

# B1 Italian

## Online Conversation Classes





## **B1 Italian** Online Conversation Classes

Language: Italian

Course Modality: Online

Duration: 4 months

Certificate: TECH Global University

Credits: 2 ECTS

Official N° of Hours: 40 h.

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*We prepare you for a global society, characterized by the unstoppable expansion of new markets; extraordinary cultural, social and linguistic diversity; innovation and technology as generators of opportunities; immediacy and proximity; and collaboration and constant change"*

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# 01 Welcome

Italian is a language of enormous cultural, historical and political strength. Italy is the country of artistic monuments, of Raphael, Michelangelo, Dante, Petrarch and Fellini. For that reason, it is one of the most exciting and influential languages in Europe, and today it continues to extend its power through the country's large industry and the nation's political influence in institutions such as the European Union. It is, therefore, a great decision to improve the level to B1. TECH offers students the possibility to do so through group conversation classes, guided by native teachers. All of this, according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).



Presentation video





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*Improve your expression and comprehension of Italian thanks to this university program and pass the CEFR Level B1 oral test"*

## Introduction

This online group conversation classes university program is specifically aimed at improving the student's level of Italian in a quick and simple way. It adapts to your circumstances and allows you to develop new linguistic skills in this language, based on a complete syllabus, a native teacher and a very agile and totally practice-focused class dynamic. Thus, you will not only reach a B1 level of Italian quickly, but you will also prepare yourself to certify your level according to the CEFR.

*TECH's group classes will allow you to interact with other students and native teachers, ensuring that your learning process is the most effective.*

*This university program will prepare you to pass the CEFR Italian B1 oral test through more than 100 activities.*





*It is proven that learning languages increases your Intelligence. Learning a foreign language strengthens the brain's neural networks"*

**José Antonio Marina.**  
*Philosopher, writer, and teacher.*

A unique and stimulating experience



### Flexible and Tailored

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Take the best Italian conversation program, at your own pace based on your personal availability and schedule.



### Acquires Skills and Abilities

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With our method you will practice and consolidate the oral communication skills required at this level.



### Networking

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Join a large community and exchange knowledge and experiences with students from all over the world.



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# Is it Important to Obtain a Language Certificate?

In today's competitive world, speaking other languages is a key part of our modern culture, helping us to expand our knowledge and interact with people from other parts of the world, which helps us to learn about the traditions of other countries, establish friendships or conduct business.

However, simply knowing foreign languages is not enough in modern society.

**Nowadays, students must have an official qualification** that accredits and recognizes their proficiency in a given language. In fact, many schools, universities and companies **only** accept candidates who have an official qualification based on the **Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR)**.

Thus, this university program is a great opportunity for all those who are interested in improving their level of Italian while preparing to certify their level.







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*Proof of a B1 level in Italian is essential for access to master's and doctoral programs and scholarships. Get it thanks to this university course"*

## TECH Global University

The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages is the **only officially recognized and accredited system for assessing a student's level of proficiency**. Although there are other certification systems, these come from private institutions and are, therefore, **not officially valid**. The CEFR establishes a single criterion to determine the difficulty of the courses and awards certificates that are recognized throughout the European Union.

At TECH Global University we offer you the only intensive program designed to prepare you to obtain your official certificate based 100% on the CEFR, the only official system recognized and accepted throughout Europe.

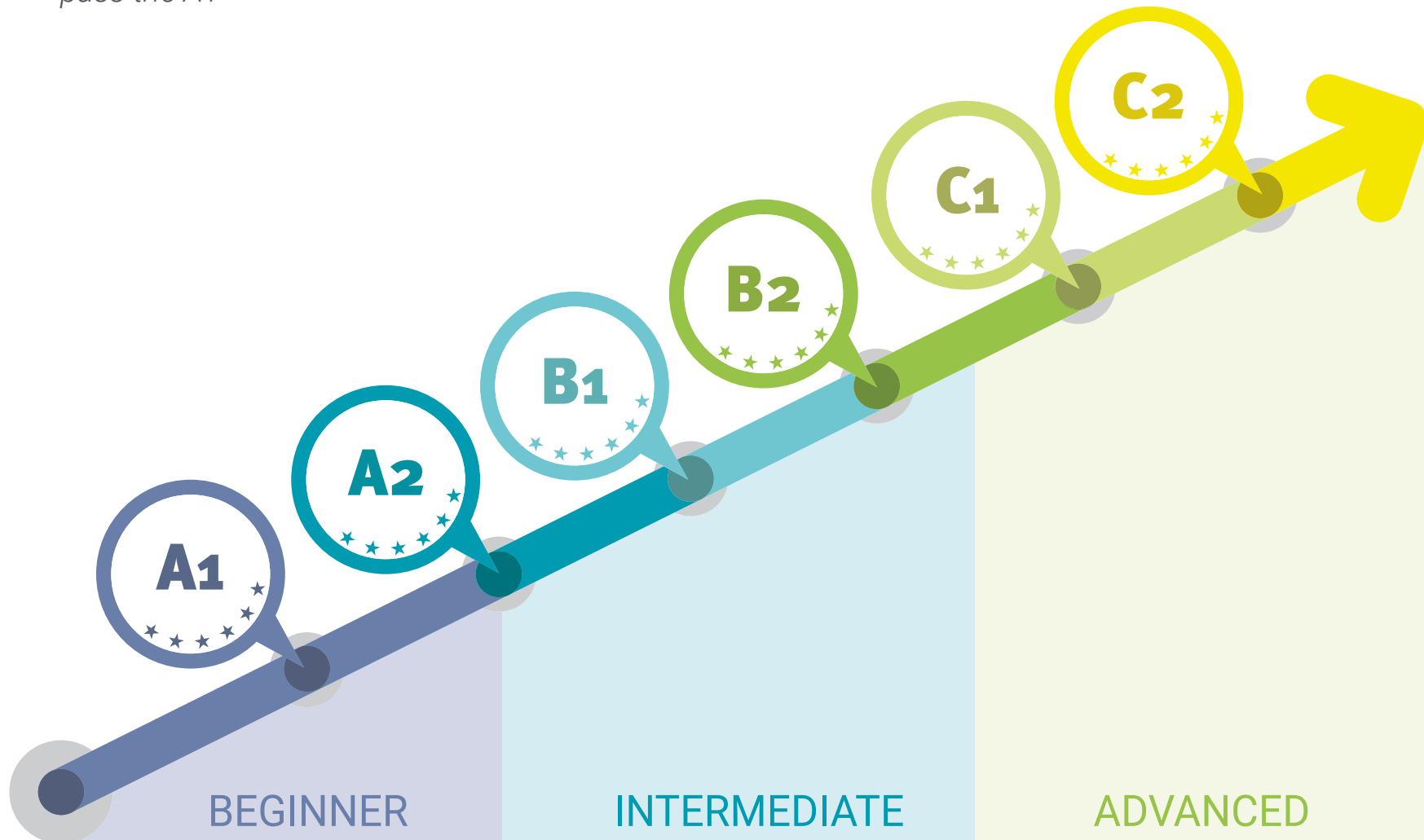
*TECH has the best teaching staff, composed of native teachers who will introduce you to Italian in a simple and gradual way.*

