools! Also take a look at my webpage or the [CCSF Language Center website](#).

IMPORTANT DATES

Please, refer to CCSF schedule.

Final exam: FRIDAY, MAY 21 10-1

The date of the final exam is in the Master Schedule. The date and time of your final exam are determined by CCSF and **cannot** be changed. You should not have any conflicts with exams in other courses.

SYLLABUS ITALIAN 2 10:00-11:00 SPRING 2010

Prof. CLAUDIO CONCIN Textbook: AVANTI

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Please note that your teacher may assign extra-homework that are not on the syllabus!

DAY	DATE	CLASS MATERIAL	HOMEWORK
JANUARY - WEEK 1			
Tuesday	19	Introduction to the course; Presentation of syllabus. • Greeting someone; finding out someone's information and introduction to the classmates CAPITOLO 9 Strategie: Cosa vuoi fare? Cosa vuole fare? p.238- 239	Note: You need to do all the Workbook and Laboratory Manual (WLM) exercises yourself first and then correct them.WLM: Strategie A, B p. 167-168
Wednesday	20	Lessico: Siamo studenti ! p. 242-245	WLM. p.168-169
Thursday	21	Lessico:Retro p. 246	WLM,p.170-171-173
Friday	22	Strutture 19.1 C'era una volta <i>Imperfect Tense</i> p.247-251	WLM,p.173-175-176
JANUARY - WEEK 2			
Monday	25	Strutture 9.2 Cosa facevi? 253-255	WLM:p.177-178
Tuesday	26	strutture: 9.3 Cosa stavi facendo? P.258-259 <i>Past progressive Tense</i>	WLM: p.179-180-181-182 Preparare il workbook n. 9
Wednesday	27	Cultura p. 262-266	
Thursday	28	LANG. LAB WLM <i>Scriviamo!</i> To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!	

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Friday	29	WORKBOOK- Cultura- ; Parliamo!; Ripasso-	studiare per il quiz n. 1.
FEBRUARY WEEK 3			
Monday	1	QUIZ 1	
Tuesday	2	CAPITOLO 10 Strategie: Purtroppo- Mi dispiace p.269-270	WLM: Strategie p.187-188
Wednesday	3	Lessico: le attivita' gli hobby e il benessere p.271-272-273-274	WLM: Lessico p.189-190
Thursday	4	Strutture 10.1 Che fai questo weekend? p. 275-276-277	WLM: p. 191-192
Friday	5	Strutture 10 Andremo tutti in Italia! P., 277-278 Future tense	WLM: p.193-194-195-196
FEBRUARY - WEEK 4			
Monday	8	Future tense: p.280-281 Strutture 10.3 Se fara' bel tempo domani...p. 282-283	WLM: p.196-197
Tuesday	9	Retro: p. 284 Cultura p. 285-286	WLM: Cultura: Ascoltiamo! Leggiamo!p.198-199
Wednesday	10	Cultura p. 287-288-289	WLM: Cultura: Ascoltiamo! Leggiamo!;p.200-201 Preparare il workbook n. 10
Thursday	11	LANG. LAB WLM Scriviamo! <i>To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!</i>	

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Friday	12	LINCOLN DAY	
FEBRUARY WEEK 5			
Monday	15	WASHINGTON DAY	
Tuesday	16	WORKBOOK- Cultura- ; Parliamo!; Ripasso-	
Wednesday	17	QUIZ 2	
Thursday	18	CAPITOLO 11 Strategie: Niente... Ti dispiace...? Le dispiace...? p.293-294	WLM: Cap. 11: Strategie; Pronuncia p.203-204
Friday	19	Lessico: Vieni a casa mia ! : p.296-297	WLM: Lessico p. 205-206-207-208
FEBRUARY - WEEK 6			
Monday	22	Lessico: Vieni a casa mia ! : p.298-299-300	WLM: Strutture p.208-209
Tuesday	23	Strutture 11.1 Eccoci! p.301-302-303 <i>The direct and indirect objects pronouns</i> p. 304-305	WLM: Strutture p.210-211
Wednesday	24	Strutture 11.2 (cont.) p. 306-307 <i>Indefinite pronouns</i> p.308	WLM: Strutture p.212-213-
Thursday	25	Strutture 11.3 Strutture: Conosco una persona che parla tre lingue! p.309-310 <i>The relative pronoun CHE</i> p.310	WLM;p.Cultura: Ascoltiamo! From 214 to 217
Friday	26	Cultura: Ascoltiamo! Parliamo!; Leggiamo! 311-312-313314-315	Preparare il workbook n. 11
MARCH- WEEK 7			

