



PREPARATORY COURSES FOR ITALIAN UNIVERSITY **2022**

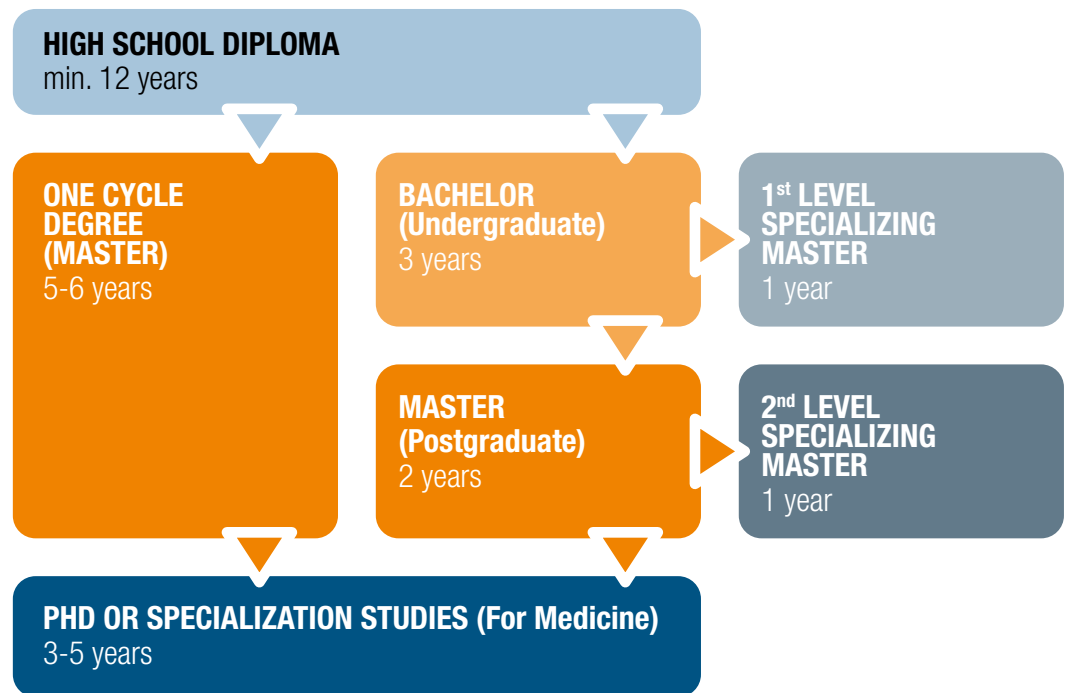


For over 30 years Linguaviva has been a leader in Italy for the preparation of international students for admission tests to Italian Universities. Every year more than 200 international students attend our preparatory courses in order to take the entrance examinations in different areas of study offered at Italian Universities.

Linguaviva offers preparatory courses in its campuses in Florence and Milan according to study areas.

Thanks to the great success of our courses and the quality of our teachers every year about 95% of the students have been admitted to the chosen degree course.

ITALIAN HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEM



Italy offers a high level of education and a unique cultural environment.

Some field of studies are internationally acknowledged such as, Architecture, Design, Engineering, Medicine, Economics, Fine Arts and Music.

With 90 universities, 45 Fine Arts Academies and 77 Music Conservatories, University and Academic Studies in Italy offer a wide range of undergraduate and postgraduate courses.

These are the excellences of the Italian Universities according to the various areas of study:

(Source: CENSIS 2021)

ARCHITECTURE

1. University of Ferrara
2. Polytechnic of Milan
3. University of Venice-IUAV
4. University of Pavia
5. Polytechnic of Turin
6. University of Padua
7. University of Genoa
8. University of Bologna
9. University of Florence
10. University of Rome-La Sapienza

MEDICINE

1. University of Pavia
2. University of Milan-Bicocca
3. University of Bologna
4. University of Padua
5. University of Milan
6. University of Piemonte Orientale
7. University of Verona
8. Univ. of Modena and Reggio E.
9. University of Florence
10. University of Genoa

DESIGN

1. University of Ferrara
2. University of Venice-IUAV
3. Polytechnic of Milan
4. University of Bologna
5. University of Venice-Ca'Foscari
6. University of Udine
7. University of Genoa
8. Polytechnic of Turin
9. University of Rome-La Sapienza
10. University of Florence

VETERINARY SCIENCE

1. University of Perugia
2. University of Bologna
3. University of Pisa
4. University of Padua
5. University of Sassari
6. University of Camerino
7. University of Parma
8. University of Milan
9. University of Messina
10. University of Turin

ENGINEERING

1. Polytechnic of Milan
2. University of Genoa
3. University of Bologna
4. University of Trento
5. University of Palermo
6. Polytechnic of Turin
7. University of Bergamo
8. University of Parma
9. University of Pavia
10. University of Padua

PUBLIC FINE ARTS ACADEMY

1. Fine Arts Acad. of Milan-Brera
2. Fine Arts Academy of Florence
3. Fine Arts Academy of Venice
4. Fine Arts Academy of Bologna
5. Fine Arts Academy of Turin
6. Fine Arts Academy of Rome
7. Fine Arts Academy of Naples
8. Fine Arts Academy of Carrara

ECONOMICS

1. University of Bologna
2. Bocconi University of Milan
3. University of Venice-Ca'Foscari
4. University of Milan
5. University of Padua
6. University of Trento
7. Univ. of Modena and Reggio E.
8. LUSS University of Rome
9. University of Rome-Tor Vergata
10. University of Pavia

CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

1. Conservatory of Milan
2. Conservatory of Florence
3. Conservatory of Turin
4. Conservatory of Parma
5. Conservatory of Rome
6. Conservatory of Bologna
7. Conservatory of Venice
8. Conservatory of Pesaro

TIMELINE AND PROCEDURES TO APPLY TO ITALIAN UNIVERSITY FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

BACHELOR AND MASTER DEGREE COURSES

NON EU STUDENTS / PRE-ENROLMENT TO THE CHOSEN UNIVERSITY AND DEGREE COURSE THROUGH UNIVERSITALY.IT

WHEN	WHERE	HOW	REQUIREMENTS
May - June depending on chosen degree course	www.universitaly.it Online	Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passport Passport picture Secondary school diploma, translated and supported by confirmation of authenticity

UNIVERSITY WILL ISSUE A PRELIMINARY ACCEPTANCE OR A LETTER OF ELIGIBILITY SUBJECT TO PASSING ADMISSION TESTS

APPLICATION TO THE ADMISSION EXAM

WHEN	WHERE	HOW	REQUIREMENTS
For deadline check call of admissions of degree courses	From Italy or from your Country	On-line application on University website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passport Dichiarazione di Valore Official translation of secondary school diploma

UNIVERSITY REQUIRES THE PAYMENT OF AN EXAM FEE AND ISSUES A CONFIRMATION DOCUMENT

NON EU STUDENTS / STUDY VISA APPLICATION

WHEN	WHERE	HOW	REQUIREMENTS
August	Italian Embassy in your Country	Personally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passport Preliminary acceptance from University Confirmation letter of application to the exam International medical insurance Document stating the availability of economical means to support your stay in Italy

ADMISSION TEST: ITALIAN LANGUAGE + ACADEMIC SUBJECTS

WHEN	WHERE	HOW	REQUIREMENTS
July - September	Depending on admission test: - online - onsite at chosen University	Depending on admission test: - online - in person	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adequate knowledge of Italian (B2 level) Study Visa Passport Confirmation letter of application to the exam

PLEASE CHECK CALL TO ADMISSIONS OF CHOSEN DEGREE COURSES FOR PUBLISHING DATES OF EXAM RESULTS (JULY - SEPTEMBER)

FINAL ENROLMENT FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR (IMMATRICOLAZIONE)

WHEN	WHERE	HOW	REQUIREMENTS
September - October	In Italy	Personally or on-line, depending on University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Passing the admission exam Study Visa and Permit of Stay Payment of tuition fee for the first year

ACADEMIC YEAR USUALLY STARTS MID-OCTOBER

LINGUAVIVA OFFERS TO ALL INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS 3 DIFFERENT STUDY OPTIONS TO PREPARE FOR THE ADMISSION TESTS IN ITALIAN UNIVERSITIES

OPTION A FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

Linguaviva Foundation Programme is a long-term preparation course for international students who wish to pursue a degree at an Italian University. The Programme helps students to prepare for the entry requirements of Italian Universities.

The course is designed to bridge academic gaps, improve your Italian to achieve B2 level required to access Italian University and familiarise you with Italian life and culture.

The course curriculum is tailored to the fields the students plan to study at the University and to the exams they need to take to be admitted to a specific department. Students are given a focused training for scientific or cultural subjects as Math, Physics, History of Architecture, Logic, etc. according to the degree course chosen by the student.

During the courses, students will learn about how the exams works and they will get plenty of practice using the types of questions they will see in the exam. Students will exercise also on past exam papers.

The subject specific modules are tailored to your chosen degree to ensure that you are fully prepared for the admission test you will be taking.

WE PREPARE FOR:

Medicine	in Florence Campus
Veterinary	in Florence Campus
Architecture	in Milan Campus
Design	in Milan Campus
Engineering / TOLC-I	in Milan Campus
Fine Arts	in Florence Campus
Music	in Florence Campus

FOUNDATION PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Students will be prepared both in Italian language and University admission tests.

Location:	Linguaviva Florence and Milan Campus
Period:	January - August
Duration:	31 weeks
Language:	Courses are held in Italian
Lessons:	In average 25 weekly hours
Total hours:	850

OPTION B SUMMER PREPARATORY COURSE FOR UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Linguaviva prepares international students for degree programmes which require an admission test: Medicine, Veterinary, Architecture, Design, Engineering.

The programme is designed to help students achieve the academic Italian language requirements to access Italian Universities.

The course will provide students with the language and study skills needed for the Italian examination which is a mandatory requirement for international students applying on bachelor-degrees in Italy.

The course will improve the following academic language skills: text comprehension, vocabulary, communicative skills, writing, verbal logic.

The course curriculum is tailored to the fields the students plan to study at the University and to the exams they need to take to be admitted to a specific department. Students are given a focused training.

During the courses, students will learn about how the exams works and they will get plenty of practice, exercising on past exam tests.

The subject specific modules are tailored to your chosen degree to ensure that you are fully prepared for the admission test you will be taking.