*You will be able to communicate in all types of conversations and gain access to important academic and professional opportunities. Enroll now.*



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*With this program you will have all the content and skills you need to pass the A1”*

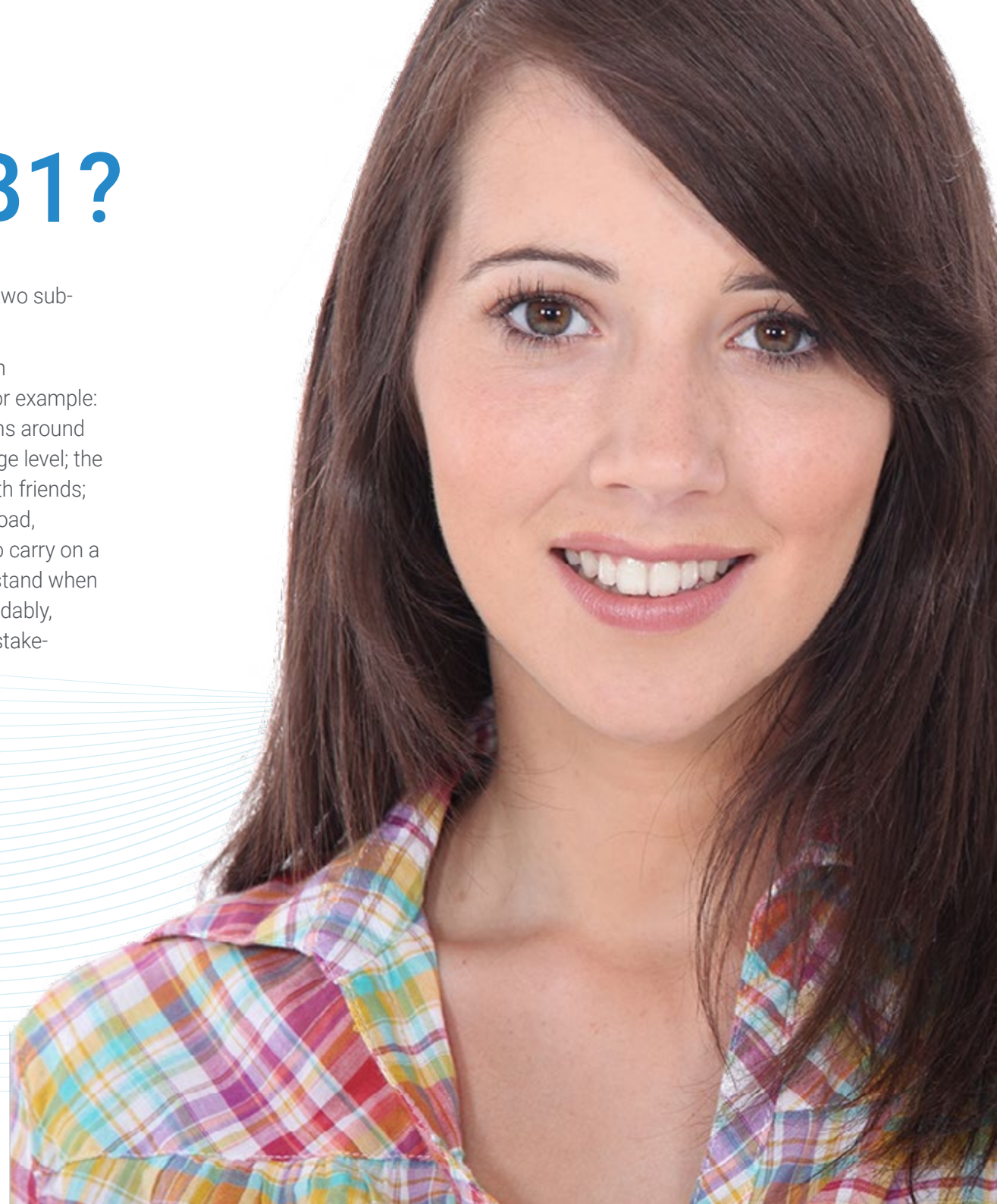


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# What Is Level B1?

Level B1 is part of the Independent User Level, which is divided into two sub-levels: First and Second Independent User Level (B1 and B2).

The B1 Level has two main features: the first is the ability to maintain interaction and make oneself understood in a variety of situations, for example: learners generally understand the main ideas of extended discussions around them provided the speech is clearly articulated at a standard language level; they can offer and ask for personal opinions in an informal discussion with friends; clearly express the main idea they want to get across; flexibly use broad, simple language to express much of what they want; they are able to carry on a conversation or discussion, but can sometimes be difficult to understand when trying to say exactly what they mean; express themselves understandably, although pauses for some grammatical and lexical planning and mistake-correcting is evident, especially in long periods language flow.





The second feature is the ability to know how to deal flexibly with everyday problems, such as, for example: coping with less common situations in public transport, the typical situations that often arise when making travel reservations through an agency or when traveling; participates in conversations on usual matters without having anticipated it; being able to raise complaints; taking the initiative in an interview or consultation (e.g., knows how to initiate a new topic), although still being noticeably dependent on the interviewer during the interaction; knowing how to ask someone to clarify or develop what they have just said.



*Obtain the CEFR German Level B1 certificate thanks to the conversational improvement that this university program will provide you"*

What are the B1 Level Skills?

