

**ITALIAN 182**  
**ITALIAN LAB 2**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

Prerequisites: ITA 181

Corequisites: ITA 112

This course provides an opportunity to enhance acquisition of the fundamental elements of the Italian language. Emphasis is on the progressive development of basic listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills through the use of various supplementary learning media and materials. Upon completion, students should be able to comprehend and respond with increasing proficiency to spoken and written Italian and demonstrate cultural awareness. *This course is approved to satisfy the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement for transferability as a pre-major and/or elective course requirement.* Course Hours Per Week: Lab, 2. Semester Hours Credit, 1.

**OUTLINE OF INSTRUCTION:**

- I. Further development of demonstrative adjectives and pronouns
  - A. Exercises
  - B. Cultural reading and authentic material provided by the instructor
- II. Further development of direct and indirect pronouns
  - A. Practice through games
  - B. Cultural reading and authentic food samples provided by the instructor
- III. Further development of the verb “Piacere”
  - A. Practice through role play
  - B. Cultural reading (La Sicilia terra dei contrasti) and artistic and historic material provided by the Instructor
- IV. Cultural reading (Mezzi di diffusione in Italia)
  - A. Newspapers, magazines, TV schedules etc. provided by the students. The students will go through that material and read some short passages.
- V. Further development of “pronomi doppi”
  - A. Exercises through visual instances and situations
  - B. Cultural reading (Le abitazioni in Italia) and authentic advertising and photographic material brought by the instructor
- VI. Cultural reading (Il lavoro e la donna)
  - A. Conversation about the position of the Italian woman in the working environment

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- VII. Further development of the comparatives
  - A. Role plays and games
  - B. Cultural reading (Paesaggi della Campania) and authentic material (brochures, postcards) brought by the instructor
- VIII. Cultural reading (Gli sport in Italia)
  - A. Students will read some short passages from “La Gazzetta dello Sport”
- IX. Further development of the subjunctive
  - A. Further exercises provided by the instructor
- X. Cultural reading (Alcuni problemi ecologici)
- XI. Cultural reading (L’opera italiana e la commedia dell’arte). Authentic material related to the theater, and “Commedia dell’arte” provided by the instructor.

### **REQUIRED TEXTBOOK AND MATERIALS:**

Textbooks to be chosen by instructor and will be listed on the syllabus. Textbook titles will be available in the college's bookstore.

### **STATEMENT FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES:**

Students who require academic accommodations due to any physical, psychological, or learning disability are encouraged to request assistance from a disability services counselor within the first two weeks of class. Likewise, students who potentially require emergency medical attention due to any chronic health condition are encouraged to disclose this information to a disability services counselor within the first two weeks of class. Counselors can be contacted by calling 686-3652 or by visiting the Student Development Office in the Phail Wynn Jr. Student Services Center, room 1309.