

Course Syllabus

Italian A: Culture and Society 7.5 Credits*, First Cycle

Learning Outcomes

On completion of the course, students will, in Italian, be able to:

- in speech and writing describe aspects of Italian geography, history, culture and society
- problematise and discuss simple issues concerning Italian society from a contrastive perspective.

Course Content

The course provides an overview of central aspects of Italian geography, history, culture and society. Emphasis is placed primarily on recent centuries through the study of selected non-fiction texts, newspaper articles and audiovisual material.

Assessment

- Active participation in seminars
- Oral presentations
- Written assignments
- Written examination

Forms of Study

Obligatory seminars in which students must participate actively and interact with their peers. The language of instruction is Italian.

Grades

The Swedish grades U–VG.

To achieve the grade of VG in the whole course, students must achieve VG in the modules *Written Examination* and *Written Assignments*.

Reporting of grades:

- Active Participation in Seminars and Oral Presentations - 2.5 cr
- Written Examination - 3 cr
- Written Assignments - 2 cr

Prerequisites

General entry requirements and Italian 3. Exemption from Swedish can be given.

Other Information

The course overlaps the following courses and cannot be used in a degree together with any of these:

Previous course codes for *Italian A: Culture and Society*, 7.5 cr, IT1021 and IT1006; *Italian A: Culture and Society, Northern Italy*, 7.5 cr; *Italian A: Culture and Society, Central Italy*, 7.5 cr; *Italian A: Culture and Society, Southern Italy*, 7.5 cr; *Italian A: Culture and Society, the Italian Islands*, 7.5 cr; *Italian A: Italian Business Communication and Culture*, 7.5 cr.

Subject:

Italian

Group of Subjects:

Italian

Disciplinary Domain:

Humanities, 100%

This course can be included in the following main field(s) of study:

1. Italian

Progression Indicator within (each) main field of study:

1. G1N

Approved:

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