01

Can understand the main points of clear, standard language texts on familiar matters, whether in work, study or leisure situations

02

Know how to deal with most of the situations that may arise during a trip in areas where the language is used

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*Certify your B1 level of Italian in a fast and simple way thanks to this program which is focused on the spoken aspects of the language”*



03

Produce simple and coherent texts on topics that are familiar to him/her or in which he/she has a personal interest



04

Can describe experiences, events, desires and aspirations, as well as briefly justify their opinions or explain their plans



## B1 level Self-Assessment Chart

### What will I be able to do after completing the course?

#### Comprehension

##### Listening Comprehension

- ♦ Can understand the main ideas when the speech is clear and normal and deals with everyday matters that take place at work, at school, during leisure time, etcetera
- ♦ Understand the main idea of many radio or television programs dealing with current affairs or matters of personal or professional interest, when the articulation is relatively slow and clear

#### Speaking

##### Oral Interaction

- ♦ Get by in almost all situations that arise when traveling to places where the language is spoken
- ♦ Can spontaneously engage in conversation on everyday topics of personal interest or that are relevant to daily life (e.g., family, hobbies, work, travel, and current events)

##### Oral Expression

- ♦ Know how to link sentences in a simple way in order to describe experiences and facts, dreams, hopes and ambitions
- ♦ Explain and briefly justify opinions and projects
- ♦ Narrate a story or tale, the plot of a book or movie, and describe their reactions



*This program prepares you intensively, using the Relearning methodology, to comfortably pass the CEFR Level B1 oral test"*

*More than 100 different activities to improve your fluency, expression, comprehension and pronunciation.*



## Qualitative aspects of spoken language usage for Level B1

(According to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages)

### What is expected to be achieved with this level?

#### Scope

- ◆ Possess a large enough linguistic repertoire to get by and an adequate vocabulary to express themselves, albeit hesitantly and with circumlocutions, on topics such as their family, hobbies and interests, work, travel and current

#### Interaction

- ◆ Initiate, maintain and end simple face-to-face conversations on everyday topics of personal interest
- ◆ Repeat part of what someone has said to confirm mutual understanding

#### Correction

- ◆ Use with reasonable accuracy a repertoire of commonly used formulas and structures associated with predictable situations

#### Coherence

- ◆ Link a series of short, distinct and simple elements to enable a linear sequence of related ideas

#### Fluency

- ◆ Continue to speak in a comprehensible manner, although pauses for grammatical, lexical planning and correction are evident, especially during long periods of free speech

*Download and practice vocabulary: more than 500 pages of lexical cards and glossaries.*



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## Why TECH?

In the pursuit of excellence in language teaching, TECH University has developed an innovative teaching system that facilitates language learning. Thus, it works with the latest methodological approaches: the action-oriented approach and the competency-based approach in order to prepare the student for the level certification exams. For this purpose, TECH has the best native teachers with whom the student can interact from their laptop or computer and practice oral skills.

*Learn and take advantage of what you have learned to certify your Level B1 thanks to this program, which prepares you to pass the CEFR oral test.*





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*Access to a CEFR certificate,  
which does not expire, unlike other  
language accreditation systems"*

## What makes us unique



### Mission

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Our mission is to stimulate the professional and personal development of our students, promoting their skills and abilities, so that they are able to adapt to a , real and constructive multicultural environment.



### Vision

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TECH Global University's vision is to be an innovative, academically thorough learning environment of international reference, capable of transmitting values that inspire the transformation of language learning to creative and socially responsible models.

- Innovation and creativity
- Excellence
- Spirit of self-improvement
- Social commitment
- Exclusivity and leadership
- Passion



## TECH Global University



We offer you the most innovative, creative and distinctive proposal in a dynamic, talented and internationally recognized school

*Practice with native teachers and improve your pronunciation and comprehension on a daily basis.*



We support you at all times thanks to an involved and committed teaching staff. Our teaching staff is native and works on the language approach in a real, lively and dynamic context

*Don't wait any longer: immediately improve your level of Italian thanks to this program.*



We make it easy for you to combine your training with your professional and family activities, in a 100% digital school that adapts to your needs

*TECH is committed to answering your questions in less than 24 hours.*



The most comprehensive syllabus, based 100% on the CEFR

*Study together with a group of people with whom you share the same objective, to pass the B1 level with the best preparation course possible.*



*Interact with native professors and with other students in reduced-size study groups and improve your Italian quickly”*

## Advantages of preparing oral communication skills for Italian B1 level



Practice the oral skills and competencies required by the B1 CEFR with guarantees

**100+** exercises based on interaction and oral expression skills and with a 100% CEFR-oriented syllabus



Use of a pedagogical approach based on *Re-learning*

*Our B1 CEFR preparation course is the only one on the market licensed to use the Re-learning method, which enhances learning by optimizing the effort/result ratio.*



Study wherever and however you want

**We conduct daily sessions at many different times, select the session that appeals to you, we are waiting for you!**



Only TECH Global University includes the complete downloadable content of each unit in PDF format

**700+** pages of text



Our platform is the only one that allows you to study from your tablet, PC or Smartphone

*TECH offers you the only program for preparing B1 Italian oral communicative skills in which you can attend class from your cell phone or tablet with the same functionalities and without losing quality.*



Can't attend a class?

Don't worry, use your voucher when you want, at your own pace, and if you can't attend, we'll save it for you



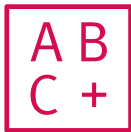
Our groups are small so that you can practice properly and enjoy the advantages of having a private native teacher

*Sessions of a maximum of 4 people, to encourage active student participation.*



We use an efficient and user-friendly platform that is easy to access

**Practice your speaking skills "face to face" with your native teacher through a modern and easy-to-use system.**

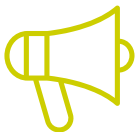


You will only find native teachers with extensive teaching experience and great knowledge of the CEFR

**100+** native teachers at your service

And, in addition:

- Our classes are 100% based on the syllabus proposed by the CEFR
- We facilitate social, dynamic and interactive learning
- Learn in real time, ask questions, review your vocabulary and pronunciation every day
- Enjoy a system with the best audio and sound quality
- Acquire the skills you need to pass your B1 level certificate
- You will have a specialized itinerary programmed day by day



We help you with your oral expression

**40+** intensive speaking practice sessions



*The CEFR is the main reference for the recognition of language on a international level. Certify your Italian level quickly and easily thanks to this program, which focuses on the oral aspects of the language"*

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# Features of the B1 Italian Online Conversation Classes

## An Intensive Course

B1 Italian Online Conversation Classes is an intensive program that prepares you for the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level B1 in Italian. You will attend 40 60-minute sessions to improve your oral proficiency and practice under the best guidance and supervision.