WE PREPARE FOR:

Medicine	in Florence Campus
Veterinary	in Florence Campus

COURSE STRUCTURE

Location:	Linguaviva Florence
Period:	June - August
Duration:	11 weeks
Language:	Courses are held in Italian
Requirement:	Level B1 in Italian
Lessons:	In average 30 weekly hours
Total hours:	330

Architecture	in Milan Campus
Design	in Milan Campus
Engineering / TOLC-I	in Milan Campus

COURSE STRUCTURE

Location:	Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period:	May - July
Duration:	10 weeks
Language:	Courses are held in Italian
Requirement:	Level B1 in Italian
Lessons:	In average 30 weekly hours
Total hours:	300



OPTION C SHORT PROGRAMME FOR UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Students may also attend a shorter and very intensive session focusing exclusively on the scientific subjects. We prepare students for degree programmes, which require an admission test:

Medicine in English IMAT	in Milan Campus
Architecture in Italian or English	in Milan Campus
Design	in Milan Campus
Engineering / TOLC-I	in Milan Campus

COURSE STRUCTURE FOR PREPARATORY COURSES IN ITALIAN

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Prep. Courses: **Architecture**
Design
Engineering / TOLC-I,
Period: June - July
Duration: 6 weeks
Language: Courses are held in Italian
Requirement: Level B2 in Italian
Lessons: In average 30 weekly hours
Total hours: 180

COURSE STRUCTURE FOR PREPARATORY COURSES IN ENGLISH

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Prep. Courses: **Architecture**
Period: July
Duration: 4 weeks
Language: Courses are held in English
Requirement: Level B2 in English
Lessons: In average 30 weekly hours
Total hours: 120

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Prep. Courses: **Medicine IMAT**
Period: July - August
Duration: 6 weeks
Language: Courses are held in English
Requirement: Level B2 in English
Lessons: In average 30 weekly hours
Total hours: 180

TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR ALL UNIVERSITY PREPARATORY COURSES

PARTICIPANTS

A minimum of 6 students is required for all courses. In the event of not reaching the minimum number required, the school reserves the right to run the course rescheduling the lessons, according to the number of participants.

COURSE ATTENDANCE

For the structure of the course it is not possible to exclude part of the subjects. If students choose not to attend part of the course, to shorten the course or not to attend classes, he/she is not entitled to any refund.

FEES INCLUDE

Lessons, Textbooks and teaching material, Accommodation placement service, Full orientation upon arrival, Placement test, Academic counselling for Italian Universities, Assistance in enrolling on the admission tests, bureaucratic procedures, contacts with universities International student offices, Certificates.

For all other Terms and Conditions please refer to Linguaviva Booking Guide 2022

HOW TO APPLY

Students may enroll on Preparatory Courses for Italian Universities using on-line application form in our Linguaviva web site (www.linguavivagroup.com) or sending the Application Form enclosed in the Booking Guide to the Admission Office of the selected Linguaviva Campus.

MEDICAL STUDIES AT LINGUAVIVA 2022

Our Campus in Florence prepares students for degree programmes in Italian language with selective entry which require an admission test: Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary, Pharmacy, Technical Health Professions. Students will be prepared both in Italian language and University admission tests. Our Campus in Milan offers a preparatory course for degree courses in Medicine taught in English and IMAT (International Medical Admission Test).

KEY FEATURES OF ADMISSION EXAMS NATIONAL SELECTIVE ENTRY DEPARTMENTS: MEDICINE, DENTISTRY, VETERINARY

Exam date

First week in September

Examination body

The admission exams are at national level and are issued by the Italian Ministry of Higher Education and Research (MUR) through an official document published at the end of June. The Ministry decides also on the number of places allocated to each University.

Italian Language Test

To enroll on any Italian University for first level degree, students are requested to sit for an Italian language exam of Level B2.

The Italian language exam is held on different dates between July and September. Passing this exam is a compulsory requirement for admission to the chosen University course or to the admission examination for specific Degree studies.

Most universities have adopted ITA-L2 test which is a computer based test, multiple-choice test composed of 3 parts (listening, reading and grammar).

Students who already have CILS, CELI, PLIDA certification for level B2, are exempted from Italian language exam.

National Admission tests

The admissions exams are made up of 60 multiple choice questions, with 5 possible answers. Only one of the options is correct.

Maximum score is 90. Timing for the test is 100 minutes.

The contents of the exam varies according to the chosen degree course.

Grading System

1,5 point for each correct answer

-0,4 points for each wrong answer

0 points for no answer

Minimum score

For Non-EU students residing abroad there is no minimum score for Medicine and Veterinary. The ranking is built up considering the best scores according to the number of available places.

MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY TEST

Topics included in the admission test:

Biology - 18 questions

Chemistry - 12 questions

Logical Reasoning - 10 questions

Mathematics and Physics - 8 questions

General Knowledge - 12 questions

VETERINARY TEST

Topics included in the admission test:

Biology - 16 questions

Chemistry - 16 questions

Logical Reasoning - 10 questions

Mathematics and Physics - 6 questions

General Knowledge - 12 questions

OPTION A FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

FIRST PART

BASIC PREPARATION

Location: Linguaviva Florence Campus

Period: 10th January - 27th May 2022

Duration: 20 weeks

Total hours: 520 (each hour 45 minutes)

Participants: A minimum of 6 students is required to open the course.

Subjects:

- Italian language, level A1- B1
- Chemistry
- Biology
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Seminars on Italian Culture

SECOND PART

PREPARATION TO ADMISSION TEST

Period: 30th May - 12th August 2022

Duration: 11 weeks

Total hours: 330 (each hour 45 minutes)

Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects

Subjects:

- Italian for academic studies, level B2
- Text comprehension and Verbal Logic
- Chemistry
- Biology
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 7.500**

(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).



In order to study Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary in an Italian University students need to pass a national admission test with restricted access. The test takes place simultaneously in all Italian state universities that provide a degree course in Medicine and Surgery or Veterinary. The test is administered directly by the Italian Ministry of Education.

