COURSE DETAIL

ELEMENTARY ITALIAN
Country Italy
Host Institution UC Center, Florence
Program(s) Italian in Florence,Made in Italy, Florence
UCEAP Course Level Lower Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Italian
UCEAP Course Number 12
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title ELEMENTARY ITALIAN
UCEAP Transcript Title ELEMENTARY ITALIAN
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course builds on and rapidly expands control of basic grammatical structures and vocabulary. Students consolidate their ability to negotiate basic survival situations in the target language and learn more advanced grammar concepts, especially with attention to the past tenses. They understand sentences and common expressions related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.g. very basic personal and family information, shopping, local topography, employment). They complete routine tasks requiring a simple and direct exchange of information on familiar matters. They describe in simple terms aspects of their background, environment, and matters in areas of immediate need. They talk about their family, living conditions, present or recent, and past work and school activities, and personal experiences. They are able to expand learned phrases through simple re-combinations of their elements. All four abilities (writing, speaking, listening, reading) are developed in the class, also with the support of authentic audiovisual materials such as Italian movies, short videos, tv programs, and songs. The course uses a communication-based approach: students engage in daily role-plays, group activities, games, and class discussions. Out of class activities are designed to take advantage of the opportunities for interaction and language practice, as well as immersion in Italian culture, that the city provides.

Language(s) of Instruction
Italian

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Host Institution Campus
UC Center Florence

Host Institution Faculty

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