



# Italian in Rome

# All roads lead to. . . ...DILIT

Right in the heart of our wonderful city - Rome - the place to be for all those interested in “things Italian”: art, culture, music, design, beauty, good food, good wine, sun, fashion, architecture, the warmth of the people, imagination and the joy of living - you will find our school DILIT.

With us you will get to know the ins and outs of our beautiful language and world-famous culture.

Our highly qualified and dedicated teachers will guide you, encourage you and make your learning fun and enjoyable. And outside the classroom we will do our best to cater for all your needs, including getting you into comfortable accommodation and providing you with a rich and varied programme of social activities so you can discover the secrets of our splendid city and typical aspects of Italian culture. We look forward to seeing you here.

*The School Directors  
Tiziana Di Dedda and Giorgio Piva*

## Rome's the place! DILIT's the school!



*44 years of experience  
70,000 international students  
125 nationalities  
5,000 teachers trained*

# THE SCHOOL

DILIT, officially authorised by the Italian Ministry of Education, has been teaching Italian as a foreign language since 1974.

It is an early member of the IH World Organization, now a network of over 150 schools in more than 50 countries.

It is also member of IALC (International Association of Language Centres).

The quality of the teaching and services provided by the school is guaranteed by its membership of EAQUALS (European Association for Quality Language Services).

The school is an examination centre for the CELI examinations of Perugia University and for the CILS examinations of Siena University.

DILIT is also well known for its teacher training department accredited by the Italian Ministry of Education.

The school is situated in the centre of Rome just a short walk from the central railway station and conveniently placed for transport to every area of the city.

## MISSION STATEMENT

The school's goal is to offer, in a multiethnic and multicultural contest, an environment and atmosphere where every student day after day feels welcome and the object of the care and attention of all the school's staff.

With the support of a teaching methodology ever-polished over decades of research and experimenting we want to make sure our students experience their study as true personal, intellectual and cultural development.

In order to achieve this goal our teaching and non-teaching staff are highly qualified and have many years of experience, properly employed on the best working conditions of the category and aware, all of us, of being an important part of a shared project.

All services and activities offered by the school, from teaching to leisure time activities and the accommodation office, are aimed at the well-being of each and every student. They are constantly monitored and regularly inspected by international organisations who guarantee proper behaviour, transparency and quality of service.

Finally, each of us is aware that each student has a dream, maybe tiny or maybe huge. For all of us helping our students to realize them is our first priority.



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## DILIT Accreditations



Officially authorised by the Italian Ministry of Education  
Teacher Training Centre accredited by the Italian Ministry of Education



Early member of International House World Organization



Member of IALC - International Association of Language Centres



Full Member of EAQUALS (European Association for Quality Language Services)



Member of ASILS (Associazione Scuole d'Italiano come Lingua Seconda)



Examination centre for the CELI examinations of Perugia University



Examination centre for the CILS examinations of Siena University

### Key facts

#### Facilities:

*Interactive whiteboards,  
Students' Club, Cafeteria,  
2 terraces and a garden,  
computer room,  
Wi-Fi connection,  
air conditioning,  
60 nationalities per year*

# Cutting-edge teaching methodology

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## Methodology

Dilit International House was one of the first schools to adopt a fully communicative approach to the teaching of Italian, and the approach is being up-dated all the time.

Language is never presented out of context; and grammar, phonology, lexis and all other features of actual language use in everyday situations are analysed.

A wide variety of up-to-date authentic material is used in class, thus giving students valuable information about modern-day Italian culture and society at the same time as developing students' authentic linguistic and communicative skills. Our teachers, who have been teaching in the school for an average of 12 years, have been selected from special training courses, and they are further required to take part every month in teacher education seminars.

# YOUR LANGUAGE COURSES

## General Italian

### GROUP

All levels are available, from absolute beginners to advanced. The minimum age is 16.

The maximum number of students per class is 14, or 5 for small groups. Absolute beginners start on fixed course-starting dates (see Fees and Dates sheet). All others may start on any Monday. On arrival, students are tested and placed in classes according to their level and their particular needs.