OPTION B SUMMER PREPARATORY COURSE FOR MEDICINE / VETERINARY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Location: Linguaviva Florence Campus
Period: 30th May - 12th August 2022

Duration: 11 weeks

Total hours: 330 (each hour 45 minutes)

Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects

Subjects:

- Italian for academic studies, level B2
- Text comprehension and Verbal Logic
- Chemistry
- Biology
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 3.500**
(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

OPTION C SHORT PREPARATORY PROGRAMME FOR MEDICINE - IMAT ENTRANCE EXAMINATION IN ENGLISH

At Linguaviva Milan campus international students can attend a short preparatory course for the Medicine in English / IMAT admission test. This course is also suitable for students wishing to study Pharmacy in English language.

The International Medical Admission Test (IMAT)

The International Medical Admissions Test (IMAT) is a subject-specific admissions test in English, designed by Cambridge Assessment, for applicants to Medicine and Surgery courses at Italian International Medical Schools.

Public Italian Universities with Medicine courses in English:

- University of Bari
- University of Bologna
- University of Campania 'Luigi Vanvitelli'
- University of Messina
- University of Milan
- University of Milan-Bicocca
- University of Naples Federico II
- University of Padua
- University of Parma
- University of Pavia
- University of Rome 'Sapienza'
- University of Rome 'Tor Vergata'
- University of Siena (Dentistry)
- University of Turin

Private Italian Universities with Medicine courses in English:

- Cattolica University in Rome
- Humanitas in Milan
- San Raffaele in Milan
- UniCamillus in Rome

IMAT ADMISSION TEST

The admission exam is a pen-and-paper test, consisting of a total of 60 multiple-choice questions. All questions have five options, of which only one is correct. Candidates have 100 minutes to complete the test.

Topics included in the IMAT admission test:

Biology - 18 questions

Chemistry - 12 questions

Logical Reasoning - 10 questions

Mathematics and Physics - 8 questions

General Knowledge - 12 questions

Scoring

1.5 points for each correct answer;
-0.4 points for each wrong answer;
0 points for each question not answered.
Maximum score 90 points

PREPARATORY MEDICINE IMAT COURSE STRUCTURE

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus

Period: 4th July - 12th August 2022

Duration: 6 weeks

Requirement: IELTS 5 in English

Lessons: Full time with average 30 hours per week

Total hours: 180 (each hour 45 minutes)

Subjects:

- Logical reasoning and text comprehension
- Mathematical Logic
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Mathematics
- Physics

Tuition Fee: **Euro 2.250**

(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

ONLINE PREPARATORY MEDICINE IMAT COURSE STRUCTURE

Location: Online

Period: 26th April - 12th August 2022

Duration: 16 weeks

Requirement: IELTS 5 in English

Total hours: 180 (each hour 45 minutes)

Subjects:

- Logical reasoning and text comprehension
- Mathematical Logic
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Mathematics
- Physics

Tuition Fee: **Euro 2.250**

(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).



ARCHITECTURE STUDIES AT LINGUAVIVA 2022

Our Campus in Milan prepares students for Architecture studies in Italian and English language, which has a selective entry determined by a national admission test.

KEY FEATURES OF LOCAL UNIVERSITY ADMISSION EXAMS FOR ARCHITECTURE

Exam date

July and September. Each university sets a date for the test.

Examination body

The admission exams are administered at local level, but The Ministry of Education decides on the number of places allocated to each University. The architecture test is computer based and managed by a university testing centre.

Italian Language Test

To enroll on any Italian University for first level degree, students are requested to sit for an Italian language exam of Level B2. The Italian language exam is held on different dates between July and September. Passing this exam is a compulsory requirement for admission to the chosen University course or to the admission examination for specific Degree studies.

Most universities have adopted ITA-L2 test which is a computer based test, multiple-choice test composed of 3 parts (listening, reading and grammar).

Students who already have CILS, CELI, PLIDA certification for level B2, are exempted from Italian language exam.

Admission test

Most universities in Italy use ARCHED as admission test for Bachelor programmes in Architecture or single cycle degree in Architecture & Building Engineering. ARCHED is a computer-based and multiple-choice test, made of 40 questions divided in 5 sections: General Knowledge, Logical Reasoning, History (comprising History, History of Art and Architecture), Drawing and Visualization, Mathematics and Physics. For Politecnico di Milano students taking the test in Italian language, at the end of the Test Arched, they will need to take an English Language Test with further 30 questions.

Politecnico di Torino runs its own test TIL A maintaining the same format. Both Universities offer the possibility of a test in English Language for students wanting to study a full degree course in Architecture in English.

Grading System

1,5 point for each correct answer
-0,4 points for each wrong answer
0 points for no answer

Minimum score

For Non-EU students residing abroad there is no minimum score. The ranking is built up considering the best scores according to the number of available places.

ARCHITECTURE TEST

ARCHED is a computer-based and multiple-choice test, consisting of a total of 40 multiple-choice questions.

