



# SUMMER SCHOOL

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Scuola di Lingua Italiana per Stranieri

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**courses of Italian language  
and culture**

art, sea and cooking

PALERMO [17th July / 1st September]



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The **Italian Language School for foreigners (ItaStra)** of the University of Palermo promotes numerous teaching, training, and research activities in the field of Italian Language Learning as second and foreign language. It offers **standard and intensive courses**, including a winter and summer school, specifically aimed at international students, visiting scholars and visiting professors. At the same time, it boasts of various **collaborations with other Universities** at the international level.

Located in the historical building *Ex Convento di Sant'Antonino*, it is a dynamic and intercultural center for studying Italian language in the heart of Palermo.

**Palermo** is one of the most important and densely populated city in Italy and it is also one of the most important Mediterranean city. You can enjoy European architecture and, at the same time, exotic atmosphere. It is a multi-ethnic metropolis, capital of Sicily and Capital of Culture 2018. Palermo boasts of its marvelous museums, theaters and monuments, in particular the **Arab-Norman style** of historical and cultural importance to be recognized by **UNESCO World Heritage Site**.

City of sun and sea, it offers all year long the opportunity to spend pleasant outdoors moments dedicated to art and culture, and to enjoy the street food. Night life is very fun and people are very friendly.



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### INTENSIVE COURSES

The Summer School 2023 is an intensive study program of Italian language and culture for all levels. It is organized in four autonomous two-weeks modules (38 hours each), held by qualified teachers with very long experience. **Lessons are held from Monday to Friday from 9:30 to 13:30.**

### DATES AND COSTS

The Summer School will start on July 17th and will end on September 1st. Each module **costs 170 €.**

	START	END
MODULE I	17/07/23	28/07/23
MODULE II	31/07/23	11/08/23
MODULE III	21/08/23	01/09/23

### EXTRA DIDACTIC ACTIVITIES

The School organizes tours for the Summer School's students both in Palermo and in the most beautiful and attractive touristic destinations of Sicily. Tours out of town provide a little **extra contribution.**

### SERVICES OFFERED

Teaching material. For student groups the School offers dedicated programs Textuality, syntax, contemporary Italian, academic writing and fundamental cores of occidental culture

### ADVANCED SPECIAL COURSE

Textuality, syntax, contemporary Italian, academic writing and fundamental cores of occidental culture.

The texts presented belong to the areas of literature, academic writing and sector languages. A part of the course is dedicated to specialist orality.



### ITALIAN & COOKERY (afternoon)

A practical cooking lessons are taught by a qualified chef specialized in Sicilian dishes. A teacher of ItaStra will develop Italian language's contents related to food. Participants will be able to experience the preparation of recipes with quality ingredients and taste all food prepared in a relaxing and fun atmosphere.

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To enrich teaching activities, ItaStra organizes tours for the Summer School students, both in Palermo and in Sicily. ItaStra arranges enjoyable walking tours around the city, such as the **Cathedral, Chiesa della Martorana, Teatro Massimo, Teatro Politeama, museums, Piazza Pretoria, Catacombe dei Cappuccini, and many other Arabic-Norman churches and sites.**

