

## School of Arts & Sciences - Spring 2023

### Prospectus

#### Accelerated Elementary Italian

**Course ID and 6-digit Number:** ITAL 0120-301

#### Course Description

An intensive two-credit course covering the first and second semester of the elementary year for students who have never studied Italian before but have already fulfilled the language requirement in another modern language, preferably a romance language. Students who have fulfilled the language requirement in a language other than a romance language will be considered on an individual basis. All students must have departmental permission to register. Classwork emphasizes the development of spontaneous discourse skills and interactional competence.

#### Prerequisites

- Proficiency in another Romance Language

#### Class Structure for Spring 2023

- In-Person Sessions Planned
- Students will attend classes MWF 1:45-2:44 pm
- Students will complete out-of-class assignments as indicated by the instructor

#### Out-of-class Activities

- Weekly Forum Discussion on Canvas
- Weekly Video/Voice Recordings
- Daily Assignments (exercises in the textbook, handouts, compositions, videos, research, mini presentations)

#### Essential Course Policies

- **Required textbook:** *DIECI lezioni di Italiano A1*. Alma Edizioni. **ISBN** 9788861826762 (**libro +ebook interattivo**).
- **Required textbook:** *DIECI lezioni di Italiano A2*. Alma Edizioni. **ISBN:** 9788861826823 (**libro +e-book interattivo**)
- Additional course material provided by the instructor
- Access to Canvas

#### Outline of Assignments and Assessments

- Attendance and participation 15%
- Blogs & Voice/Video Recordings 15%
- Compositions 15%
- Presentations 10%
- Quizzes 10%
- Written assessments 20%

- Oral assessment 5%
- Final Project (*compito finale*) 10%

Students requiring accommodations of any kind should let the instructor know as soon as possible.

Students are invited to consult with Student Financial Services to find out what support they are eligible to receive to cover course costs or other items that ensure their health, safety, and secure learning environment.