All questions have five options, of which only one is correct. Candidates have 70 minutes to complete the test and the format is as follows:

History of Art and Architecture - 12 questions

Drawing and Visualization - 6 questions

Logical Reasoning - 6 questions

Mathematics and Physics - 8 questions

General Knowledge - 8 questions



OPTION A FOUNDATION PROGRAMMES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

FIRST PART BASIC PREPARATION

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 10th January - 29th April 2022
Duration: 16 weeks
Total hours: 480 (each hour 45 minutes)
Subjects:

- Italian language, level A1 - B1
- History of Art and Architecture
- Modern European History
- Physics
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Seminars on Italian Culture

SECOND PART PREPARATION TO ADMISSION TEST

Period: 2nd May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 10 weeks
Total hours: 300 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects
Subjects:

- Italian for academic studies, level B2
- Text comprehension and Verbal Logic
- History of Art and Architecture
- Drawing and Visualization
- Physics
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 6.900**
 (tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

OPTION B SUMMER PREPARATORY COURSE FOR ARCHITECTURE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 2nd May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 10 weeks
Total hours: 300 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects
Subjects:

- Italian for academic studies, level B2
- Text comprehension and Verbal Logic
- History of Art and Architecture
- Drawing and Visualization
- Physics
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 3.180**
 (tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

ONLINE PREPARATORY PROGRAMME FOR ARCHITECTURE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION IN ENGLISH

Location: Online
Period: 7th March - 24th June 2022
Duration: 16 weeks
Lessons: Part time with average 7 lessons per week
Total hours: 120 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirement: IELTS 5 in English
Subjects:

- History of Art and Architecture
- Drawing and Visualization
- Physics
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic

Tuition Fee: **Euro 1.500**
 (tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

OPTION C SHORT PREPARATORY PROGRAMME FOR ARCHITECTURE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION IN ITALIAN

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 30th May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 6 weeks
Total hours: 180 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B2 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in scientific subjects
Subjects:

- History of Art and Architecture
- Drawing and Visualization
- Physics
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 2.250**
 (tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

SHORT PREPARATORY PROGRAMME FOR ARCHITECTURE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION IN ENGLISH

This course is suitable for students enrolling on architecture degree courses in English offered at Polytechnic of Milan and Polytechnic of Turin.

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 27th June - 22nd July 2022
Duration: 4 weeks
Lessons: Full time with average 30 lessons per week
Total hours: 120 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirement: IELTS 5 in English
Subjects:

- History of Art and Architecture
- Drawing and Visualization
- Physics
- Mathematics
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic

Tuition Fee: **Euro 1.500**
 (tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

DESIGN STUDIES AT LINGUAVIVA 2022

KEY FEATURES OF LOCAL UNIVERSITY ADMISSION EXAMS FOR DESIGN

Exam date

July, August, September. Each university sets different dates.

Examination body

The admission exams are organized by the local universities.

Italian Language Test

To enroll on any Italian University for first level degree, students are requested to sit for an Italian language exam of Level B2. The Italian language exam is held on different dates between July and September. Passing this exam is a compulsory requirement for admission to the chosen University course or to the admission examination for specific Degree studies. Most universities have adopted ITA-L2 test which is a computer based test, multiple-choice test composed of 3 parts (listening, reading and grammar). Students who already have CILS, CELI, PLIDA certification for level B2, are exempted from Italian language exam.

Local Admission test

The admissions exams are different in each University and take place on different dates. Some are paper based and some are computer based.

Grading System

Usually 1 point for each correct answer
-0,25 points for each wrong answer
0 points for no answer

Minimum score

Depends on university and their admission test rules

DESIGN TEST AT POLYTECHNIC OF MILAN

This test is valid for all design degrees offered at Polytechnic of Milan: product design, interior design, fashion design and communication design. The admission exam is a computer test, consisting of a total of 60 multiple-choice questions.

All questions have five options, of which only one is correct. Candidates have 120 minutes to complete the test and the format is as follows:

History of Art and Design - 12 questions. **Geometry and Representation** - 12 questions. **Verbal Comprehension** - 6 questions. **Logical Reasoning** - 6 questions. **General Knowledge** - 24 questions. **English Language Test** - 30 questions (the result is only to assess if students need extra courses for English language during the academic year)

Grading System

1 point for each correct answer
-0,25 points for each wrong answer
0 points for no answer

Minimum score

Students are required to answer correctly a minimum number of questions in each section:

History of Art and Design - 2. **Geometry and Representation** - 2
Verbal Comprehension - 1. **Logical Reasoning** - 1.
General Knowledge - 5. **English Language Test** - not requested

For EU students: 30/100 Design test; 24/30 English Language test.
For Non-EU students residing abroad: 20/100 Design test; 24/30 English Language test

Our Campus in Milan prepares students for Design studies in Italian language. Admission to all bachelor courses is with a selective admission test. The course focuses on the syllabus requested by the most important Italian Universities.

DESIGN TEST AT POLYTECHNIC OF TURIN

The admission exam is a computer test, consisting of a total of 42 multiple-choice questions.

All questions have five options, of which only one is correct. Candidates have 90 minutes to complete the test and the format is as follows:

History of Art and Design - 12 questions

Logic and Mathematics - 12 questions

Text Comprehension - 6 questions

General Knowledge - 12 questions

Grading System

1 point for each correct answer
-0,25 points for each wrong answer
0 points for no answer

Minimum score

For all students 20/100 to access ranking.

If students obtain 60/100, they are guaranteed a place in Design

DESIGN TEST AT UNIVERSITY IUAV OF VENICE

This is a paper-based test divided in different areas.

The test is made of 3 parts: written, drawing and a motivational interview.

The test format is as follows:

General Knowledge, Text Comprehension, History of Art, Fashion and Design - 40 multiple choice questions, candidates have 1 hour to complete the test.

Graphic Test - Candidates are asked to draw, elaborate in graphic form a theme given by the exam board. They have 1 hour to complete the test.

Motivational interview - Candidates will be interviewed on their motivation to study design, expectations, educational background.

