WHO ARE WE?

The School of Languages is a government school established 37 years ago. We offer 22 languages after school hours, in 25 different locations around the metropolitan area, to over 2,000 students from all schooling sectors.

Our aim is to enhance access, choice and continuity in language learning for South Australian learners. Our programs complement and supplement languages programs offered in mainstream schools and community schools.

WHY ENROL?

- * Courses offered out-of-school hours without clashing with your day school's timetable.
- * End of Term reports sent home and to your day school.
- * The more languages you learn the better job opportunities you'll have in the future.





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ITALIAN

2024 Course Information





ABOUT ITALIAN

Italian, also known as Standard Italian or italiano standard, is the official language of Italy, the Vatican City, San Marino and parts of Switzerland. It is also an official language of the European Union. Italian is, and has been for many years, one of the major community languages in Australia and has been taught in Australian schools and universities since the 1930s.

Italian belongs to the Romance family of languages and is closely connected to its 'sibling' languages of Spanish, Portuguese and French. It is mostly a phonetic language, pronounced generally as it is written, which is especially helpful in the development of listening and speaking skills.

There are also regional dialects of Italian that are used in local contexts both in Italy and beyond. Some students may bring their experience of the use of regional dialects to the Italian classroom.

Learners of Italian in Australian schools come from a wide range of backgrounds, and include learners for whom this represents a first experience of learning Italian; learners who have existing connections with Italian, most directly as background Italian speakers, as second or third generation Italian Australians; and learners who may have experience in a related variety of Italian or another Romance language.

Adapted from the Australian Curriculum: Languages – Italian Context Statement https://www.australiancurriculum.edu.au/f-10-curriculum/languages/italian/context-statement/

WHERE ARE THE LESSONS HELD?

Italian Years R-6	Annesley Junior School Wednesday, 3:45-5:15pm
Years R-6	School of Languages Thursday, 4:30-6:00pm Saturday, 9:00am-12:00pm
Years R-6	Walkerville Primary School Tuesday, 3:45-5:15pm
S1/S2 Continuers	Adelaide High School Thursday, 5:00-8:00pm
Years 7/8/9 Year 10 S1/S2 Beginners	School of Languages Wednesday, 4:30-7:00pm Wednesday, 4:30-7:30pm Wednesday, 4:30-7:30pm



HOW ARE COURSES DELIVERED?

The School of Languages offers year long courses beginning in February and following school terms. Classes are held once per week.

HOW DO I ENROL?

Enrolment forms are available on the School of Languages website:

www.schooloflanguages.sa.edu.au

If you have any queries about the correct course to enrol into, please fill in the Enrolment Enquiry form available on our website and a Enrolment Officer will reply to your enquiry.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

The following annual charge applies per language:

Years R-10: \$150 Stage 1/2 SACE: \$180

Government International Full Fee Paying Students:

Years R-6: \$720 Years 7-10: \$860 Years 11/12: \$1000

Non-Government International Full Fee Paying Students:

Years R-6: \$1150 Years 7-10: \$1250 Years 11/12: \$1350

Adult Students:

If enrolled at another school: \$180 All other adult students: \$400