### INTENSIVE

*(15-20-25-30 lessons/week)*

Classes are held from Monday to Friday. New courses for beginners start every 2 weeks throughout the year. Minimum attendance is 1 week.

*15 lessons/week*

afternoons, 3 lessons a day, from 1 to 12 weeks.

*20 lessons/week*

mornings, 4 lessons a day, from 1 to 50 weeks.

*25 lessons/week*

mornings and afternoons, 4 lessons a day plus 2 ½ lessons in a small group twice a week, from 1 to 32 weeks.

*30 lessons/week*

mornings and afternoons, 4 lessons a day plus 2 ½ lessons in a small group 4 times a week, from 1 to 28 weeks.

### SMALL GROUP NON-INTENSIVE

*(5 lessons/week)*

Classes are held twice a week, mornings, afternoons or evenings. Each course lasts 8 weeks. These courses are run all year except in July, August and September. Minimum attendance is 8 weeks.



### INDIVIDUAL

Particularly suitable for business and professional people and all those who require tuition tailor-made to their individual needs. (Small groups of 2-4 students can also be catered for).

### INTENSIVE

*(10-30 lessons/week)*

Attendance is daily from Monday to Friday and varies from 2 to 6 lessons a day. Minimum attendance is one week.

### NON-INTENSIVE

*(3, 4, 5, 6, 9 lessons/week)*

Particularly suitable for students who want to add some tailor-made individual tuition to their Group Courses. Minimum attendance is one week.

### COMBINED

Students attend a 20-lessons group course and 6, 10 or 15 individual lessons per week.

Particularly suitable for those who need Italian both for general and specific purposes (dealing with specific topics in specific settings and/or other particular aspects of the language).



# LEVELS - EXAMS

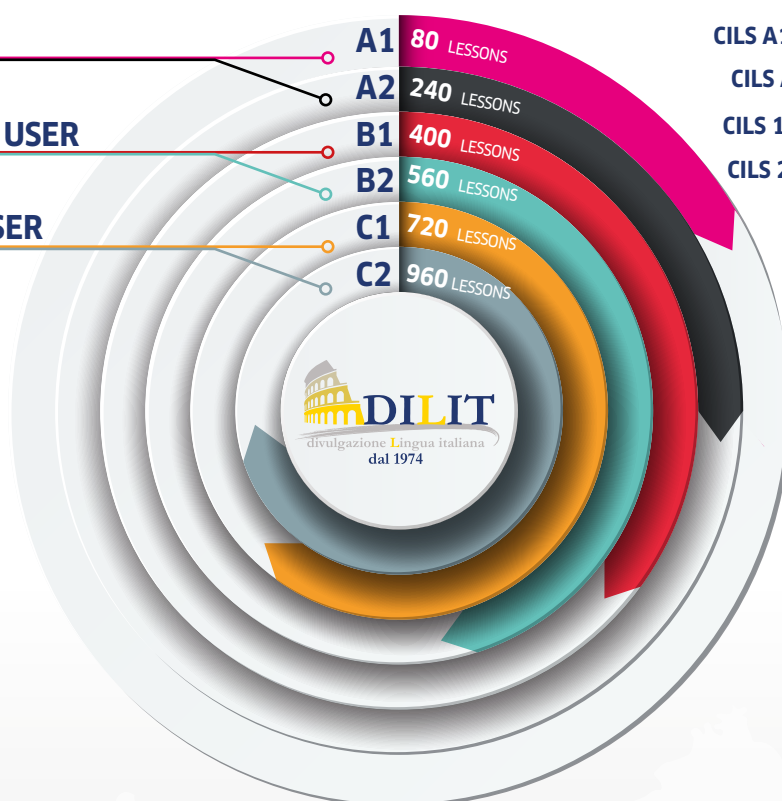
In common with most quality language providers in Europe, Dilit International House has set its course levels against the descriptors of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEF).

This is a system of levels developed under the auspices of the Council of Europe in order to bring uniformity to language descriptions and levels. This scale gives a short description of what learners can normally do at each of 6 levels (A1 to C2). The time it takes to learn to use a foreign language varies from person to person. Apart from the varying amount of time spent on home-study, other factors come into play such as individual aptitude, the distance between the foreign language and your native tongue or other languages previously learnt, the opportunity to practise the language with native speakers, and so on. The time presented in the chart below should therefore only be taken as a rough guide to the number of lessons needed to reach a particular level when starting off from beginner's level.