Grading System

Max. 30 points written test
Max. 30 points graphic test
Max. 40 points motivational interview

Minimum score

For all students 20/60 in written and graphic test areas

DESIGN TEST AT UNIVERSITY OF FLORENCE

This is a paper-based test divided in different 3 areas. The test is made of 2 parts: written, drawing and a motivational interview.

The test format is as follows:

General Knowledge - 15 multiple choice questions

History of Art and Design - 15 multiple choice questions.

Candidates have 60 minutes to complete the test.

Graphic Test - Candidates are asked to draw, elaborate in graphic form an object given by the exam board. They have 90 minutes to complete their work.

Grading System

Max. 60 points written test
Max. 40 points graphic test

Minimum score

For all students 50/100

Students will be prepared both in Italian language and University admission tests. This course is suitable for students wishing to study Industrial Design, Product Design, Interior Design, Fashion Design, Visual and Communication Design.

OPTION A FOUNDATION PROGRAMMES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN DESIGN

FIRST PART BASIC PREPARATION

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 10th January - 29th April 2022
Duration: 16 weeks
Total hours: 480 (each hour 45 minutes)
Participants: A minimum of 6 students is required to open the course
Subjects:

- Italian language, level A1- B1
- History of Art
- History of Design
- Geometry
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Seminars on Italian Culture

SECOND PART PREPARATION TO ADMISSION TEST

Period: 2nd May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 10 weeks
Total hours: 300 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects
Subjects:

- Italian for academic studies, level B2
- Text comprehension and Verbal Logic
- History of Art and Design
- Drawing and Visualization
- Geometry
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 6.900**
(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

OPTION B SUMMER PREPARATORY COURSE FOR DESIGN ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 2nd May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 10 weeks
Total hours: 300 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects
Subjects:

- Italian for academic studies, level B2
- Text comprehension and Verbal Logic
- History of Art and Design
- Drawing and Visualization
- Geometry
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

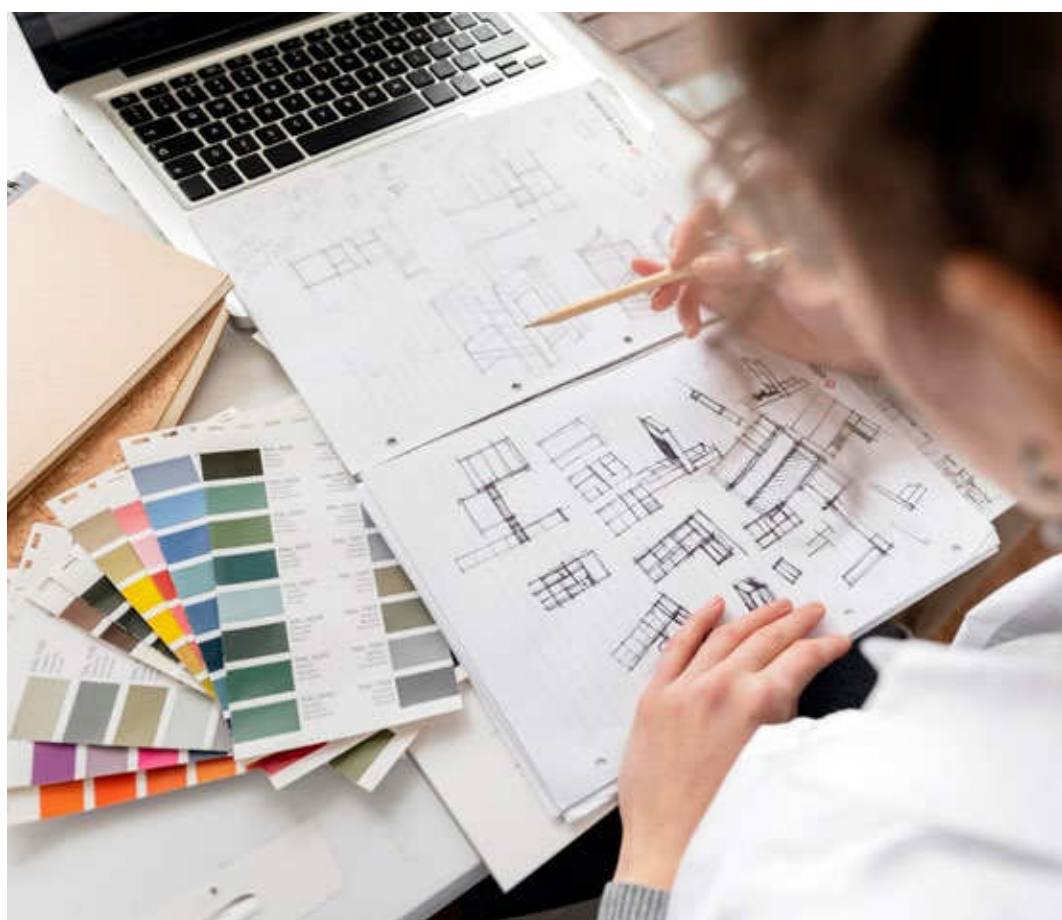
Tuition Fee: **Euro 3.180**
(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

OPTION C SHORT PREPARATORY PROGRAMME FOR DESIGN ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 30th May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 6 weeks
Total hours: 180 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B2 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects
Subjects:

- History of Art and Design
- Drawing and Visualization
- Geometry
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 2.250**
(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).



