



PROGRAMME COURSE BILD-GI30 – Level B2

Course fact-file - BILD-GI30-B2	
Students	Only adults (18 & over)
Course Length	2 weeks
Tuition	30 lessons of 50 minutes (25 hours) per week 6 classes per day
Class Size	Maximum 8
Level	B2– European Common Framework Upper Intermediate
Start date	May 19 th 2008
End date	May 30 th 2008

Lessons	From monday to friday	
09.00 10.00	Language focus; grammar	BILD-GI30-B2
10.00 10.50	Skills focus: vocabulary development, listening pronunciation	
10.50 11.05	Break	
11.05 13.00	Reading workshop; vocabulary development; communication activities	
13.00 14.00	Lunch Time	
14.00 15.00	Focus on Italian Life & Culture	BILD-GI30-B2
15.00 16.00	Writing skills - focus on history and literature	BILD-GI30-B2



GENERAL SUPER INTENSIVE ITALIAN COURSE CODE: GI30-BILD

This highly intensive course combines our Standard Italian Course AM and Standard Italian Course PM . This course is available all year round, runs every 2 weeks and is ideal for participants who only have 2 or 3 weeks. The course is available at 5 levels (according to European Frame work: A1 beginner / elementary – A2 Pre Intermediate – B1 Intermediate - B2 Upper Intermediate – C1 advanced)

The course covers speaking, listening, reading and writing skills naturally including grammar and vocabulary. The main emphasis of this course is on practical communication to build up the vocabulary and help to develop fluency and confidence. Our classes are usually small, which means that teachers can give the personal attention that students need. Participants are given plenty of opportunities to practise the spoken Italian language through discussions, debates and conversation activities, such as role-play

This course consists of 4 morning classes (**GENERAL INTENSIVE ITALIAN**) plus two lessons in the afternoon. The course consists of 30 lessons per week, from 9.00 am to 1.00 pm in the morning and 2.00pm to 4.00pm in the afternoon, Monday to Friday. Groups range from 3 to 8 students; and an excursion and activity programme is included

Course recognized by German Federal State regarding the "Bildungsurlaub":
Rheinland-Pfalz

Our Methods: Our aim is to help you learn quickly and effectively. To achieve this we teach in a direct and communicative manner, in Italian from the very first day, using the most advanced methods and the most dynamic and interactive techniques. All aspects of the language are covered with an emphasis on speaking and listening. As well as teaching Italian we also organise social and cultural activities to help make communication easier in normal everyday situations. The learning process focuses entirely on your needs as a student, your way of learning, and the classroom activities you like best. At ALCE we know that the best place to learn a language is in the country where it is spoken, as there you are in direct contact with local people. This is why we encourage you to take part in the various cultural and social exchange activities we organise with our Italian and international students.

Our teachers are all native speaker language graduates. In this way we guarantee a high standard of teaching. Our teachers are used to different learning styles and are well aware of the need for flexible teaching methods, especially with classes of mixed age, nationality and motivation. Improving a student's communication skills involves working on linguistic goals and socio-cultural adaptation, developing learning and communication strategies, emphasizing sentence coherence and cohesion, and focusing on meaning first, and then structure. We encourage our students to avoid simply imitating structures and to express themselves through their own linguistic creativity. Our teachers regularly attend teaching refresher programmes organised by our teaching co-ordinator, who also supervises the tests we use to chart the progress of our students during courses.

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