

## Sorrento 2020



Sorrento is one of Italy's most well-established resorts: relaxed, picturesque and sunny. Its location, on one of the most beautiful stretches of Italian coastline, has long made it a favourite with Italians. The town has ancient origins and an attractive historic centre, but today Sorrento is essentially a modern resort that makes a bustling base for exploring some of Italy's finest sights: Pompeii, Naples and Herculaneum.

With over 10 years of teaching experience, and between 20/75 students studying each month the college in Sorrento offers a relaxed and informal language learning environment for ALL linguistic needs, in a beautiful coastal location.

Looking north over the Bay of Naples, Sorrento stands on 150ft cliffs, perching high above the boats and beaches of the Bay, and is a short hydrofoil trip to Capri or Ischia.

Centrally located the college is housed in a 16<sup>th</sup> century palazzo. Facilities include 10 classrooms (with air con), free internet access, computer lab and a fabulous roof terrace.

The college offers general Italian language courses throughout the year including; Over 50 courses, plus Italian & Activity courses; (diving, singing, ceramic and cookery). Whether you have just a week or two, or several months to dedicate to your studies, Sorrento has plenty to offer.



### Star Courses:

Standard Course &  
Italian & Activities: Diving, Cookery, Ceramics, Singing

**Minimum age:** 16  
**Minutes per lesson:** 50

### Courses Available

#### Standard Course

20 lessons per week  
Class size: max 12 people.  
Ideal for all age groups (16yrs+) and language abilities. Short term programmes are perfect for those already studying Italian at school college/university or privately, or who wish to get a feel for studying a language abroad, without making a long-term commitment.

#### Combined Course

As Standard Course plus  
5 or 10 private classes per week

#### Italian & Diving #

Offered May to September  
As Standard Course plus  
2 afternoon dives per week, organised by a local diving club. No prior diving experience required, but PADI knowledge preferred. Good general health and swimming ability essential.

### Accommodation

Arrive: **Sunday PM** Depart: **Saturday AM**

NB: Accommodation in Sorrento generally involves a small commute, allow up to 20 mins to college (on foot or by bus).

- Option 1 Host family, single room, B&B.  
Shared rooms or B&B and evening meal also available on request.
- Option 2 Shared apartments offered to students aged 18yrs+ (simple standard, with other language students or local hosts) single room, self-catering.
- Option 3 On site residence – en suite rooms (twin) for single or shared use, self-catering in on site communal kitchen. Book early or you will miss out!

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#### Languages for Life

As Standard programme, in-depth study over an extended period. Very popular with GAP students prior to University, graduates and adults looking to take a career break.

#### Private Tuition

16yrs+  
Any Monday by request

#### Italian & Cookery #

As Standard Course plus  
3 afternoons of cookery a week. Discover the dishes of Italy on a gastronomic tour.

#### Over 50 Course #

As Standard Course plus a range of activities including a tour of Sorrento, excursions to Capri, Pompei etc, a typical cookery class and additional cultural activities. Please ask for factsheet.

#### Christmas Course #

20 lessons in first week + three cookery sessions + a visit to Neapolitan churches. Students are advised to book hosts, single room ½ board.

### Course Prices

Euros

For alternative course details and prices see CESA Course Finder at [www.cesalanguages.com](http://www.cesalanguages.com)

Summer supplements: Not applicable to tuition

CESA Fee : €60.00 per person

<b>Languages for Life</b>	12 wks € 2276.00	14 wks € 2652.00	16 wks € 3029.00			
<b>Standard Course</b>	1 wk € 295.00	2 wks € 475.00	3 wks € 635.00	4 wks € 808.00	5 wks € 1006.00	6 wks € 1204.00
<b>Combined (+5)</b>	1 wk € 450.00	2 wks € 802.00	3 wks € 1145.00	<b>Combined (+10)</b>	1 wk € 595.00	2 wks € 1075.00
<b>Italian &amp; Diving</b>	1 wk € 1050.00	2 wks € 1720.00	<b>Italian &amp; Cookery</b>	1 wk € 825.00	2 wks € 1292.00	
<b>Private Tuition (10)</b>	1 wk € 475.00	2 wks € 875.00	<b>Private Tuition (20)</b>	1 wk € 875.00	2 wks € 1675.00	
<b>Over 50 Course</b>	2 wks € 806.00		<b>Christmas Course</b>	2 wks € 888.00		