ENGINEERING STUDIES AT LINGUAVIVA 2022

KEY FEATURES OF LOCAL UNIVERSITY ADMISSION EXAMS FOR ENGINEERING

Exam date

July, August, September

Examination body

The admission exams are organized by the local universities.

Italian Language Test

To enroll on any Italian University for first level degree, students are requested to sit for an Italian language exam of Level B2. The Italian language exam is held on different dates between July and September. Passing this exam is a compulsory requirement for admission to the chosen University course or to the admission examination for specific Degree studies. Most universities have adopted ITA-L2 test which is a computer based test, multiple-choice test composed of 3 parts (listening, reading and grammar). Students who already have CILS, CELI, PLIDA certification for level B2, are exempted from Italian language exam.

TOLC-I ENGINEERING TEST

The admission exam is a computer-based test. The TOLC-I structure consists of 50 questions divided into 4 sections. Candidates have 110 minutes to complete them. 15 minutes are allocated to complete the English language test. Total time is 125 minutes.

The format is as follows:

Mathematics - 20 questions

Science (Chemistry and Physics) - 10 questions

Reading Comprehension - 10 questions

Logic - 10 questions

English Language Test - 30 questions (the result is only to assess if students need extra courses for English language during the academic year)

Grading System

1 point for each correct answer

-0,25 points for each wrong answer

0 points for no answer

Minimum score

Depends on university and their admission test rules

Our Campus in Milan prepares students for Engineering Studies in Italian language. Admission to all bachelor courses is with a selective admission test.

The admission exams are different in each University and take place on different dates. Most of the Italian Universities for Engineering have adopted a common multiple-choice computer based test TOLC-I.

ENGINEERING TEST AT POLYTECHNIC OF MILAN

This test is valid for all engineering degrees offered at Polytechnic of Milan. The admission exam is a computer-based test, consisting of a total of 65 multiple-choice questions.

All questions have five options, of which only one is correct. Candidates have 110 minutes to complete the test and the format is as follows:

Mathematics, Logic and Statistics - 25 questions

Physics - 5 questions

Verbal Comprehension - 5 questions

English Language Test - 30 questions (the result is only to assess if students need extra courses for English language during the academic year)

Grading System

1 point for each correct answer

-0,25 points for each wrong answer

0 points for no answer

Minimum score

60/100 is the minimum score to pass the test

24/30 English Language test

Less than 60/100 students will be allocated Compulsory Educational Supplements, extra courses in Math or Physics

Less than 24/30 in English Language test students will have to attend additional English courses

ENGINEERING TEST AT POLYTECHNIC OF TURIN

This test is valid for all engineering degrees offered at Polytechnic of Turin. The admission exam is a computer-based test, consisting of a total of 42 multiple-choice questions.

All questions have five options, of which only one is correct. Candidates have 90 minutes to complete the test and the format is as follows:

Mathematics - 18 questions

Physics - 12 questions

Text Comprehension - 6 questions

Logic - 6 questions

Grading System

1 point for each correct answer

-0,25 points for each wrong answer

0 points for no answer

Minimum score

20/100 minimum score to access ranking

If students obtain 60/100, they are guaranteed a place the chosen Engineering degree.

- EU Students, if they are unable to enter the chosen engineering degree course, with 50/100 they can apply to any available Engineering degree
- Non-EU Students, if they are unable to enter the chosen engineering degree course, with 30/100 they can apply to any available Engineering degree

The course is suitable for students wishing to prepare TOLC-I test.

The course is suitable also for students wanting to study at Polytechnic of Milan and Polytechnic of Turin, which have their own admission test different from TOLC-I exam.

Students will be prepared both in Italian language and University admission tests.

OPTION A FOUNDATION PROGRAMMES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN ENGINEERING

FIRST PART

BASIC PREPARATION

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 10th January - 29th April 2022
Duration: 16 weeks
Total hours: 480 (each hour 45 minutes)
Subjects:

- Italian language, level A1- B1
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic

SECOND PART PREPARATION TO ADMISSION TEST

Period: 2nd May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 6 weeks
Total hours: 300 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects
Subjects:

- Italian for academic studies, level B2
- Text comprehension and Verbal Logic
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 6.900**
(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).

