

## COURSE CONTENT – ITALIAN SHORT COURSE

TOPIC	LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS	LANGUAGE STRUCTURES
<b>Greetings</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Saying hello and goodbye</li> <li>• Asking / Telling names</li> <li>• Introducing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alphabet and pronunciation</li> <li>• Verbs: present tense and reflexive: <i>mi chiamo</i></li> <li>• Formal and informal verb forms</li> <li>• Subject pronouns: <i>io, tu, lei, lui</i></li> <li>• Interrogatives: <i>come</i></li> </ul>
<b>Personal Details</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Asking / Telling origin and nationality</li> <li>• Asking / Telling professions</li> <li>• Asking / Providing contact details</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Key verb: <i>essere</i></li> <li>• Gender and number agreement with nationalities</li> <li>• Cardinal numbers</li> <li>• Interrogatives: <i>qual, dove</i></li> <li>• Prepositions: <i>di</i></li> <li>• Negation: <i>non lavoro</i></li> </ul>
<b>Family and Friends</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introducing friends and family</li> <li>• Asking / Stating age</li> <li>• Asking / Talking about family</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrative pronouns and adjectives: <i>questo/i, questa/e</i></li> <li>• Key verb: <i>avere</i></li> <li>• Interrogatives: <i>quanti</i></li> </ul>
<b>Eating Out</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ordering food and drinks</li> <li>• Offering</li> <li>• Accepting and refusing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interrogatives: <i>che cosa</i></li> <li>• Key verbs: <i>prendere, volere</i></li> <li>• Polite language: <i>prego</i></li> </ul>
<b>Directions and information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Asking where something is</li> <li>• Asking for clarification</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prepositions of place: <i>dietro</i></li> <li>• Adjectives of distance: <i>lontano</i></li> <li>• Prepositional phrases: <i>a piedi</i></li> </ul>
<b>Learning about the local area</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enquiring</li> <li>• Asking / Following directions</li> <li>• Describing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 'There is / are': <i>c'è and ci sono</i></li> <li>• Adverbs: <i>qui, lì</i></li> <li>• Nouns: <i>sinistra, destra</i></li> </ul>
<b>Grocery Shopping</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Asking for / Telling prices and exchange rates</li> <li>• Asking about / Stating requirements / need</li> <li>• Asking / Stating quantity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Measurements of money: <i>dollaro, euro, centesimo</i></li> <li>• Measurements of quantity: <i>chilo, etto, grammo</i></li> <li>• The pronoun <i>ne</i></li> </ul>