FALL 2023 CLASS SCHEDULE:

10 weeks courses: (Sept. 25-Dec. 9 evening/Sat.)
5 weeks courses: Session 1 - Sept. 25 - Oct. 27
Session 2 - Oct. 30 - Dec. 8 (only courses listed under Fall Session 2)

BEGINNERS

BEGINNERS 1 (A1)
For complete beginners.
- Mon. 6:30-8:30pm (Bethesda) TBD
- Tue. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Laura Loddo
- Thu. 3:00-5:00pm (Hemdon, VA) ** Stefania Auci
- Sat. 11:00-1:00pm (Bethesda) S. Vergassola
- Session 1: Tue/Thu. 10am-12pm (online) A. Pellegrino

BEGINNERS 2 (A1)
- Wed. 10am-12pm (Bethesda) TBD
- Wed. 5:30-7:30pm (Hemdon, VA) Laura Granata
- Wed. 6:30-8:30pm (Bethesda) TBD
- Thu. 6:30-8:30pm (online) TBD
- Session 2: Tue/Thu. 12:00-2:00pm (online) S. Mattocci
- Session 2: Wed/Fri. 11am-1:00pm (Bethesda) F. Deigan

BEGINNERS INTENSIVE (A1)
This course is for Spanish, Portuguese or French speakers or whoever has been exposed to Italian and would like to review from the beginning at a fast pace.
- Thu. 6:00-8:00pm (online) Carlo Ellena
- Mon. 6:30-8:30pm (Bethesda) TBD

ELEMENTARY

ELEMENTARY 1 (A2)
For students who completed Beginners 1 and 2 (A1)
- Tue. 6:30-8:30pm (Bethesda) Federica Deigan
- Thu. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Tarita Coletta
- Sat. 11:00am-1:00pm (Bethesda) S. Vergassola
- Session 1: Tue/Thu. 10am-12pm (online) A. Pellegrino

ELEMENTARY 2 (A2)
- Mon. 6:30-8:30pm (online) L. Granata
- Session 2: Tue/Thu. 10am-12pm (online) A. Pellegrino

ELEMENTARY 3 (A2)
- Session 1: Thu. 11am-1pm & Thu. 1-3pm (Bethesda) Federica Deigan **starts October 3rd

INTERMEDIATE

PRE-INTERMEDIATE (A2-B1)
- Tue. 6:00-8:00pm (online) Carlo Ellena
- Sat. 10am-12pm (Bethesda) Samantha Mattocci
- Session 2: Tue. 10am-12pm & Thu. 1-3pm (Bethesda) Federica Deigan **starts Nov. 7th

INTERMEDIATE 1 (B1)
- Mon. 6:30-8:30pm (Bethesda) Annelise Brody
- Tue. 3:00-5:00pm (online) A. Pellegrino
- Wed. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Laura Loddo

PRE-ADVANCED (B2-C1)
Textbook: Nuovo Espresso 4 (Alma Edizione)
- Mon. 2:00-4:00pm (Bethesda) Laura Granata
- Tue. 3:00-5:00pm (online) Laura Granata

VIAGGIO IN ITALIA (A2-B2)
Students will learn Italian through a "Grand Tour of Italy" discovering main cities, regions, history and historical characters, art, society, culture, and pop culture. Speaking, reading and listening comprehension with grammar in context. Textbook: Nuovo Spazio Civiltà - Loescher Editore
- Mon. 2:00-4:00pm (online) Antonella Pellegrino

LEGGERE, ASCOLTARE, PARLARE (B1-C1)
Students will gain a deeper knowledge of Italian society, the language, and its structures by reading and analyzing anthological literature both by classical/contemporary authors. Emphasis is on oral communication with one hour dedicated to grammar study, plus conversation, listening and reading exercises. Caleidoscopio Italiano (Loescher)
- Fri. 10:00-12:00pm (online) Antonella Pellegrino

ITALIAN BOOK CLUB (B1-C2)
Students will read "L'inverno dei Leoni" of Stefania Auci, (part I). Lezione, analisi, conversazione e un pizzico di grammatica
- Thu. 10:15-11:45am (Bethesda) Valentina Asciutti

ADVANCED

DAYTIME CLASSES

ADVANCED GRAMMAR & CONVERSATION (B2-C2)
Fri. 10:00-12:00 pm (Bethesda/online) Sofia Caliguri

ADVANCED CONVERSATION, WRITING & GRAMMAR REVIEW (C1-C2)
This course is for adults and teens
- Tue/Thu.10:00am-12:00pm (online) Cristiana Fabiani

ITALIAN LITERATURE - MEDIEVAL TO CURRENT TIMES: PART 1- DANTE’S JOURNEY (C1-C2) (Also for Italians)
This University level course will cover the main Italian literary authors, starting with Dante Alighieri and through modern times.
- Tue. 11:00am-1:00pm (Bethesda/online) Annelise Brody