## BASIC USER

## INDEPENDENT USER

## PROFICIENT USER



CILS A1 - CELI IMPATTO - PLIDA A1 - DILIT A1

CILS A2 - CELI IMPATTO - BASE IT - DILIT A2

CILS 1 - CELI 2 - PLIDA B1 - ELE IT - DILIT B1

CILS 2 - CELI 3 - PLIDA B2 - INT.IT - DILIT B2

CILS 3 - CELI 4 - PLIDA C1 - DILIT C1

CILS 4 - CELI 5 - PLIDA C2 - DILIT C2

CILS - SIENA UNIVERSITY  
PLIDA - DANTE ALIGHIERI SOCIETY  
CELI- PERUGIA UNIVERSITY  
IT - ROMA 3 UNIVERSITY

Dilit International House has classes of all levels throughout the year, thus guaranteeing all students a class at the right level at all times.

# ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES



**T**hese courses have been designed to meet the ever increasing demand of a solid language course and bring students at a B2 (at least) level.

## Academic Year

This course is designed for those students who need a sound language and cultural foundation in order to study at an Italian Higher Education Institution (University, Academy of Fine Arts, Design Academy and Conservatory) on a bachelor degree (BA) or master degree courses (MA). It caters also for students who want to spend a year abroad before beginning at university in their own country (Gap Year) and also those students who are simply interested in Italian language and culture and want to acquire a high competence. It starts in March and November, lasts 40 weeks (42 weeks stay for the course starting in November) and is open to beginners and elementary students from all over the world, aged between 18 and 30. Total lessons: 800 (language) + 60 (Academic studies)\* + 36 (CILS or CELI Exam Preparation).

*\*According to the students' interests the topics can be two of: History of Italian Art, Italian Fashion, Architecture, Business Italian or Italian for Law.*

## Academic Semester

This course is designed for those students who need a sound language and cultural foundation in order to study at an Italian Higher Education Institution (University, Academy of Fine Arts, Design Academy and Conservatory) on a bachelor degree (BA) or master degree courses (MA). It caters also for students who want to spend a semester abroad before beginning at university in their own country (Gap Year) and also those students who are simply interested in Italian language and culture and want to acquire an high competence. It starts in January and July, lasts 24 weeks and is open to students with a full A2 level. Total lessons: 480 (language) + 30 (Academic studies) + 36 (CILS or CELI Exam Preparation).

## Marco Polo and Turandot Projects for Chinese Students

Through the "Marco Polo" and "Turandot" Projects Chinese students can enter Italian Higher Education Institutions (Universities, Conservatories, Academies of Design and Fine Arts). Students pre-enrol in one of the Higher Education Institutions and then, to finalize their enrolment, they have to follow an Italian language course in Italy and pass a final exam at B1 or B2 level which allows them to renew their Stay Permits without having to return to China. This course is run in agreement with Higher Education Institutions and is open to "Marco Polo" and "Turandot" students pre-enrolled in an Italian Higher Institution. At the end of the course students can sit the internationally-recognised CELI or CILS examinations at level B1 or B2. The course starts in November, lasts 40 weeks (42 weeks stay) and is open to beginners and elementary students. Total lessons: 1000 (of which 36 are reserved for Exam Preparation and about 160 for cultural activities which help to favour integration within Italian social and academic circles).



## Exams and Diplomas

During the programme, or at the end of it, students sit for examinations for the following qualifications:

DILIT-IH Intermediate Diploma

DILIT-IH Advanced Diploma

CILS (run by Siena University)\*

CELI (run by Perugia University)\*

*\*Students choose which of the two exams to apply for.*

## Visa and Stay Permit

On enrolment the school guarantees to send immediately all the documentation to apply for a study visa (if necessary). To this end the student is advised to contact the nearest Italian Embassy or Consulate for details. Once in Rome, school staff will assist the student with any relevant paper work in getting a Stay Permit.





