



BLS Course Programme (January 2026)

Language Italian	Course level Beginners 1
Number of Sessions 10	Teacher's Name Maria
Course Book Nuovo Espresso 1, Alma Edizioni Materials will be provided: each lesson will be sent to students in pdf format	Prior Knowledge Required NO

Course Aims

This course is for anyone who is interested in learning for travel or just for pleasure. By the end of the course you will be able to understand and use the most common everyday Italian expressions. The course is student-centred and participants are encouraged to take part in simple conversation, role plays etc, in order to improve self confidence when speaking Italian.

Learning Objectives

Topics / Vocabulary	Grammar / Constructions
• Personal Information • Greeting people and introducing oneself. • Ask and answer simple questions on familiar topics, including food, travel, tourism, meeting new people, your life and your work. • Interact with native speakers, recognising familiar words and phrases concerning you, your family your immediate surroundings and the topics outlined above. • When reading, understand common names, words and simple sentences, for example on notices and posters or in text messages. • Write short emails, for example sending holiday greetings, making a request, or inviting someone to something. • Fill in forms with personal details, such as your name, nationality and address on a hotel registration form.	• Pronunciation C and G • Singular and Plural • Formal and Informal (Tu/Lei) • Present tense of To be and To have • Feminine and masculine of nouns and adjectives • Noun-adjective agreement • Present tense of Regular Verbs • Definite and indefinite articles • Simple Prepositions • The most common irregular verbs