OPTION B SUMMER PREPARATORY COURSE FOR ENGINEERING / TOLC-I ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

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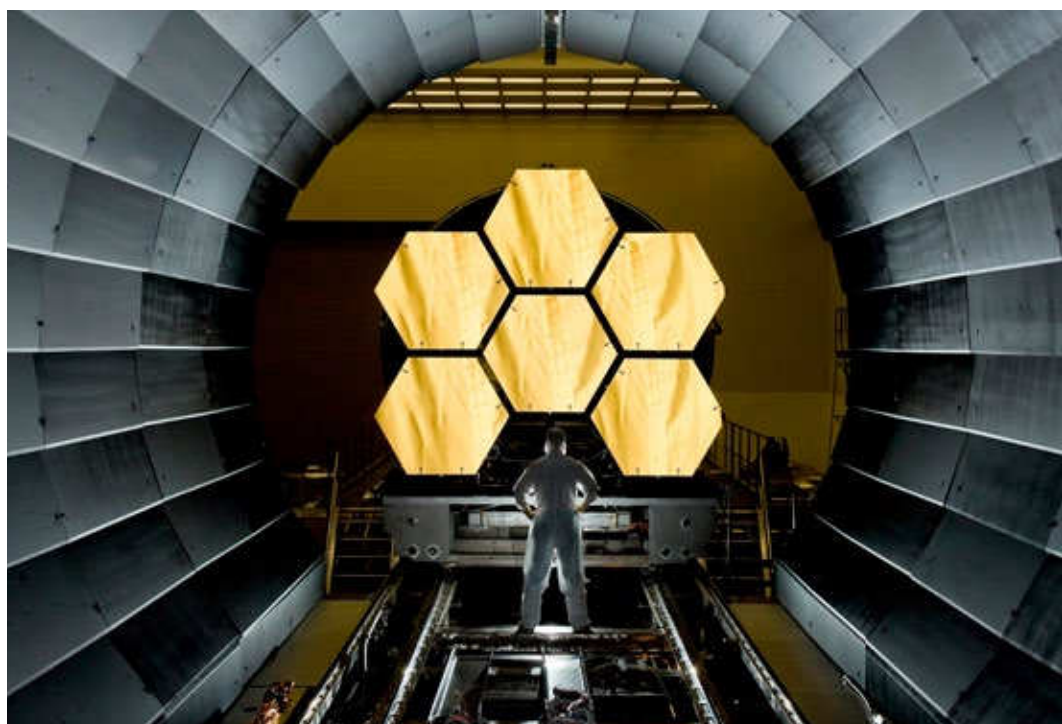
Tuition Fee: **Euro 3.180**
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OPTION C SHORT PREPARATORY PROGRAMME FOR ENGINEERING / TOLC-I ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Location: Linguaviva Milan Campus
Period: 30th May - 8th July 2022
Duration: 6 weeks
Total hours: 180 (each hour 45 minutes)
Requirements: Level B1 in Italian Language and basic knowledge in Scientific subjects
Subjects:

- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Logical Reasoning and Mathematical Logic
- Simulation on admission test

Tuition Fee: **Euro 2.250**
(tuition fees include textbooks and teaching material).



FINE ARTS AND MUSIC AT LINGUAVIVA 2022

Our Campus in Florence prepares international students wishing to enter a Fine Arts Academy and Music Conservatory in Italy.

The aim is to provide students with an adequate linguistic and cultural preparation for Bachelor's and Master's degree.

Students will be prepared in Italian language and will improve technical-artistic or music skills required by admission exams.



The Italian language course prepares students to achieve B2 level of knowledge which is a mandatory admission requirement of Music Conservatories and Fine Arts Academies.

The course aims to develop specific language skills needed for the selected area of studies and offers the opportunity to deepen cultural knowledge in Music and Arts.

The exams for Music Conservatories and Fine Arts Academies are very selective.

They foresee practical assessments and an oral interview aimed to analyze candidate's experiences and motivation.

The Preparatory course for Music area trains students to sustain the admission exam with an appropriate music performance.

The Preparatory course for Fine Arts subjects provides students with a technical preparation in the required field and helps students to assemble a portfolio, highlighting their artistic skills and creativity related to the chosen academic course.

Since the study programme is partially tailored on the student's profile and skills, the practical preparation is based on an individual training to exercise artistic skills according to the requirement of the exam and to student's previous experience.

As a result of the partnership with Florence Music Conservatory and Florence Fine Arts Academy, Linguaviva guarantees a high-quality preparation, cooperating with teachers from these prestigious academic Institutions.

Please contact Linguaviva Campus Florence for more detailed information.

OVERVIEW BY AREA OF STUDIES

STUDY OPTIONS	LOCATION	DURATION	HOURS OF LESSON	LANGUAGE OF THE COURSE	FEES	DATES
MEDICAL STUDIES						
Foundation programmes for international students Long term courses	Florence	31 weeks	850	Italian	€ 7.500	10 th Jan - 12 th Aug 2022
Summer preparatory programmes for university	Florence	11 weeks	330	Italian	€ 3.500	30 th May - 12 th Aug 2022
Short preparatory programmes for university medicine in English - IMAT	Milan	6 weeks	180	English	€ 2.250	4 th July - 12 th Aug 2022
Online preparatory course for Medicine in English - IMAT	Online	16 weeks	180	English	€ 2.250	26 th Apr - 12 th Aug 2022
ARCHITECTURE STUDIES						
Foundation programmes for international students Long term courses	Milan	26 weeks	780	Italian	€ 6.900	10 th Jan - 8 th July 2022
Summer preparatory programmes for university	Milan	10 weeks	300	Italian	€ 3.180	2 nd May - 8 th July 2022
Short preparatory programmes for university in Italian	Milan	6 weeks	180	Italian	€ 2.250	30 th May - 8 th July 2022
Short preparatory programmes for university in English	Milan	4 weeks	120	English	€ 1.500	27 th June - 22 nd July 2022
Online preparatory course for Architecture in English	Online	16 weeks	120	English	€ 1.500	7 th March - 24 th June 2022
DESIGN STUDIES						
Foundation programmes for international students Long term courses	Milan	26 weeks	780	Italian	€ 6.900	10 th Jan - 8 th July 2022
Summer preparatory programmes for university	Milan	10 weeks	300	Italian	€ 3.180	2 nd May - 8 th July 2022
Short preparatory programmes for university in Italian	Milan	6 weeks	180	Italian	€ 2.250	30 th May - 8 th July 2022
ENGINEERING STUDIES						
Foundation programmes for international students Long term courses	Milan	26 weeks	780	Italian	€ 6.900	10 th Jan - 8 th July 2022
Summer preparatory programmes for university	Milan	10 weeks	300	Italian	€ 3.180	2 nd May - 8 th July 2022
Short preparatory programmes for university in Italian	Milan	6 weeks	180	Italian	€ 2.250	30 th May - 8 th July 2022

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