

Course Description

ITA1121 | Elementary Italian 2 | 4.00 credits

In this course, students will develop appropriate proficiency in interpersonal, interpretive, and presentational modes at the novice high level in Italian. Note: Students must pass this course with a C or better to continue to ITA2220. Prerequisite: ITA1120.

Competency 1: The student will engage in interpersonal and presentational communication on familiar topics by:

- 1. Exchanging personal information and making plans with others.
- 2. Presenting information about themselves, others, and familiar experiences or events.
- 3. Giving basic instructions and describing familiar places or things.
- Interacting in everyday situations such as ordering meals or making purchases.
- 5. Writing short notes, messages, and basic information about learned topics.

Competency 2: The student will demonstrate interpretive listening and reading skills by:

- 1. Understanding simple questions, statements, and main topics in conversations.
- 2. Comprehending short, simple messages and the main idea of published materials.
- 3. Interpreting simple information presented with pictures and graphs.
- 4. Understanding everyday notices and schedules in public places.
- 5. Listening to and comprehending audio material and short video clips.

Competency 3: The student will explore traditions and customs through communication by:

- 1. Identifying common products related to home and community life.
- 2. Recognizing beliefs and values about various aspects of society.
- 3. Imitating simple patterns of behavior in familiar settings.
- Comparing and contrasting everyday life experiences across different contexts.
- 5. Discussing familiar experiences or events using practiced language.

Learning Outcomes

• Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills

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