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Accommodation Fee: N/A Summer supplements: Applied to shared apartments/single room 20<sup>th</sup> May – 27<sup>th</sup> Sept: € 61.00 per week

Option 1 /Single	1 wk € 202.00	2 wks € 437.00	3 wks € 672.00	4 wks € 941.00	5 wks € 1142.00	6 wks € 1378.00
Option 2 /Single	1 wk € 236.00	2 wks € 473.00	3 wks € 709.00	4 wks € 945.00	5 wks € 1181.00	6 wks € 1418.00
Option 3 /Single	1 wk € 400.00	2 wks € 800.00	3 wks 1200.00	4 wks € 1600.00	5 wks € 2000.00	6 wks € 2400.00

**Travel:** Fly to Naples and take a taxi, bus or the college transfer service: € 90.00 / one way/pr person.



## Isobel: Languages for Life

"As it turned out, by the end of the course I felt I'd made huge progress – the level I reached was well beyond my initial expectations. The teachers were fantastic, and I feel I formed some good relationships with them during my time there. The school was in a good position, easily accessible from the main square. The best part of the course was the teachers and the opportunity to socialise outside of the college."

## Gabriella: Standard Course

"My vocabulary improved dramatically, and I met lots of brilliant people and generally had a fabulous time. The lessons worked well for me, as the structure was similar to lessons in the UK. There were materials for us to look at and listening exercises and the teachers worked hard to vary the class structure. The teachers were all brilliant and very friendly; a few in particular were very funny whilst also being able to teach!"

## Mr Hartley: Private Tuition

"Sorrento is small and beautiful. The college staff are friendly and always helpful. I felt relaxed and could really concentrate on my Italian. Thanks for a great experience."



## Course Start Dates

Applies to all group courses (unless special start dates apply).

Beginners may only begin on start dates shown in **red**.

\* Tuesday start dates due to public holidays

month	dates				
January	07*	13	20	27	
February	03	10	17	24	
March	02	09	16	23	30
April	06	14*	20	27	
May	04	11	18	25	
June	01	08	15	22	29
July	06	13	20	27	
August	03	10	17	24	31
September	07	14	21	28	
October	05	12	19	26	
November	02	09	16	23	30
December	07	14			

**Private Tuition:** arranged any Monday subject to availability

- # **Italian & Diving:** 04 May, 08 Jun, 13 Jul, 03 Aug, 14 Sept
- # **Italian & Cookery:** 07 Jan, 27 Jan, 10 Feb, 16 Mar, 06 Apr, 27 Apr, 11 May, 01 Jun, 06 Jul, 03 Aug, 07 Sept, 21 Sept, 05 Oct, 02 Nov
- # **Over 50 Course:** 30 March, 05 Oct
- # **Christmas Course:** 16 Dec to 26 Dec (Accomm: Sunday 15<sup>th</sup>/Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> Dec)

**Public Holidays:** Please note lessons lost due to holidays are not made up.

Dates affected: 14 Feb, 13 & 25 Apr, 1 May, 2 Jun, 15 Aug, 1 Nov & 8 Dec 2020

Closing: 21<sup>st</sup> Dec '20 Re opening 6<sup>th</sup> Jan '21

## CESA Plus Points:

### Sorrento:

Sorrento has inspired poets & painters for centuries - Byron, Keats and Dickens all came here on Grand Tours. ~ it's the home of Pizza ~ there are two town beaches; "Marina Piccola" reached by steps or a lift & a sandy beach "Marina Grande" 15 minutes' walk from the town centre ~ the "Circumvesuviana" (a train) links Sorrento to Naples and Pompeii, & hydrofoils run from Sorrento to Naples & the islands of Capri and Ischia ~ a mild climate makes it a popular year round destination and VERY busy (& hot) in the summer.

### Sorrento College:

Good quality language courses to suit a range of personal & linguistic needs ~ ideal for adults looking for intensive tuition or a great language holiday ~ excursions are offered to Capri, Pompeii, Naples & the Amalfi coast ~ visits to Limoncello and Ice Cream factories ~ wonderful central location ~ cultural courses & boat trips ~ personal service & caring atmosphere.