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Monday	1	LANG. LAB. <i>WLM Scriviamo!To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!</i>	
Tuesday	2	WORKBOOK Parliamo!; Ripasso	studiare per il quiz n. 3
Wednesday	3	QUIZ 3	
Thursday	4	CAPITOLO 12 Strategie: Secondo te...? Secondo Lei...? p. 318-319 -320-321	WLM: Cap. 12: Strategie, Pronuncia 219-220
Friday	5	Lessico : La citta' e il paese di provincia p. 322-323	WLM: Lessico p.221-222-223-224
MARCH- WEEK 8			
Monday	8	p.324-325-326	WLM: Strutture 12.1p.225-226-227
Tuesday	9	Strutture 12.1 Chi fu? The past tense- passato remoto (past absolute) p. 327-328-329-330	WLM: Strutture 12.2 p.228
Wednesday	10	Strutture 12.2 Chi fu? Com'era? P.332-333 The Imperfect vs. the past absolute	WLM: Strutture 12.3 p.229-230-
Thursday	11	Strutture 12.3 Dove si vive meglio?p.333-334; The irregular comparative p. 334-335 Strutture 12.4 A Silvia piacciono le scarpe p. 336-337 More about the verb piacere	WLM: Strutture 12.4 p.231232-233
Friday	12	Cultura: Ascoltiamo! Parliamo!; Leggiamo! From 338 to 343	WLM: Cultura:p.from 234 to 238 Preparare il workbook n. 4
MARCH- WEEK 9			

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Monday	15	LANG. LAB WLM <i>Scriviamo!To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!</i>	
Tuesday	16	WORKBOOK Parliamo!; Ripasso WLM Scriviamo!To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!	studiare per il quiz n. 4
Wednesday	17	QUIZ 4	
Tuesday	18	CAPITOLO 13 Strategie: hai un sogno nel cassetto? p. 346-347 Strutture : Sarebbe meglio.... p. 347-348-349	WLM: Cap. 13: Strategie Pronuncia p. 239-240
Friday	19	Lessico : Dove vai in vacanza? p. 348-349-350-351-352	WLM: Lessico p.241-242-243-244-245
MARCH - WEEK 10			
Monday	22	Strutture 13.1: Vorrei andare in Italia p. 354-355 <i>The present conditional</i> p.356-357-358	WLM: Strutture 13.1p. 246-247-248-249
Tuesday	23	Strutture 13.2: Dimmi tutto! P. 359-360 <i>The imperative!</i>	WLM: Strutture 13.2 p.225-251-252
Wednesday	24	Strutture 13.2 (cont.), p. 361-362	WLM: Strutture 13.3 p.253-254-255
Thursday	25	Strutture 13.3 : Mi dica! p. 362-363-364-365 <i>The formal imperative</i>	WLM: Strutture p. 256Cultura - Leggiamo!,from p. 257 to 260
Friday	26	SPRING VACATION MARCH 26-APRIL 2	
APRIL WEEK 11			

DAY	DATE	CLASS MATERIAL	HOMEWORK
Monday	5	Cultura: Ascoltiamo! Parliamo!; Leggiamo! From 366 to 371	Preparare il workbook n.5
Tuesday	6	LANG. LAB WLM <i>Scriviamo!To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!</i>	
Wednesday	7	WORKBOOK Parliamo!; Ripasso	studiare per il quiz n. 5
Thursday	8	QUIZ 5	
Friday	9	CAPITOLO 14 Strategie: Cosa si fa? p. 373-374	WLM: Cap.14: Strategie, Pronuncia p.261-262
APRIL WEEK 12			
Monday	12	Lessico:La societa' italiana oggi p.375-376-377-378-379-380	WLM: Lessico p.263-264-265-266
Tuesday	13	Strutture 14.1 Si puo'p.381-382-383	WLM: Strutture 14.1 p. 267-268-269
Wednesday	14	Strutture 14.2 Penso che sia giusto cosi' p. 384-385-386-387 <i>The Present subjunctive</i>	WLM: p.269-270-271-272-273
Thursday	15	Strutture 14.3 :E' bello che tu impari l'italiano p.390-391	WLM: Strutture 14.3 p. 273-274-275
Friday	16	Strutture: 14. 3 p. 392-393-	WLM: Strutture 14.4 p. 275-276
APRIL- WEEK 13			

