COURSE DETAIL

UCEAP Semester Units

BEGINNING ITALIAN LANGUAGE Country Italy **Host Institution** University of Commerce Luigi Bocconi Program(s) **Bocconi University UCEAP Course Level Lower Division UCEAP Subject Area(s)** Italian **UCEAP Course Number** 1 **UCEAP Course Suffix** Α **UCEAP Official Title BEGINNING ITALIAN LANGUAGE UCEAP Transcript Title BEGINNING ITALIAN UCEAP Quarter Units** 4.00

Course Description

This is an intensive beginning Italian language course designed for students with 0-1 quarters of previous Italian language. This course serves as an introduction to Italian language for Bocconi students. Basic grammar is applied through exercises, games, communicative activities, short written texts and oral monologues and role play. Students learn to express basic needs, enabling them to communicate in familiar situations regarding familiar topics. Students read brief, simple texts and write brief descriptive and narrative texts. Grammar topics covered include: regular and irregular verbs, regular and irregular participles, reflexive forms, auxiliary and modal verbs (eg. potere, dovere, volere), and use of the verb 'piacere'. Students learn active conjugation of the auxiliary verbs, 'essere' and 'avere' and regular verbs in the indicative tense (present, past tense, imperfect, future simple); the conditional present and the imperative. Other grammatical elements include forms and uses of simple and articulated prepositions, adverbs, connectives, determinate and indeterminate articles, gender and number of adjectives, common regular and irregular nouns, demonstrative adjectives and pronouns, subject pronouns, direct and indirect pronouns, reflexive pronouns, and possessives. Student performance is evaluated based on guizzes and a final exam. Texts include a reader provided by Bocconi.

Language(s) of Instruction

Italian

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Italian Language for International Students

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