## The most comprehensive syllabus

The syllabus throughout is based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages, so you are guaranteed to be prepared with the best content.

## Accessible

Our system allows you to study from your tablet, PC or Smartphone.

## Accredited

The only training on the market that, in addition to preparing you to pass your level test, provides you with a university certificate

## Dedicated

You will have a native teacher with expertise in teaching speaking skills to guide you in your learning process.



40 intensive speaking practice sessions

100+ activities for different skills





100+ native teachers

### Study Material

After a complex production process, we transform the best content into high-quality educational and audiovisual multimedia. We select the best syllabus and make it available to you. Everything you need to acquire in-depth knowledge of a discipline from A to Z. Lessons written and selected by expert native teachers. This is the only training on the market that includes the complete course content in downloadable format:

- Grammar PDF: you will have access to more than 100 downloadable and printable grammar worksheets to study wherever and however you want
- Lexical cards and glossaries: you will find 50 pages of lexical cards and glossaries to download and practice your vocabulary

### Quick and intuitive platform

- Forget about cumbersome registrations and problems connecting or following the class. One device and an internet connection is enough. Connect with a single click and work whenever and wherever you want

### Cancellation Policy

- In order to cancel a previously scheduled or agreed upon class, at least 48 hours notice must be given. If 48 hours notice is not given, the class will be counted. The class will not be counted if the student has medical or any other proof issued by the competent authority



### Testing & Re-Testing

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We periodically evaluate and re-evaluate your knowledge throughout the entire B1 Italian Language Course.

- We will work with more than 100 activities for different oral skills
- We will subject you to real conversation situations with native speakers
- We will work on mock exams so that you are 100% prepared

### Skills-based practice

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If the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages establishes the consolidation of a language through the acquisition of skills and bases its official tests on these skills, why don't most of the online preparation courses for the level certificate work according to skills? At TECH Global University, you will work on all the oral skills established by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages in each of the subjects through an innovative method that is 100% adapted to European guidelines. In this training program, we work according to skills, with more than 100 different activities in order to prepare you to obtain your official Italian B1 certificate.

### Simulated Learning Scenarios

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At TECH Global University, we believe in the importance of linguistic immersion to lay the foundations of a language as well as in *storytelling* to favor identification and first-person learning. Therefore, we present you with real and everyday situations with people like you who will face a new language and have to overcome all different kinds of problems. In this training we will expose you to real dialogues and conversation exercises designed and presented by experts and native speakers.



*Do you want to revisit the class afterwards and review where you made mistakes or how a word was pronounced? Download the recorded session and watch it again.*

*An interactive chat to share queries, expressions, complex words, etc. in writing.*

### Specific Virtual Classes for CEFR B1

Are you ready for the exam? Our native teachers will explain to you all the tips and tricks you can use to pass the course with total guarantee of success, as well as the subjects you need to prepare better, the exercises that appear most frequently, mistakes to avoid, resources that can help you in certain situations, etc. All this prepared on video for you to consult when and as you wish.

*Take the sessions with you on your cell phone and view them wherever you want!*

#### **In addition:**

The student will be provided with the following interaction and communication tools that will be combined throughout the course to obtain the competencies at the level in question.

These are:

- Internal messaging tools with teachers and tutors
- Chat tools for written interaction
- Discussion forums for the development of written expression and interaction skills
- Telephone assistance to resolve technical questions or incidents
- Technical services contact e-mail

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# Our Methodology

The program for the B1 Italian Online Conversation Classes is an intensive preparation course based 100% on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). For this purpose, TECH employs a method of oral proficiency practice in which the student works intensively and repeatedly on all the contents required by the Framework, providing them with extensive preparation to pass the test.





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*You will not find a program like this one, which will allow you to work at your own pace, with native teachers, in small groups based on specific practice of the CEFR competencies in each session"*

## The TECH Global University method

Conventional methods of teaching a second language, such as demonstrative classes or mechanical exercises, slow down learning and seriously affect student motivation, as confirmed by statistical data reflecting the failure of the traditional system and methodology.

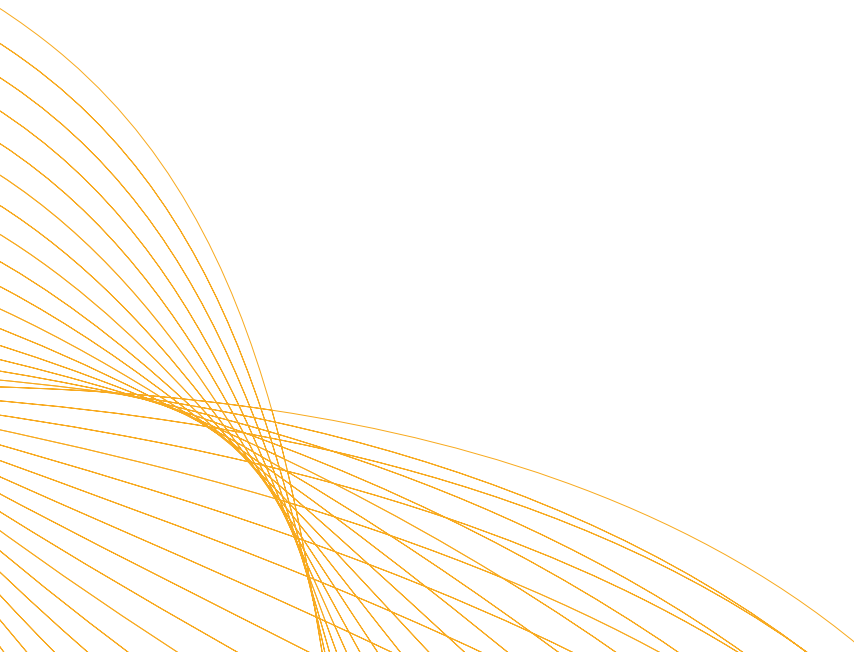
TECH's B1 Italian Proficiency Preparation Program offers you a method based on interaction and synchronous and direct communication between teacher and student to prepare for the official oral level certification test in a comprehensive way. Our objective is to strengthen your skills in a changing, real, multicultural context and to guarantee your success in passing the test. To this end, we emulate the official test using mock tests throughout the course.

