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Central Club Course Outline:

Italian: beginners (b)

The following is meant as an outline guide to the course. The tutor may at her/his discretion make alterations to the content and order of the course. Please ask the Course Administration Staff for guidance if you are in any doubt about the suitability of the level of the course.

Course description

This is a general communication course addressed to who is willing to work, to live or simply to travel. Students should have completed Italian Stage 1a or equivalent (units 1-3 of Espresso). This course enables students to get a level of independent communication in order to face everyday practical situations.

Course content

Topic	Function	Grammar
Welcome to the Italian class (stage 'b')	General Revision	verbs: to be, to have definite and indefinite articles personal pronouns
How about the accommodation?	Booking a room in a hotel Days of the week and months	Prepositions (da, in, con, per)
Excuse me, How could we get to the Coliseum?	Giving and ask for directions Greet and thank people Revision and consolidation	Irregular verbs: to go, want, can, know.
Excuse me! What time is it?	Ask and tell the time Understand and talk about opening times General revision and practise	Some articulate prepositions Use of "ogni", "tutto".

Should I have experience for the course?

Yes. This is the second part of the beginner's stage. You will need to have a basic understanding of the language. We recommend that you have completed approximately 20 hours of study.

What can I expect to learn?

By the end of the course you will be able to make and confirm hotel reservations, ask for and giving directions, ask and tell the time, ask for and giving basic information, understanding and talking about opening times

What should I bring to the course?

A notebook and a pen would be very handy, be prepared to do homework.

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By phone

Payments by Mastercard/Visa and debit card are accepted. Please have details of your credit card and the course title and course code ready. Call 020 7079 2855