

COURSE CONTENT – ITALIAN LEVEL 3

A

TOPIC	LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS	LANGUAGE STRUCTURES
Shopping	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talking and asking about events that will occur in the future Shopping for clothes and shoes making a polite request Describing one's look 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Future tense (regular and irregular forms) Direct and indirect pronouns <i>Piacere</i> + indirect pronouns Demonstrative adjectives: <i>quello</i> Present conditional
Childhood and animals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describing past situations Speaking about childhood memories Talking about animals Understanding and carrying out a survey 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Past tense: <i>imperfetto</i> (forms and use) <i>Imperfetto</i> forms of irregular verbs: <i>essere, fare, bere, dire</i> <i>Passato prossimo</i> vs <i>imperfetto</i>

B

People	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describing a person physically Discussing one's personality Making, accepting and declining an invitation Describing actions which are going on right now 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use of auxiliaries <i>essere</i> and <i>avere</i> with <i>cominciare</i> and <i>finire</i> Superlativo assoluto with <i>molto</i> + adjective or suffix <i>-issimo</i> <i>Molto</i> (adjective and adverb) Use of present gerund (regular and main irregular forms)
Home sweet home	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding and giving home descriptions Expressing wishes Expressing the consequences of a hypothesis Expressing likes and dislikes Giving advice Complaining about someone or something 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ordinal numbers Comparatives (minority, majority and equality) Present conditional (regular and irregular forms) Use of <i>ci</i>
Travelling in Italy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding travel brochures and blogs Understanding and giving orders, recommendations and instructions Comparing and underlining cultural differences between Italy and one's country 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use and forms of <i>imperativo</i> Direct and indirect pronouns with <i>imperativo</i> Contracted and irregular forms of <i>imperativo</i>