The student will learn through activities, stories and real contexts, the resolution of everyday and basic communication situations in simulated learning environments and will face real mock exams to prepare intensively, for the level certification test.

*...All of this is enhanced with the best 100% online teaching methodology: Re-learning...*

Our school is the first in the world to combine *storytelling* with a 100% online learning system based on repetition, which combines different elements that represent an evolution with respect to the simple study and performance of exercises.

*TECH offers you the highest quality and quantity in the academic landscape, with hundreds of exercises and resources for you to keep improving your level step by step.*



This methodology, at the forefront of world teaching, is called *Re-learning*. Our language school is the first licensed to employ this successful method, having managed, in 2015, to improve the overall satisfaction levels (teaching quality, quality of materials, course structure, objectives, etc.) of the students who complete the courses, with respect to the indicators of the best language courses on the market.

*The overall score obtained by our learning system is 8.01, according to the highest international standards.*

**Re-learning Methodology**



We prevent your motivation from waning and offer you the best learning environment.

TECH's intensive oral proficiency preparation program is based on synchronous communication, in real time, as this type of interaction has been proven to reinforce personal participation, strengthen work interaction, socio-emotional relationships and personal interactions, all of which helps to increase motivation. (Hrastinski, 2008).

*...with a personalized and expert-led training itinerary..*





In order to promote maximum contact with the Language School, we provide you with a tutor so that you can write essays, receive answers to your questions or get advice on how to study.

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*Our system will allow you to organize your time and learning pace, adapting it to your schedule, and will also allow you to access the contents from any device with an internet connection (computer, tablet, smartphone)”*

According to the latest scientific evidence in the field of neuroscience, not only do we know how to organize information, ideas, images, memories, but we know that the place and context where we have learned something is fundamental for us to be able to remember it and store it in the hippocampus and retain it in our long-term memory. In this way, and in what is called *“Neurocognitive context-dependent learning*, the different elements of our intensive Italian B1 level preparation course are connected to the context in which the participant will take his or her official certification exam in order to guarantee success on the day of the test.

*...and all this with teachers at the forefront of technology and education...*



*Study wherever and however you want: connect with your mobile device and learn with the best native teachers.*



### **Immersion in Real Situations**

We present you with real conversational situations with native speakers with different accents, in different contexts.



### **Skills-Based Practice**

At TECH Global University, you will work on all the oral skills established by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.



### **Pronunciation and Phonetic Practice**

At TECH Global University, we focus our method on repetition as the best way to consolidate your learning.



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### Vocabulary and Socioculture Practice

At TECH Global University, we offer you different ways to consolidate your vocabulary through practice and conversation, and by consulting downloadable worksheets.



### Grammar and Spelling Practice

You will work on grammar without even realizing it, from a practical point of view, through activities with native teachers.



### Interactive Chat

During the sessions you can practice your written skills by interacting in the chat.



### Study Material

Material prepared by expert native teachers, such as downloadable worksheets and glossaries.



*At TECH you will find expert teaching staff equipped to prepare you, with a high-quality syllabus, based 100% on acquiring the oral skills required by the CEFR.*

*TECH Global University is the only institution that is committed to answering your questions in less than 24 hours.*



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# Course Objectives

The main objective of this program is to help the student acquire the B1 level certification in Italian, according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. To achieve this goal, TECH offers the student a native teacher, specialized in online language teaching, as well as varied and comprehensive didactic materials and a small conversation group, with whom the student can practice comfortably. In this way, you will be able to accredit your Italian language level quickly and safely, thus improving your professional, academic and personal prospects.





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*Practice with guarantees of the oral skills and competences required by the B1 CEFR: more than 100 different practice exercises"*

### General Objectives

01

Use the language being learned as a means of communication and personal expression, both in the classroom and in a wide range of face-to-face and virtual situations and on both concrete and abstract topics, including cultural ones

02

Understand, interact and express themselves in these situations, orally in an adequate, reasonably flexible, accurate and correct way

03

Describe the sociocultural aspects related to usual situations, as well as those related to one's own environment and use the appropriate social formulas, gestures, register and treatment in these situations

04

Internalize the appropriate and necessary linguistic resources for the planned communicative activities, through functional and formal practice

05

Encourage and diversify the use of strategies that streamline communication and facilitate learning

06

Manage tools to evaluate and improve one's own learning and use of the language



## Specific Objectives



### Oral Comprehension

- Understand concrete everyday or work-related information and identify both the general message and specific details as long as the speech is clearly articulated and with a normal accent
- Understand the main ideas of clear, standard speech on everyday topics, related to work, school or leisure time, including short narratives
- Generally follow the main ideas of a long discussion going on around them, provided that the discourse is clearly articulated at a standard language level
- Understand, in general terms, simple and short speeches on everyday topics provided they are delivered with standard and clear pronunciation
- Understand a lecture or talk that deals with their area of expertise, provided that the subject matter is familiar and the presentation is simple and clearly structured
- Understand simple technical information, such as operating instructions for frequently used appliances, as well as follow detailed instructions
- Understand the main ideas of radio news and other simpler recorded material dealing with everyday topics delivered relatively slowly and clearly
- Understand the information content of most recorded or broadcast material related to topics of personal interest with clear standard pronunciation



### Oral Expression

- Carry out, with a reasonable degree of fluency, a simple description of a variety of topics that are of interest to them, presenting them as a linear sequence of elements
- Give simple descriptions on a variety of common topics within your specialty
- Give simple narratives or descriptions with a reasonable degree of fluency following a linear sequence of elements
- Make detailed accounts of experiences describing feelings and reactions
- Report the details of unpredictable events, such as, for example, an accident
- Relate book or movie plots and describe your reactions to them
- Describe dreams, hopes and ambitions
- Describe real or imagined events. Tell stories
- Provide brief rationales and explanations for opinions, plans and actions
- Develop arguments well enough so that they can be understood without difficulty most of the time
- Make short rehearsed statements on a relevant topic within their specialty, which are clearly intelligible despite being accompanied by an unmistakably foreign accent and intonation
- Deliver a brief, prepared presentation on a topic within their specialty, with sufficient clarity to be followed without difficulty most of the time and whose main ideas are explained with reasonable accuracy. Can also answer supplemental questions, but may have to ask for repetition if spoken quickly