## PREPARATORY COURSE FOR ITALIAN UNIVERSITIES

**This course prepares students for Italian University Entrance Examinations in the following faculties: Architecture, Engineering, Medicine, Veterinary Studies, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Fine Arts and Design. These Examinations assess language competence, general knowledge and knowledge of the subjects and topics relevant to the Faculty chosen.**

### Prerequisites

Minimum age: 18 years

High school diploma

Language Competence: B1 level

**The course is made up of 2 parts:**

### First Part

The first part consists of General Italian language tuition and seeks to supply students with the language knowledge needed to take part profitably in the second part of the course. The skills developed in this part are: listening comprehension and spoken production, reading comprehension and written production, and vocabulary expansion with particular reference to the sorts of texts that students will encounter in their entrance examinations.

### Second Part

The second part consists of specific preparation in the topics contained in the University Entrance Examinations. Course contents follow the guidelines set out by the Italian Ministry of Education. During the course the students will deal with the specific contents of the chosen university course: logic, physics, mathematics, chemistry, general knowledge, etc.. Moreover, past exam papers will be examined and practised.

**Duration** 6 weeks

**Lessons per week** 30

**Hours** Monday to Friday

9.00 - 12.20; 13.30 - 15.00

**Language levels** B1+

## Discovering Rome

A course where you learn Italian whilst going out to discover the unequalled artistic and archeological patrimony that only a city like Rome can offer. Students are offered the opportunity to improve their Italian whilst on a theoretical and practical journey through the history of Italian art. The course consists of a series of lessons combined with guided visits where students have the chance to see what they have studied.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15

**Hours** Monday to Friday

13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A1+

# ITALIAN THROUGH ART & CULTURE

## Italian through Architecture

The course analyses the artistic and architectural testimonies of the city, which, more than any other in the world, is a veritable open-air museum: Rome. From 753 A.D. up until today: via walks and colour slides, students learn about “visible” architecture (buildings, churches and parks) as well as “invisible” architecture, made up of priceless EMPTY urban places: the most beautiful squares in the world. We will trace the lives and works of the most important architects of the past and present who have left indelible marks on the lives of the Roman people; we will talk about ancient history, medieval history, the Renaissance, the Baroque period and the contemporary period. The various architectural styles will be compared and each student, using the tools they prefer, will choose a monument, an area, a church, or a building to produce a little Photographic and Theoretical Research about it.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15

**Hours** Monday to Friday

13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A2+





## Italian through Photography

Has the advent of digital photography really improved the quality of photography now that anyone can take photographs? The ease with which one can take photos has wiped out the dividing line which up until the nineties separated artists from ordinary people. On this course you will learn about techniques for photography on film and techniques for digital photography; we will try to understand the value of an image and what it tells us; we will analyse the contents of some of the best-known photos in the world. After the first week of study and theoretical examination of all sorts of techniques, the students (in group or individually) choose a topic (fashion, art, society, animals, journalism, etc.) to examine, first of all by analysis, on-site observation and rough drafts and then by the creation of a veritable “Photo Report Book” based on the city of Rome. N.B. The photographic apparatus and materials are supplied by the school.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15

**Hours** Monday to Friday

13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A2+

## Italian through Theatre

An involving way of living and learning Italian. Each section of the course begins with a particular type of written text (newspaper, article, play, song, etc.) which is then reworked by the students to create a theatre script. All the basic language skills are exploited plus body language and gestures. The culmination of each section is a live performance.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15

**Hours** Monday to Friday

13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** B1+

## Italian through Italian Cooking

The course caters for all those students who intend attending a training course for chefs or a course of specialization in Italian Cuisine, and who need adequate language preparation. The course is also recommended for those students who - whatever their job or occupation may be - want to get to know better this fascinating aspect of Italian culture.

**The Theoretical Component** The aim of the course is to improve general knowledge of the language, with particular attention to listening and oral production skills and the acquisition of that vocabulary essential in the field of gastronomy and Italian cuisine. Understanding written Italian is also developed in order to help students understand texts dealing with this subject.

