WEA Course information sheet 2019-20



| Course title: Italian Intermediate | | Course ID: C3677594 |
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| Start date: 28/04/2020 | End date: 30/06/2020 | Day(s)/time(s): Tue 09:15 |
| Number of sessions: 10 | Hours per session: 2 | Tutor Silvana Poloni |
| Additional hours: | Online Learning Hours: 0 | |
| Specific funder/partner requ | uirements: | |
| Awarding body (if any). | | Level Level 2 |

Awarding body (if any):

Title of qualification to be gained:

Level: Level 2

Fee: £.00 or Free if you are in receipt of an income related benefit (only SFA funded)

Accreditation Fee (if applicable):

Venue: Online Learning, Online, ZZ99 9ZZ

Theme(s): The WEA has four themes it uses for planning its provision.

Employability – helping students to get a job or to make progress in their employment **Health and Wellbeing** – making a positive contribution to their own or others health and wellbeing **Community Engagement** – encouraging students to be positively involved in their communities

Culture – learning about diverse cultures, identities and environments

The Theme(s) used in planning your course is/ are:

1. Culture Education

2.

Course Aim

This course will help students to develop language skills and will equip you with the confidence and appropriate knowledge to communicate in and understand intermediate Italian

Course Description

This course is aimed at people who have an intermediate knowledge of the Italian language, but keen to develop it further.

The course will focus on oral, listening and speaking skills, but also reading and writing, so that the student will be able to communicate effectively.

Being focused on communication skills, active participation during the classes will be encouraged. Each term the course will cover a different topic designed to broaden the learner's understanding of Italian society, culture and lifestyle

Do I need any particular skills or experience?

What will I achieve?

By the end of the course I will be able to:

- 1. plan a holiday in Italy
- 2. talk about an Italian city
- 3. express desires and intentions
- 4. Talk about an aspect of the Italian culture

5. Demonstrate an understanding of simple passages and written material in Italian

What teaching methods will be used and will there be work outside of the class?

- The WEA tutor will use a range of different teaching and learning methods and encourage you and the group to be actively involved in your learning
- You may be asked to undertake additional work in your own time to support your learning

What kind of feedback can I expect from the tutor?

- A range of informal activities will be used by the tutor to see what you are learning which may include quizzes, question and answer, small projects and discussion
- You will have opportunities to discuss your progress with your tutor
- You will be encouraged to share your work with the group and discuss your learning
- You will be encouraged to consider other students work and give your opinions and suggestions

What else do I need to know? Is there anything I need to bring?

- Nothing else is needed
- All materials will be provided

Pre-course work, reading and information sources

- being an ongoing course, the passato prossimo, imperfetto, futuro, condizionale and other things have been already covered.

If you are joining the class this term, it will be useful to know all of these things.

If you want to check your level, ask the WEA to put you in contact with the tutor.

Possible next steps after this course (including career opportunities if appropriate)

- Progress to another WEA course

Learning with the WEA

WEA courses increasingly make use of the rich variety of educational tools and material available on the internet and from digital devices. The WEA's digital learning platform, Canvas will play an increasing role in all WEA courses to provide resources or support, or to conduct lessons, enable assessment, provide learner feedback and for other activities for individuals away from the course. It is helpful, although not essential if you have access to a computer or smartphone to support your course.

You can read about your entitlements and responsibilities as a WEA student in our leaflet, Student Handbook here http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/student-support This includes information on fees, learning support and financial support. As part of your course you accept our Learning Agreement and Privacy Notice. Full details of the Learning Agreement and privacy notice can be found on our website at http://www.wea.org.uk/policies. This applies to all courses you take in this academic year.

You can enrol online for some courses http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/course-search or contact: WEA Support Services, Suite 10B Joseph's Well, Hanover Way, Leeds, West Yorkshire, LS3 1AB Tel: 0300 303 3464 Email: courseenquiries@wea.org.uk







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