## Specific Objectives

### Sociocultural and sociolinguistic competence

- Know how to carry out a wide variety of linguistic functions, using the most common exponents of these functions in a neutral register. Be aware of the most important rules of courtesy and act appropriately. Be aware of the most significant differences that exist between the customs, usages, attitudes, values and beliefs prevailing in the community in question and their own, and know how to identify such differences. Know how to carry out basic language functions such as exchanging and requesting information and expressing opinions and attitudes in a simple way
- Adapt their expression to deal with less common and even difficult situations. Use a wide range of simple linguistic elements with the flexibility to express much of what is wanted
- Intervene in debates on everyday topics using an appropriate phrase to take the floor. Initiate, maintain and end simple face-to-face conversations on everyday topics or of personal interest
- Perform, with reasonable fluency, simple narratives or descriptions, through a linear sequence of elements
- Link a series of short, specific and simple elements to enable a linear sequence of related ideas

### Linguistic competence

- Possess sufficient linguistic ability to describe unpredictable situations, to explain the main points of an idea or problem with reasonable accuracy, and to express thoughts on abstract or cultural topics, such as music and movies
- Possess sufficient linguistic ability to get by, and sufficient vocabulary to express themselves with some hesitation and circumlocution on topics such as family, hobbies and interests, work, travel and current events, but lexical limitations lead to repetition and sometimes even difficulties in formulation
- Possess sufficient vocabulary to express themselves with some circumlocution on most topics relevant to their daily lives, such as family, hobbies and interests, work, travel, and current events
- Demonstrate a good command of elementary vocabulary, even if significant errors are made when expressing more complex thoughts, or when dealing with unusual topics and situations
- Communicate with reasonable accuracy in everyday situations; generally have good grammatical control, although with an obvious influence of the native language
- Use with reasonable accuracy a repertoire of commonly used “formulas ” and structures associated with predictable situations
- Have a clearly intelligible pronunciation, even if their foreign accent is sometimes evident and sporadic mispronunciations are made
- Produce continuous writing that is usually intelligible throughout. Spelling, punctuation and structuring are correct enough to be understood most of the time





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*In order to consolidate all these skills you will have more than 40 sessions designed by expert teachers and based 100% on the CEFR”*

#### **Did you know?**

Communicative competence is not merely limited to the knowledge and ability to use the linguistic code, but has other broader dimensions, which place it in direct relation with other competences such as information processing and digital competence, learning to learn, social and civic competence, or cultural and artistic competence.

This implies a cultural immersion that is only possible to recreate in the online format through simulated scenarios, storytelling, videos and real situations.

*Enroll and observe how TECH helps you to improve your level of Italian in a quick and fluid way.*

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# Course Structure and Content

Making the leap to Level B1 of a language can be difficult at first. Therefore, one of the best ways to smooth the path and make learning more fluid is to practice the intermediate level oral skills regularly. This allows for the development of greater confidence and security in using the most common Italian expressions. This university program focuses precisely on the advantages of practicing the language in a group, offering a program adapted to the needs of the students and developed by a team of native Italian teachers.



### Where, When and How is it Taught?

This course takes place over 4 months and consists of forty 60-minute live sessions taught by native-speaking teachers.

#### Each session is structured as follows:

- ◆ Practice of oral interaction skills
- ◆ Practice of oral expression skills
- ◆ Simulation of real situations
- ◆ Tips and tricks to prepare for the test
- ◆ Summary and closing
- ◆ Download printable sheets



*You will share your educational experience with people who are at the same level as you, having the opportunity to polish common mistakes and improve your fluency in Italian Level B1"*



