



ITALIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE COURSES FOR ERASMUS AND EXCHANGE STUDENTS A.Y. 2019/2020

Every year the University of Bergamo, in collaboration with the C.I.S. - Italiano per Stranieri, offers semester courses of Italian language and culture to Erasmus and Exchange students.

1st semester

INTENSIVE ITALIAN LANGUAGE COURSE (September 2019)

The Intensive Italian language courses are mostly designed for beginners (CEFR A1/A2 and higher) and held before the beginning of the winter and spring semester. No credits will be assigned.

Before applying for the course below, please assess your language skills in the Erasmus+ Online Language Support System (OLS) or by using the framework available on <http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/European-language.levels-cefr>

from 2 nd to 13 th September 2019 <u>40 hours</u>	A1 (beginner Italian students) A2 (Elementary Italian Course)	CANIANA CAMPUS
from 9 th to 13 th September 2019 <u>15 hours</u>	B1 -B2 (Academic Italian for Economics)	CANIANA CAMPUS
from 3 rd to 12 th September 2019 <u>40 hours</u>	A1+/A2 (reserved Engineering students)	DALMINE CAMPUS
From 16 th -27 th September <u>40 hours</u>	B1 (Pre-intermediate students)	CITTA' ALTA CAMPUS

All courses are free of charge, but students are required to buy a coursebook.

NON-INTENSIVE ITALIAN LANGUAGE COURSE

In addition to the intensive course, students can attend 1 general course and 1 or more special courses per semester (according to your learning agreement).

FROM 3rd October 2019 TO 17th January, 2020

FROM 3rd October 2019 TO 20th December, 2019

(For Engineering students in DALMINE CAMPUS)

ASSESSMENT/ENTRY TEST

30th September, 2019

(1st semester) 16-18, Pignolo Campus

1) The General Courses (60 hrs) consist of two two-hour classes a week during the semester and are mostly held in different university buildings. Classes will be formed according to different levels from level A1 to C1.

At the end of each course, students will receive a certificate of attendance.

Students attending at least 50% of the classes and taking the Final Exam will be assigned 5 ects credits per semester.

All Exchange/ERASMUS students who would like to take the General courses **are obliged to take an ASSESSMENT/ENTRY TEST** in order to determine their proficiency at the beginning of the semester.

Absolute beginner students (A0) won't get credits. If they haven't done at least an Italian language course of minimum 30 hrs in their Country, they are invited to attend the intensive course before the beginning of the semesters.

2) Special Courses (30 hrs) consist of one two-hour classes a week during the semester and are mostly held in different university buildings. Please pay attention to the minimum level required (see below).

At the end of each course, students will receive a certificate of attendance.

Students attending at least 50% of the classes and taking the Final Exam will be assigned 3 ects credits per semester.

The special courses are:

Italian Culture 1 (60105)	Specifically designed for Intermediate, post- intermediate and advanced students	From B1 (upwards)
Writing Skills (60103)	specifically designed for post-intermediate and advanced students.	From B2 (upwards)
Academic Italian for Human Studies (NEW CODE)	specifically designed for post-intermediate and advanced students.	From B2 (upwards)
Expressive reading and Communication (NEW CODE)	specifically designed for elementary, intermediate and advanced students.	From A2 (upwards)

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE SUBMIT THE ON-LINE APPLICATION FORM:

<https://forms.gle/ARuk9EMHkqFAYxQcA>