**The Practical Component** Two sessions a week will be actual practical lessons under the guidance of an expert chef. During these lessons the participants will actually prepare themselves a few typical Italian dishes.

A part of the course is dedicated to getting to know Italian wines and matching them to different dishes. Trips outside the school are also organized to visit food markets and wine shops.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15 (including practice)

**Hours** Monday to Friday

13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A1+

## Italian through Film-Making

This course offers students the chance to learn Italian through the well-known and varied medium, Italian Cinema, culminating in the making of a short film. The students, under the guidance of a professional film director, get first-hand experience in the designing and implementation of each stage of film-making: story writing, choosing the location, transforming the story into a script, choosing costumes, make-up and props, rehearsals (including work on pronunciation, intonation and body language), and selecting background music. A professional videocamera and other film-set equipment is then used to carry out filming in the full sense of the word. Afterwards the students and director view the footage and analyse and select scenes suitable for the final version of the film. During all stages of the work students have to use the Italian language continuously and naturally. At the end of the course each participant receives a copy of the short film on DVD.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15

**Hours** Monday to Friday

15.00-17.30 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A1+



# ITALIAN + A TASTE OF ITALIAN CULTURE

This is an excellent way of combining language study with personal experience and a better understanding of some aspects of Italian life and culture. Just choose which subject you prefer. It's both fun and educational!

On top of the compulsory 20-lesson course in the mornings **Language Component**, students spend 2 afternoons a week for two weeks in a small group (1-5 students) with a teacher expert in the chosen subject **Cultural Component**. Students staying for more than 2 weeks can enrol in more than one programme if they so wish.

## Italian Home-Cooking

The Home-Cooking component offers students the opportunity to enter an Italian home, take part in the preparation of some typical Italian dishes and then eat them, together with a glass of good wine. It's an experience which brings together culture, gastronomy and language practice.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Sessions per week** 2 (3 hours each)

**Hours** from 17.00

**Language levels** A1+





## Italian Wine

The Italian Wine component offers an overview of the complex and fascinating world of Italian wines. The sessions aim to raise awareness about what we buy and what we drink and the differences between the various labels and bottles.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 3 lessons twice a week

**Hours** 13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A1+

## Italian Fashion

The Italian Fashion component looks into the history of Italian Fashion and can be a valid tool to getting to know this creative and glamorous world around which some of the greatest, well-known and appreciated industrial activities in Italy are centered. The classes aim to help students understand this specialized language.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 3 lessons twice a week

**Hours** 13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A2+





## Italian Cinema

The Italian Cinema component tackles the subject from two different perspectives: one historical and the other takes into consideration two of the best-known contemporary Italian directors. Neo-realism and its influence on film-making around the world. The seventies and social commitment. Nanni Moretti and Paolo Sorrentino, two examples appreciated in Italy and the world.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 3 lessons twice a week

**Hours** 13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A2+

## Meet the Italians

The Meet the Italians component offers an innovative and fun way to practise the Italian language. Each session is made up of a distinct learning unit. The first part of the session takes place in class with preparatory activities and the second part takes place outside the school with Italians. Each learning unit tackles a specific subject and supplies the students with the means to interact immediately with Italian speakers. The final phase of the session is in class where the teacher checks and gives feedback on appropriateness and accuracy.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 3 lessons twice a week

**Hours** 13.30-16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** from Beginner to B2 level



An amazing and  
fantastic experience....  
I wish I could stay  
longer, I'll be  
back for sure.  
Grazie!!!

Hedwig, from Germany, 63



## ROME FOR 50+

We consider those taking part our “special guests” and we take the utmost care to ensure them an unforgettable stay and a profitable learning and personal experience.

This programme is held three times a year, lasts 2 weeks and caters exclusively for people over 50. It's a mixture of language, art, culture and the pleasure of spending time together to share and improve your knowledge of those aspects of Rome that make this city so unforgettable.

Apart from 40 lessons of language learning in the morning in classes of mixed ages at the appropriate level, the programme includes the following activities:

- half-day trip to places of great interest around Rome;
- half-day trip in private coach to the Castelli Romani area including visiting a wine cellar, winetasting and dinner;
- a cooking lesson and dinner;
- 2 guided trips around Rome;
- 2 seminars on the History of Art;
- full day excursion in private coach.