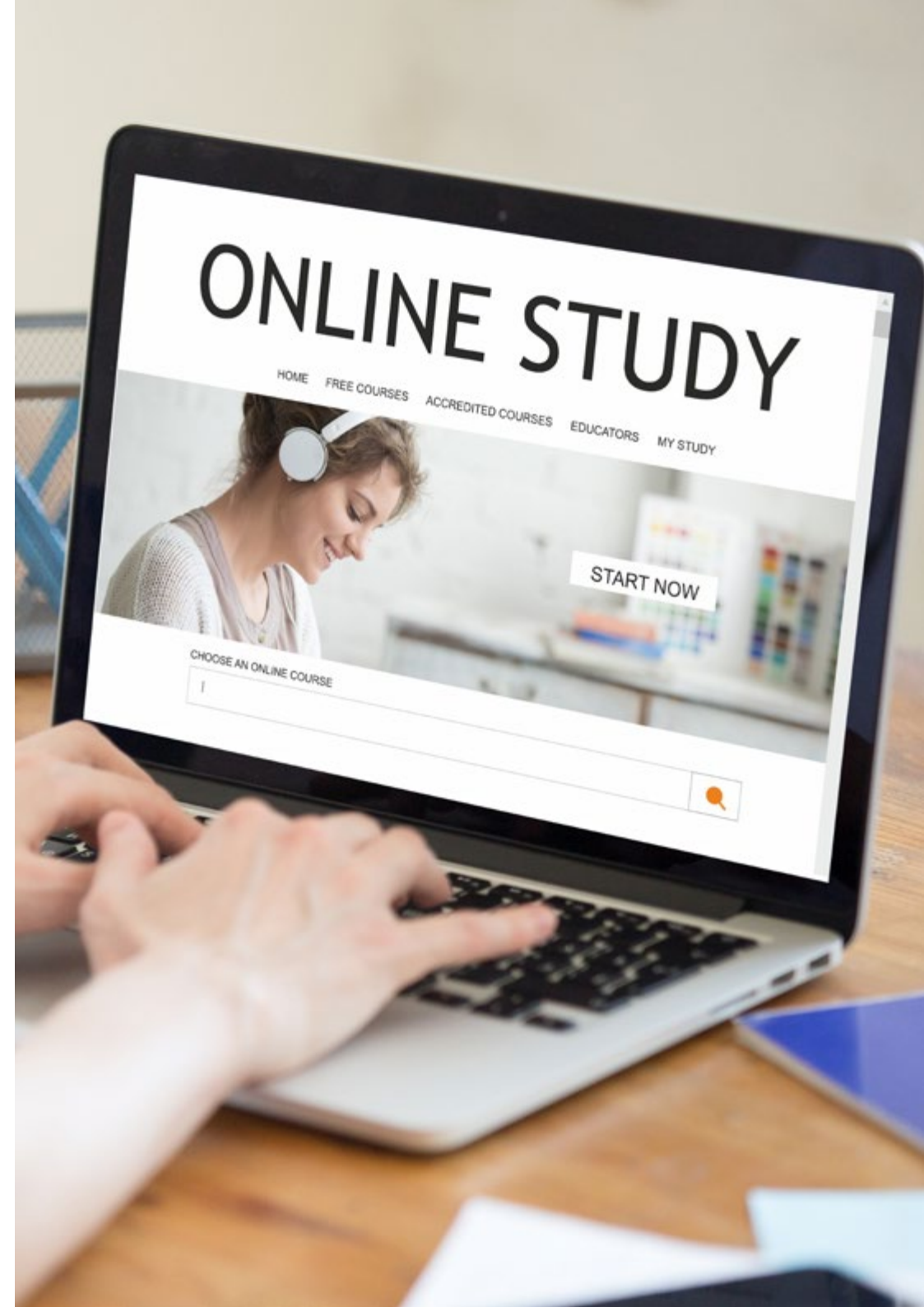
### B1 Level Learning Objectives

In each program, native teachers prepare a series of items that students must overcome in order to satisfactorily reach the course goals. Thanks to personalized tutoring, all the proposed objectives can be achieved in the shortest time possible, thanks to effective and efficient teaching.

- Advance to an intermediate level of language proficiency
- Familiarize with new words and more advanced common grammar
- Develop listening, reading, writing and speaking skills to cope in a multitude of situations
- Speak with some fluency about sports, nature, music and life goals or personal aspirations

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*You will be able to intervene on multiple occasions, in conversations on different topics and in a small group, allowing for greater fluency and mentoring”*





*"I love Italy and its culture. I have been traveling to the country for years but when the time came I decided I needed something more, so I wanted to immerse myself in their language. This program helped me to do so. I'm now studying for my B2 level with TECH. And I'm sure that I will continue studying with this university"*

## Ulrike Ottinger

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Marketing manager of a German business



*"We just set up a subsidiary of our company in Italy and I needed to improve my level of Italian to make everything flow properly. I was told about TECH and tried this conversation program. I have no regrets, it was the best decision I could have made. They make it so easy for you and you focus on the most important thing: learning and improving"*

## Roberto Mújica

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Colombian businessman

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# Our Students' Profiles

In an increasingly globalized world, mastering languages is the fastest path to academic and professional success. For this reason, TECH students seek to improve their level of Italian with a flexible learning methodology that adapts to their circumstances and takes full advantage of existing technologies. Thus, students rely on TECH to help them acquire new language skills and accredit them through the CEFR.

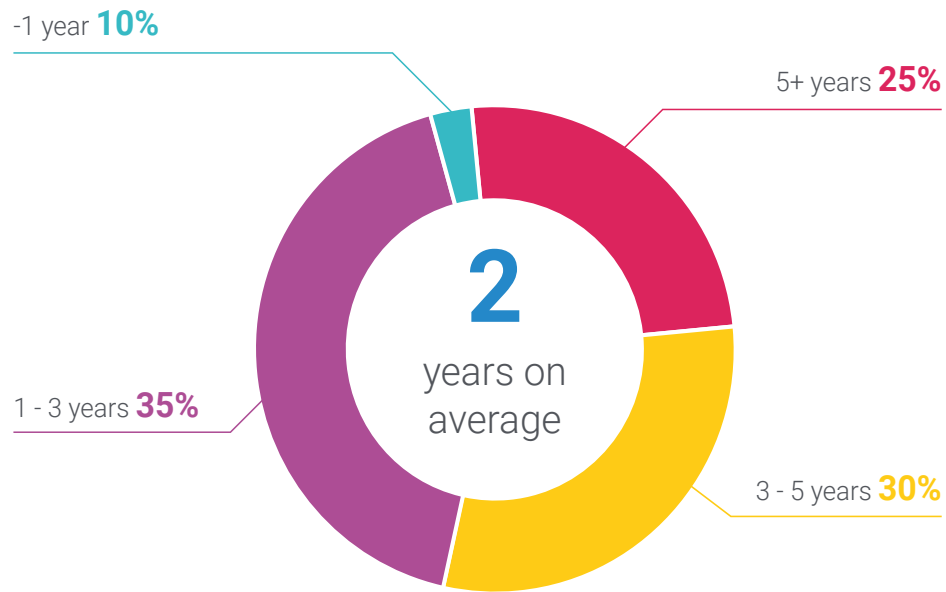




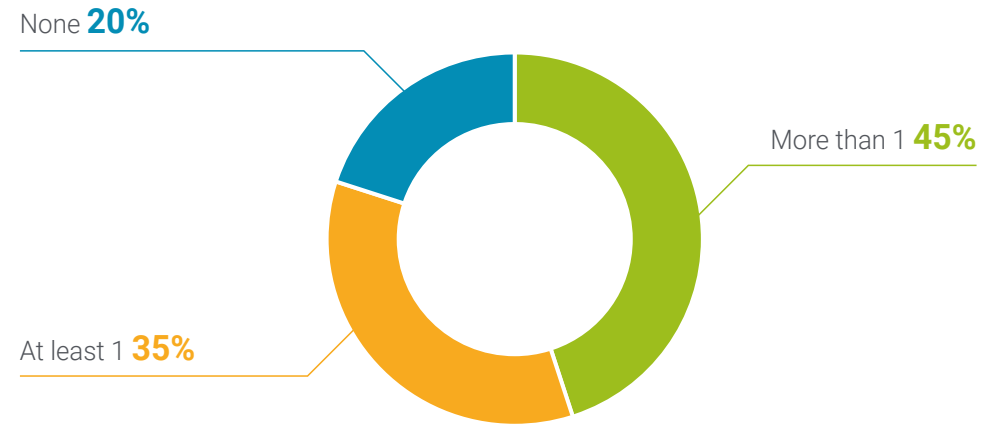
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*Many of our students have come from other preparation methods that have led to loss of motivation. At TECH, 9 out of 10 students recommend us”*

