

DOBBS FERRY MIDDLE SCHOOL
Dobbs Ferry, New York 10522

COURSE OUTLINE

SUBJECT: Italian 1 B

GRADE: 8

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Foreign language study in level I B is a continuation of instruction through grades 5, 6, and 7. Students will have studied the basic grammatical structures and verb forms in the target language and should possess a strong foundation in auditory and reading comprehension. In level I B, the students will further develop the skills of speaking, listening, reading and writing. They are required to take the District's LOTE Proficiency Examination in the target language in June. Upon successful completion of the course and exam, the student will be rewarded with one high school credit.

ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES:

By June of this year, students in this class will be able to...

- Demonstrate oral/ aural proficiency and accuracy. (NYS 1, N 1.1)
- Write clear sentences in Italian using correct grammatical form. (NYS 1; N 1.3)
- Read basic announcements and articles in Italian. (NYS 1; N 1.2)
- Respond accurately and appropriately on both a written and verbal level to situational questions and directions. (NYS 1; N 1.1, 1.2)
- Appreciate foreign cultures. (NYS 2; N 2.1, 2.2)
- Understand the importance of foreign language learning for both personal and career use. (NYS 1; N 5.1; 5.2)

MATERIALS:

Text: *Percorsi Level Two* With accompanying workbook copies: **Supplementary**

Materials: *Un' Estate Tutta Diversa* and other supplementary reading materials.

Required Supplies: 3 Subject Spiral note book for Italian with folder inserts for class materials/handouts; pens, pencils; dry erase and highlighter.

CRITERIA FOR ASSESSMENT:

- Tests-Exams- Quizzes
- Projects
- Class Participation
- Aural recognition
- Student attention and response
- Student performance
- Home/class work

STUDENT/PARENT RESOURCES:

Languageguide.org

languagesonline.org

<http://www.uvm.edu/~cmazzoni/3grammatica/grammatica/index.html>

<http://www.italian-flashcards.com/>

<http://italian.about.com/>

<http://webgerman.com/languages/italian.htm>

<http://www.fodors.com/language/italian/>

<http://www.quia.com/pages/mpiparo/dobbsitaliano6>

<http://www.quia.com/pages/mpiparo/dobbsitaliano7>

<http://www.quia.com/pages/mpiparo/dobbsitaliano8>

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