All these activities take place in Italian and are guided and/or accompanied by teachers of Italian well versed in Archaeology and History of Art.



I had a great  
two weeks in Rome  
and time just flew!

Kevin, from USA , 38

## ROME FOR 30-40 YEAR-OLDS

Those who choose this programme deserve all our attention. All the activities are designed to create the right balance between language, art, culture, leisure and fun, so as to make the experience different and unforgettable.

The programme is run three times a year, lasts 2 weeks and is open to people between 30 and 40 years old.

On top of the 40 language lessons in morning classes with students of all ages but at the same level, the programme includes the following activities:

- *Welcome and orientation meeting;*
- *Half-day excursion in private coach to Castelli Romani including a visit to a wine-cellar, wine-tasting and dinner;*
- *A cooking lesson including dinner;*
- *A lesson on Italian wines;*
- *Two guided visits around Rome;*
- *Two seminars on the History of Art;*
- *Two cocktail parties;*
- *A dinner in Trastevere;*
- *A full-day excursion in private coach.*

All these activities take place in Italian and are guided and/or accompanied by teachers of Italian well versed in Archaeology and History of Art.



## BUSINESS ITALIAN

This course caters for people who need to use Italian at work. The objective is to develop effective communication skills at work and in business, both spoken and written. During the course, tailor-made to the specific needs of the participants, the grammar and vocabulary typical of commercial Italian - telephone conversations, company presentations, negotiations and sales, business meetings, formal letters, reports and messages/ emails will be analysed and practised.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15

**Hours** Monday to Friday

13.30 - 16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** B1+

## ITALIAN FOR LAW

This course aims to stimulate active learning of some of the basic notions of the Italian judiciary system. The main fields dealt with are civil law, penal law and constitutional law. The dynamic and active dimension of the course expresses itself in constant research-and-discovery activities on the part of the students, who are considered active central agents in the construction of what they learn, rather than passive listeners. Each activity proposed in class is a stimulating challenge towards the acquisition of ever more complex parts of legal language. The teacher has a dialogic role with the students, at their disposal for solving doubts, clarifying and giving confirmation of their hypotheses.

**Duration** 2 weeks

**Lessons per week** 15

**Hours** Monday to Friday

13.30 - 16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** B1+

## CILS or CELI EXAM PREPARATION

The school, an examination centre for the CILS examinations of Siena University and for the CELI examinations of Perugia University, holds preparation courses for each of these exams. We give students all the necessary information and advice on what exam to choose and how to enrol. During the course students have the opportunity to get used to specific exam procedures and practise on past examination papers.

**Duration** 6 weeks

**Lessons per week** 6

**Hours** twice a week

13.30 - 16.00 including 15 minutes break

**Language levels** A2+

# INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME

## OBJECTIVES

This Programme combines the study of the Italian language with unpaid work experience in an Italian company. The programme offers students an opportunity to use and improve their language skills and at the same time come into direct contact with a working environment which in many cases is peculiar to Italy.

## PROGRAMME CONTENTS

The Internship Programme is made up of two components: the Language Component and the Internship Component.

### LANGUAGE COMPONENT

The minimum language level required to access the Internship Component is B1. Students are tested for language competence level when they apply (the test can be carried out on the phone if necessary). If their level is not sufficient to enter the internship programme immediately they are given an estimate as to how much language study will be necessary to reach that level. In any case, as a minimum, students are required to attend a 4-week intensive course (see General Italian section).

### INTERNSHIP COMPONENT

Students choose a work experience lasting from 4 to 24 weeks. The work experience usually takes place in Rome.

Students can choose work experience in various fields of work in line with their studies, qualifications and experience.

## Services Provided

Evaluation of student's resume (C.V.) and questionnaire to conclude his/her work placement. Selection of appropriate company. Preliminary interview with student.

Assistance in presentation of necessary documents. Introduction of student to company and tutor. Meeting with work experience co-ordinator to define programme. Accident-at-work insurance coverage. Certificate of attendance.