DAY	DATE	CLASS MATERIAL	HOMEWORK
Monday	19	Cultura: Ascoltiamo! Scriviamo! Parliamo! From p. 394 to 398.	WLM: Cultura - Ascoltiamo! From 277 to 279 Preparare il workbook n.6
Tuesday	20	LANG. LAB WLM Scriviamo!To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!	
Wednesday	21	WORKBOOK Parliamo!; Ripasso	studiare per il quiz n. 6
Thursday	22	QUIZ 6	
Friday	23	Strategie Sai/Sa l'inglese? Puoi/Puo' dire qualcosa?p. 401-402 Dai! Doi dove sei? Di dov'e'? Si sente! p.403	WLM: Cap. 15 Strategie, Pronuncia p.281-282
APRIL - WEEK 14			
Monday	26	Lessico: le lingue d'Italia!p.404-405 -406	WLM: Lessico p.282-283-
Tuesday	27	Lessico (cont.), 407-408 Strutture 15.1 Penso che sia andata in vacanza P.409-410-411-412 <i>The past subjunctive</i>	WLM: Lessico p.284-285-Strutture 15.1 p.286-287-288
Wednesday	28	p. 411-412 The past subjunctive	WLM: Strutture 15.2 p.289-290-291
Thursday	29	Strutture 15.2: sono sicura che e' partita per le vacanze p.413-414-415	WLM: Strutture 15.3 p. 291-292-
Friday	30	Strutture 15.3: Se vincessi un viaggio p.417-418	WLM: Strutture 15.3 p. 293-294
MAY - WEEK 15			

DAY	DATE	CLASS MATERIAL	HOMEWORK
Monday	3	Strutture 15.3: 419-420 Cultura: Ascoltiamo! Scriviamo! Parliamo!; from 421 to 425	WLM: Cultura from p. 294- to 297 WLM: Leggiamo!, Scriviamo!, In Italia
Tuesday	4	LANG. LAB <i>WLM Scriviamo! To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!</i>	Preparare il workbook n.7
Wednesday	5	WORKBOOK Parliamo!; Ripasso	studiare per il quiz n. 7
Thursday	6	QUIZ 7	
Friday	7	CAPITOLO 16 Strategie: Hai / ha qualcosa da dire? p.428	WLM: Cap. 16: Strategie, Pronuncia p.299-300
MAY- WEEK 16			
Monday	10	Lessico: I personaggi storici p. 429-430-431	WLM: Lessico: p.301-302-303-304
Tuesday	11	Lessico: I personaggi storici p. 431-432 Strutture 16.Ripasso : p. 433-434-435 <i>The infinitive and present indicative</i>	WLM: Strutture 16.1 p.305-306-307
Wednesday	12	Strutture 16.Ripasso : p. 436-437-438 <i>The present perfect</i>	WLM: Strutture 16.2 p307-308-309
Thursday	13	Strutture 16.Ripasso : p. 439-440-441 <i>The imperfect</i> p. 442-443-444 <i>The object pronouns The object pronouns</i> Cultura: <i>Ascoltiamo! Parliamo! Leggiamo! from p. 444 to 448</i>	WLM: Strutture 16.3 p.310-311-312-313 Strutture 16.4 p. 314-315 Leggiamo! From 316 to 319

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Friday	14	LANG. LAB WLM <i>Scriviamo! To hand in on a separate piece of paper-double spaced- please, clearly print or type!</i>	Preparare il workbook n.8
MAY- WEEK 17			
Monday	17	WORKBOOK Parliamo Ripasso	studiare per il quiz n. 8
Tuesday	18	QUIZ 8	
Wednesday	19	RIPASSO	
Thursday	20		
Friday	21	ESAME FINALE 10-1	
MAY WEEK 18			