LIVE FROM ITALY: ADVANCED CONVERSATION & WRITING (B2-C2)
Learn Italian daily news, lifestyle & culture through news media. Intermediate/advanced conversation and writing with Italian journalist and teacher. Dates: Nov. 7-Dec. 12
- Tue. 10am-12pm & Thu. 1-3pm (Bethesda) Cristiana Fabiani

ADDITIONAL CLASSES

PRE-ADVANCED (B2-C1)
Textbook: Nuovo Espresso 4 (Alma Edizione)
- Mon. 2:00-4:00pm (online) L. Granata
- Tue. 3:00-5:00pm (online) Laura Granata

VIAGGIO IN ITALIA (A2-B2)
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- Mon. 2:00-4:00pm (online) Antonella Pellegrino

LEGGERE, ASCOLTARE, PARLARE (B1-C1)
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- Fri. 10:00-12:00pm (online) Antonella Pellegrino

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- Thu. 10:15-11:45am (Bethesda) Valentina Asciutti

ALLA RICERCA DEI TESORI D'ITALIA (B2-C2) - session 1
Discovering Italy's treasures through reading comprehension, conversation and grammar review.
- Monday/Wednesday: Caccia ai tesori (Loescher Editore)
- Mon/Wed. 10:00am-12:00pm (Bethesda/online) Laura Granata

PARLIAMO DI ARTE (B2-C2) - Also for Italians
Curious to know more about the secrets of Italian art and be able to talk about it? For example, why an artist would sign or not sign his own work, the difference between a Greek or Roman portrait, how to decipher a painting by looking at its iconographic symbols and use of colors, the importance of portraits in the Renaissance, their characteristics, etc. Book: Parliamo d’arte – Loescher Edit.
- Fri. 10:30am-12:00pm (Bethesda/online) Annelise Brody

ADVANCED CONVERSATION, READING & GRAMMAR REVIEW (C1-C2) - Session 1
Conversation and reading of the novel "La luna e i falò" of Cesare Pavese, with grammar review in context.
- Tue/Thu. 10:00am-12:00pm (online) Cristiana Fabiani

NARRATIVA CLASICA E CONTEMPORANEA (C1-C2)
This course is for adults and teens
- Students will read "Seto" of Alessandro Baricco. One hour is dedicated to the book and one hour to conversation on current events/grammar.
- Mon./Wed. 10:00-12:00pm (online) Antonella Pellegrino

EVENING CLASSES (6:30-8:30pm):

GLI OCCHI DELLA GIOCONDA (B1-C1) - seconda parte
Students will continue reading "Gli occhi della Gioconda" of Alberto Angela. This course includes reading, speaking, and listening comprehension exercises and grammar review.
- Mon. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Silvana De Luca

ADV. GRAMMAR REVIEW & CONVERSATION (B2-C2)
Advanced conversation and grammar review using the textbook: Nuovo Contatto 1 (Loescher Editore).
- Mon. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Tarita Coletta

FAVOLE AL TELEFONO (B1-B2) - seconda parte
Students will continue reading and discussing some of Rodari's fanciful fables, focusing on conversation and grammar review.
- Tue. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Silvana De Luca

ITALIAN BOOK CLUB (B1-C2)
Students will read "L'inverno dei Leoni" of Stefania Auci, (part I). Lezione, analisi, conversazione e un pizzico di grammatica
- Thu. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Valentina Asciutti

GLI OCCHI DELLA GIOCONDA (B1-C1) - prima parte
Students will read "Gli occhi della Gioconda" of Alberto Angela. This course includes reading, speaking, and listening comprehension exercises and grammar review.
- Thu. 6:30-8:30pm (online) Silvana De Luca
Learn about the works of art conserved in Palazzo Barberini and its history. We will discuss a wide variety of topics relating to Italian Culture, History and Foods. Materials provided by the teacher and students’ research.

BEGINNERS 2 (A1) – sess. 2
For students who already took Beginners 1 (A1) or studied Italian in the past and know the basics.
Monday and Thursday 5:00-6:00pm (Bethesda/online)  S. Mattocci

ADVANCED LEVEL CONVERSATION (C1-C2)
Students will discuss a wide variety of topics relating to Italian Culture, History and Foods.
Monday and Thursday 5:00-6:00pm (online)  Cristiana Fabiani

ITALIAN HISTORY THROUGH LITERATURE, Part 1
By Rinascimento vs. Risorgimento

Instructor Laura Loddo will take you on a virtual tour of Venice, and share her insider knowledge about this picturesque city, its winding canals, striking architecture, and beautiful bridges.

ITALIAN HISTORY THROUGH LITERATURE, Part 2

Latin language and Roman History. Fundamentals of grammar and syntax will be studied, and emphasis will be given to Latin as a source of linguistic performance in other languages, particularly English and Italian.

LATIN

For Teens/Adults (in English).

Latin-Beginners 1: To 1:30pm (Bethesda/online)
Yoga classes are scheduled for Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:30 to 8:30 pm, and Saturdays from 10:00 to 11:00 am.

ITALIAN HISTORY THROUGH LITERATURE

Latin: To 1:30pm (Bethesda/online)

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