**Minimum** age 18 years

**Level of education** high school diploma or degree

**Language Levels** B1+

# YOUR SOCIAL ACTIVITIES



**O**ur aim is to offer you the best opportunities to practise speaking Italian, improve your understanding and speed up your progress. We want you to have fun, meet other students, make new friends and enjoy the wonders of a city unique in the world.

## Sample Monthly Programme

	week1	week2	week3	week4
Monday	Welcome and Orientation meeting	Welcome and Orientation meeting	Welcome and Orientation meeting	Welcome and Orientation meeting
Tuesday	Visit Medieval Churches in Trastevere	Visit Villa Torlonia	Visit Villa Sciarra	Visit Teatro di Marcello
Wednesday	"Aperitivo"	Film	"Aperitivo"	Film
Thursday	Seminar Italian Wines	Seminar Correct Italian Pronunciation	Seminar Italian Cooking	Seminar Baroque in Rome
Friday	Visit Campidoglio	Opera a Caracalla La Tosca	Visit & Dinner Villa d'Este + pizza	Visit Three Baroque Churches
Saturday	Visit Roman Forum	Excursion Pompei	Visit Castel Sant'Angelo	Visit Piazza del Popolo + Pincio

All these activities take place in Italian and are guided and/or accompanied by teachers of Italian well versed in Archaeology and History of Art. A calendar of social events is given to each student on arrival at the school. Most of the activities are included in the enrolment fee.



## SCHOOL SERVICES AND STUDENT CARE

*Fully aware that a satisfying study holiday cannot only consist of a language course, we pay particular attention to those services which can contribute to making your stay as enjoyable as possible.*

*We are here to help and support you before your arrival and during your stay until you return home.*

*Our Reception and Accommodation team are always ready to help you with anything you may need, so do not hesitate to speak to us*

## Internet

Internet booths are freely available to all students who wish to use them from 8.00 to 17.00 Mondays to Fridays. Moreover, wi-fi internet access is available everywhere on the premises.

## Cafeteria and Leisure Areas

In the school cafeteria you can get drinks, snacks and lunch before or after classes. The international environment and friendly atmosphere makes it easy to meet people from all over the world using Italian as a common language.

It is a spacious and comfortable place, ideal to make friends, have fun, relax and study. Concerts, films, plays, parties, etc. are organised here. Books to read, table games and a piano are available for use at all times.

There is also a nice garden and two big terraces where you can relax drinking a Cappuccino, chat with your friends or read a book.



# ACCOMMODATION

**F**or students attending an Intensive Course, we can arrange accommodation on request. All accommodation has been carefully selected and is regularly monitored by our staff. It is all centrally located and the school can easily be reached in approx. 30 minutes by public transport. You can choose from one of the following possibilities: **Host family: single or double room, self catering or with breakfast or with half board (breakfast and dinner) Shared flat: single or double room, self catering.**

## Host Family

Students live with local residents. Your host family can be a “traditional” one, a single parent, an elderly person or a single. In selecting host families, our priority is that the host appreciates receiving foreign students and enjoys their company. Host families can host from 1 to 4 students: the kitchen and bathroom are shared.

## Shared Flat

Students share the flat with other students from the school. Our shared flats can host from 2 to 6 students: the kitchen and bathroom are shared.

## Categories

Host Families and Shared Flats are classified in two categories: **Standard** and **Standard Plus**. Regardless of the category, all accommodation is selected on the basis of quality, in terms of the general conditions of the flat, proximity to the school, environment and position in the city and the furniture and fittings of the flat itself.

**Bed & Breakfast, Hotel accommodation and Independent flats can also be arranged.**

### Notes

- Accommodation is booked from Sunday to Saturday
- Minimum stay - 1 week
- Minors only with host family
- Travel times from 15 up to 30 minutes





*International House Rome* opened in Via Marghera in 1963 and started teaching Italian 2 years later. In 1974 the Italian Department opened its own School: DILIT (“Divulgazione Lingua Italiana”), thus becoming an early member of the IH World Organization, now a network of over 150 schools in more than 50 countries.

**DILIT** today is well known around the world for excellence in language teaching and teacher training.

## DILIT - INTERNATIONAL HOUSE

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