

Viareggio 2023



With over 20 years of teaching experience, and between 30/100 students studying each month the college in Viareggio offers a wonderful language learning environment for ALL linguistic levels, by the beach.

Viareggio is one of the largest beach resorts in Tuscany and is well known for its art deco style architecture. The name Viareggio comes from the word "Via Regia" which means the King's Road. Viareggio has wide, endless golden sandy beaches, excellent cuisine and exciting nightlife with its well-known "Versilian" discos, at their best during the lively summer months. Beach lovers will enjoy the long seafront beaches and green gardens with palms, oleanders, and tamarisks. The more active can enjoy sailing and mountain biking, but many prefer the quieter pursuits of sunbathing and swimming!

The climate is very warm in the summer, with temperatures reaching 30°C, and mild in the winter, dropping to 10°C, which gives the college a year-round appeal, though inevitably, it is the summer months that draws the majority of students.

Viareggio is within easy reach of Pisa (less than 15 km away), Florence, Siena and Lucca, so if you want to soak up some culture during your time in Italy, there is always plenty to do and see.



Star Courses:

Standard Course Over 50 Course Private Tuition

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Minimum age: 16

Minutes per lesson: 45

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.

Languages for Life

12 weeks plus duration

As Standard programme, in-depth study over an extended period. Ideal for students and adults looking to take a career break.

Combined Course

As Standard Course plus

5 or 10 private classes per week to meet personal requirements

Over 50 Course

20 lessons per week

+ excursions & activities

2 week programme

Class size: max 12 people.

Italian + Hiking

20 lessons per week

+ guided treks in the local area

2 week programme

Private Tuition

16yrs+

Any Monday by request

15, 20+ lessons per week.

Accommodation

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

- Option 1 Host family, single room, B & B
Shared rooms also available.
- Option 2 Shared apartments offered to students aged 18yrs+ (simple standard, with Italian hosts or other language students)
single room, self-catering.
Shared rooms also available.
- Option 3 Mini Residence, single room, self-catering
Shared rooms also available.

Course Prices

Euros

For alternative course details and prices see CESA Course Quote Finder at www.cesalanguages.com

Summer supplements: Not applicable to tuition

CESA Fee: €60.00 per person

Standard Course	1 wk € 295.00	2 wks € 470.00	3 wks € 670.00	4 wks € 870.00	5 wks € 1040.00
	6 wks € 1210.00	7 wks € 1380.00	8 wks € 1550.00	12 wks € 1990.00	
Over 50 Course	2 wks € 1265.00		Italian+ Hiking	2 wks € 720.00	
Combined (20 +5)	1 wk € 520.00	2 wks € 920.00	Combined (20 + 10)	1 wk € 745.00	2 wks € 1370.00
Private Tuition (15)	1 wk € 820.00	2 wks € 1570.00	Private Tuition (20)	1 wk € 1070.00	2 wks € 2070.00

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Seasonal supplements: **01 July to 26 August 2023:** Opt 1/ € 35.00 Opt 2/ € 35.00 Opt 3/ € 280.00

Option 1 / Single	1 wk € 210.00	2 wks € 390.00	3 wks € 600.00	4 wks € 810.00	5 wks € 1020.00	6 wks € 1230.00
Option 2 / Single	1 wk ----	2 wks € 390.00	3 wks € 600.00	4 wks € 810.00	5 wks € 1020.00	6 wks € 1230.00
Option 3 / Single	1 wk € 770.00	2 wks € 1430.00	3 wks € 2200.00	4 wks € 2970.00	5 wks € 3740.00	6 wks € 4510.00

Travel: Fly to Pisa & take the train to Viareggio station and then a taxi.

Or the college transfer service from Pisa airport (€ 100.00) to your accommodation (extra charge applied for flight delay of 1hr+).



Ellie: Standard Course

"Loved studying in this small but smart town. Truly charming; hot sun, barely there suits, and laid back holiday state of mind. Fascinated by the beaches which are run by beach clubs, you rent a chair/umbrella and you have a spot all day. Each club marks off their area of the beach for their customers – not cheap so most students head for the public beach (without the luxuries)!"

Julia: Standard Course

"Grammar and conversation lessons in the mornings worked well for me, leaving me (and others) free to beach in the afternoons! My Italian improved (mostly conversational skills... on the beach, in the bars and in restaurants). Favourite memories, grabbing a 'gelato' heading back from the beach with college friends, then going out to walk the promenade searching for the perfect place to grab food each evening. Chatting with friends and people watching, munching on free olives and peanuts, before fish for dinner. Heaven!"

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 date due to public holiday

month	dates				
May	02*	08	15	22	29
June	05	12	19	26	
July	03	10	17	24	31
August	07	14	21	28	
September	04	11	18	25	
October	02	09	16	23	(1 wk)

Private tuition: Arranged any Monday subject to availability

Over 50 Course 05 June, 04 Sept

Italian + Hiking 15 May, 18 Sept

Public Holidays: Please note group lessons lost due to holidays are not made up. Dates affected are: 01 May, 02 Jun, 15 Aug

Private lessons lost will be made up.

Closing 27 October 2023 Re-opening 29th April 2024

CESA Plus Points:

Viareggio:

With 20 km of beaches along the Versilia coast and many "bagni" (bathing establishments) Viareggio attracts plenty of tourists, mostly Italian. Must sees include ~ the sandy beaches ~ the busy promenade area (the place to be seen for the evening "passeggiata") ~ visit the Carrara cave (where Michelangelo acquired the Marble for his statue of David) ~ Pinteta di Ponente (a large pinewood park) ~ Piazza Shelley (named after the Poet who drowned along this coast) ~ Museo Cittadella del Carnevale (the official exhibition of floats & masks of the famous Carnival) ~ college arranged trips to Florence or Lucca are always popular. The summer nightlife is lively with clubs & restaurants; pizzerias, beach bars, and trattorias to suit all.

Viareggio College:

Small, friendly College with general (& specialist) Italian courses to suit all linguistic needs ~ fun social programme, includes local visits and excursions and spaghetti parties ~ ideal for all age groups, from 18yrs through to adults looking for quality tuition in a seaside resort ~ very busy in the summer, so early bookings recommended.