COURSE DETAIL

ELEMENTARY 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
B

UCEAP Official Title
ELEMENTARY ITALIAN LANGUAGE

UCEAP Transcript Title
ELEMENTARY ITALIAN

UCEAP Quarter Units
4.00

UCEAP Semester Units

2.70

Course Description

This is an intensive elementary Italian language course designed for students with a minimum of 2 quarters/1 semester of previous Italian language (the equivalent of Italian 1A). Grammar is applied through exercises, games, communicative activities, written texts and oral monologues, and role play. Students express basic needs which enable them to communicate in familiar situations regarding everyday 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 quizzes and a final exam. Texts include a reader provided by Bocconi.

Language(s) of Instruction
Italian

Host Institution Course Number

Host Institution Course Title
ELEMENTARY ITALIAN LANGUAGE

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Italian Language for International Students

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