### Years of unsuccessful attempts to learn the language



### Courses taken before enrolling on ours



*Don't lose motivation! TECH includes a personalized monitoring and tutoring service.*





## Interest in learning the language

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Personal **42%**



**58%** Professional

## IT skills

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Advanced **10%**



Intermediate **30%**



Basic **60%**



*80% of our students pass the official B1 level exam.*

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*Thanks to our performance measurement tool you will be able to track your progress at all times”*

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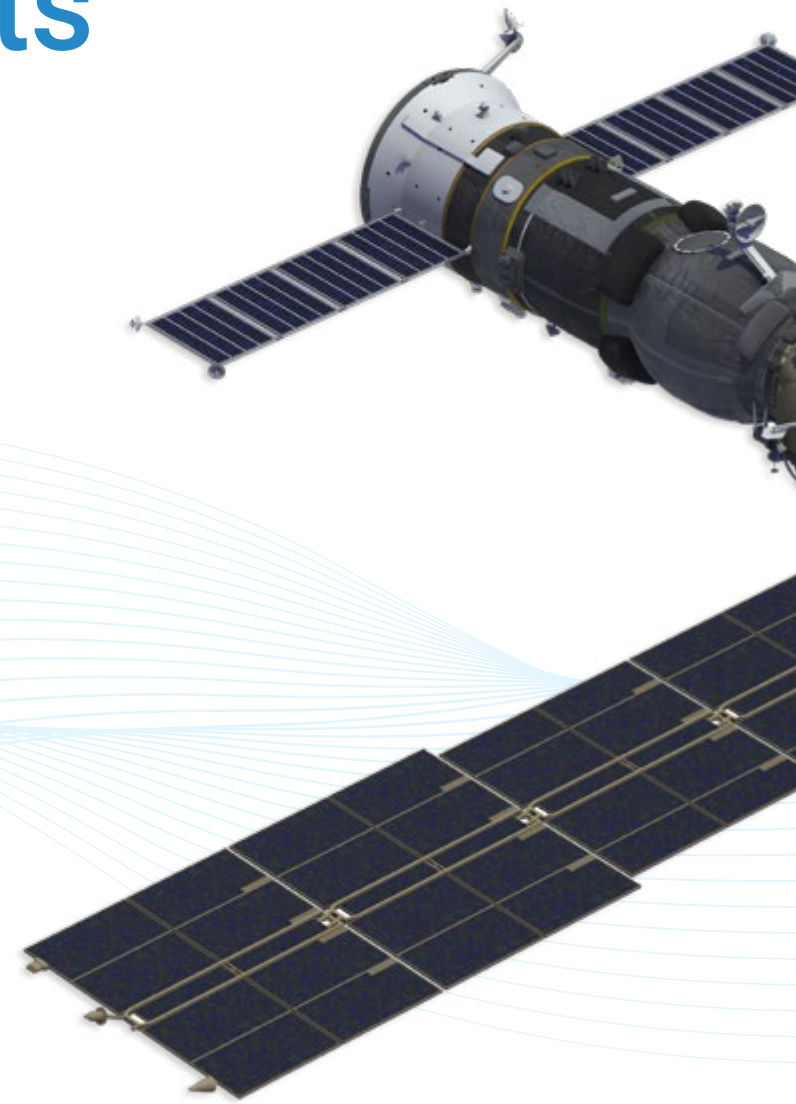
# The Professional Benefits of Italian

Italian is a beautiful and romantic language, the language of ancient medieval thinkers, historical writers, and possesses a unique musicality and conceptual richness in a wide variety of fields. It is the language of Dante, Petrarch and Boccaccio, three great Italian writers, but it is also the language of art, history, science, gastronomy and fashion.

As the birthplace of Latinity, Italy played a decisive role in the diffusion of Latin and the culture of the Roman Empire in the rest of Europe, both in Ancient times and in the ages that followed. Similarly, after the affirmation of the Neo-Latin languages and the constitution of modern linguistic Europe, Italian has had, at times, moments of great importance in the international linguistic context.

Approximately 70 million people worldwide speak Italian (60 million in Italy and around 10 million in the rest of the world). It is the official language in Italy, Switzerland, San Marino and Vatican City. It is spoken, at least in part, in eleven countries, to which must be added some twenty countries with a large Italian community, such as Argentina, Germany, Australia and the USA.

Italian is one of the official languages of the European Union, therefore, speaking Italian will open the doors to many international organizations and also the possibility of working in many of the large Italian companies with international presence. The Italian economy is principally based in three sectors, tourism, the automotive industry and fashion.





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*For all these reasons, Italian is found amongst the ten most useful languages in the world and its considered necessary to succeed in the 21st Century”*

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# Assessment and Certification

The main evaluation objective in TECH Global University is that the student consolidates what they have learned and is aware of their progress. For this reason, after completing each block, the student is shown a report of the results, which visually indicates the skills that they should strengthen.

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*TECH Global University's B1 level oral communication skills preparation program is the only one that also awards you with a university certificate”*



## Certification

Upon completion of the course, students will receive a certificate of recognition that will guarantee their preparation to obtain, if the student so wishes, the certification at that level.



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This document hereby certifies that  
Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

has successfully passed and accredited the following

**Online Language Class (in group) for B1 Italian**

acquiring the linguistic and communicative skills and abilities outlined in the CEFR.

This is an accredited qualification awarded by this University and is equivalent to 2 ECTS and 50 hours,  
with a start date of \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ and an end date of \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_.

  
Dr. Pedro Navarro Illana  
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Course	Level	ECTS	Total Hours
Online Language Class (in group) for	B1 Italian	2	50

Skills according to CEFR	Descriptors
Oral production and interaction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Can cope in almost all situations encountered when traveling in a country where the language is spoken.</li> <li>- Can spontaneously participate in a conversation on everyday topics of personal interest or relevant to daily life (family, hobbies, work, travel, etc.).</li> <li>- Can link sentences in a simple way in order to describe experiences and events, their dreams, hopes and ambitions.</li> <li>- Can briefly explain and justify their opinions and projects. Can narrate a story, the plot of a book or film and describe their reactions.</li> </ul>

  
Dr. Pedro Navarro Illana  
Rector

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## **B1 Italian** Online Conversation Classes

Language: Italian

Course Modality: Online

Duration: 4 months

Certificate: TECH Global University

Credits: 2 ECTS

Official N° of Hours: 40 h.



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