

Year 1: Modern Foreign Language - Italian

Learning Objectives

- Can understand some familiar spoken words and phrases.
- Can say and/or repeat some words and short simple phrases.
- Can recognise and read out a few familiar words

Inter-Cultural Understanding objectives

- To know the Italian Culture through songs and traditions.
- To understand that there are different languages which use different words to us.

Syllabus Overview

- Greetings
- Introducing yourself
- Classroom language
- Colours
- Seasons: Autumn, Winter, Spring, Summer
- Family members
- School's objects
- Numbers up to 10
- Italian culture: Christmas, Epiphany, Carnival, Easter

Year 2: Modern Foreign Language - Italian

Learning Objectives

- Can understand some familiar spoken words and phrases.
- Can understand some familiar words and phrases when heard in short stories and songs.
- Can say and repeat few words and short simple phrases.
- Can pronounce vowels sounds.
- Can say some words or short phrases from memory.
- Can recognise and read out some familiar words.
- Can understand some familiar words and short phrases when they are written down.
- Can write or copy simple words and/or symbols correctly.

Inter-Cultural Understanding objectives o To know the Italian Culture through songs and traditions.

- To understand that there are different languages which use different words to us.
- To know that some people in our class or school speak or know other languages.

Syllabus Overview

- Greetings during the day
- Introducing yourself
- Classroom language
- Colours
- Seasons: Autumn, Winter, Spring, Summer
- Family Members
- Numbers up to 10
- My Pencil-case
- Italian culture: Christmas (Traditional food), Epiphany (La Befana), Carnival, Easter vocabulary
- Pet animals
- House

Year 3: Modern Foreign Language - Italian

Learning Objectives

- Can understand few familiar spoken words and phrases.
- Can understand some familiar words and phrases when heard in short stories, songs and rhymes.
- Can say and/or repeat some words or short simple phrases.
- Know how to pronounce vowels and sounds.
- Can recognise and read out some familiar words or phrases.
- Use visual clues to help with reading.
- Can write or copy simple words and/or symbols correctly.
- Select appropriate words to understand the concepts and basic rules of gender (masculine, feminine) and number (singular, plural).

Inter-Cultural Understanding objectives

- To Know the Italian Culture through songs, traditions, Art, famous artists.
- To know where language is spoken in the world. o To appreciate different languages in my class.
- To know some social/cultural conventions. (e.g. Christmas, birthdays, Easter).

Syllabus Overview

- Greetings during the day
- Introducing yourself
- Classroom language
- Colours
- Seasons: Autumn, Winter, Spring, Summer
- Family Tree
- Numbers up to 20
- My Pencil-case; School's objects
- Italian culture: Christmas (Traditional food), Epiphany (La Befana), Carnival (vocabulary and masks), Easter vocabulary
- Pet animals

Year 4: Modern Foreign Language - Italian

Learning Objectives

- Can understand a range of familiar spoken phrases.
- Can answer simple questions and give basic information.
- Know how to pronounce all single letter sounds.
- Show an awareness of sound patterns.
- Can understand some familiar written phrases
- Can write short sentences with support
- Begin to spell some commonly used words correctly.
- Can understand which article (definite or indefinite) to use correctly with different nouns.
- Start to perceive the need of conjugation of verbs in Italian.

Inter-Cultural Understanding objectives

- To Know the Italian Culture through songs, traditions, Art, Geography and famous artists.
- To learn about some festivals or important dates.
- To learn about some aspects of everyday life (spotting similarities & differences).
- To learn about ways of travelling to the countries where the language is spoken.

Syllabus Overview

- Parts of the day and related greetings.
- Introducing yourself; ask and say the age.
- Classroom language
- Colours
- Family Tree/ Relationships
- The alphabet; spelling of names/surnames.
- Seasons: Autumn, Winter, Spring, Summer; Four seasons in arts and music.
- Days of the week; Months of the year; Say
- Numbers up to 30
- My Pencil-case; School's objects
- Weather
- Italian culture: Christmas (Traditional food, decorations' vocabulary), Epiphany (La Befana), Carnival (vocabulary and masks), Easter vocabulary and games.
- Pet animals
- The House and its rooms

Year 5: Modern Foreign Language – Italian

Learning Objectives

- Can understand the main points from a spoken passage made up of familiar language.
- Can ask and answer simple questions.
- Know how to pronounce some letter strings.
- Show an awareness of sound patterns.
- Can understand the main point(s) from a short written text.
- Match sound to print by reading aloud familiar words and phrases.
- Can write a short sentence with support using words learnt.
- Spell words that are readily understandable.
- Can perceive the need of conjugation of verbs in Italian.

Inter-Cultural Understanding objectives

- To know the Italian Culture through songs, traditions, Art, Geography and History of the Country.
- To compare symbols, objects, products, currency which represent own culture with those of another country.
- To compare typical foods, eating habits.
- To compare a variety of languages (e.g. days of week, numbers, months) finding similarities/ differences.

Syllabus Overview

- Parts of the day and related greetings.
- Introducing yourself; ask and say the age; family's names and relationships.
- Classroom language.
- The alphabet; spelling of names/surnames.
- Seasons: Nature in Autumn, Winter, Spring, Summer; Four seasons in arts and music.
- Days of the week; Months of the year; Say the date.
- Numbers up to 1000
- My Pencil-case; School's objects - Weather conditions.
- Italian culture: Christmas (Traditional food, decorations' vocabulary), Epiphany (La Befana), Carnival (vocabulary and masks), Easter (vocabulary and games). - Animals
- The House and its rooms

Year 6: Modern Foreign Language - Italian

Learning Objectives

- Can understand the main points and some of the detail from a short spoken passage.
- Know how to pronounce a range of letter strings.
- Pronunciation is becoming more accurate and intonation is being developed.
- Can understand the main point(s) from a short passage.
- Can match sound to print by reading aloud familiar words and phrases.
- Can use a book or glossary to find out the meanings of new words.
- Can write a short text on a familiar topic, adapting language already learnt.
- Can spell commonly used words.
- Can use properly 1st, 2nd and 3rd singular persons. Can identify and correctly use adjectives and the most common connectives.

Inter-Cultural Understanding objectives

- To Know the Italian Culture through songs, traditions, Art, Geography and History of the Country, famous people and poems.
- To compare symbols, objects, products, currency which represent own culture with those of another country.
- To look at different views of world maps.
- To understand the value of travel and languages.
- To compare a variety of languages (e.g. days of week, numbers, months) finding similarities/ differences.

Syllabus Overview

- Parts of the day and related greetings.
- Introducing yourself; personal and general information ; family's names and relationships.
- Classroom language;
- The alphabet; spelling of names/surnames.
- Seasons: Nature in Autumn, Winter, Spring, Summer; Four seasons in arts and music.
- Days of the week; Months of the year; Say the date - Big Numbers over 1000.
- School's objects and School Subjects - Weather conditions and Forecast.
- Italian culture: Christmas around the World (Traditional food, decorations' vocabulary), Epiphany (La Befana), Carnival dress (vocabulary, masks and traditional dance), Easter (vocabulary and games).
- Italian famous authors and inventors.
- The House and its rooms