



SALERNO: TRADITION AND MODERN LIFE



Salerno is situated in the South of Italy in the gulf which hosts the wonderful Amalfi Coast (Amalfi, Positano, Ravello, Sorrento), neighbour of the famous treasures of Campania (Pompeii, Paestum, Naples, Capri, Cilento, etc.). Salerno has well preserved its past as can be seen from its folkloristic traditions and numerous monuments. The ancient atmosphere mingles with the buzz of modern life, creating an astonishing blend of Italian originality. The symbol of the town is its wonderful seafront promenade which offers the pleasure and beauty of a splendid panorama with its blue sea and its flower-filled pathways.

WHY CHOOSE SALERNO

Salerno is the ideal city to combine the study of Italian with a pleasant holiday. It offers numerous advantages:

- **Strategic geographical position:** students can easily get to all the famous touristic places and treasures of Campania in a few minutes by public transport.
- **Typical mid-size Italian city:** far from being a mass tourism destination, students can experience the authentic Italian life and get in contact with Italian local Italian people.
- **Low-cost of living:** due to the absence of mass tourism, life in Salerno is cheaper than touristic sites (ex. 1 espresso + 1 croissant = euros 1.20), a positive point for short and long terms stays.



HOW TO REACH SALERNO



by air – The nearest international airport is Naples *Capodichino* which is linked to airports all over the world. Naples is 50 Km from Salerno. Rapid connections at all hours of the day permit speedy transfer to Salerno.

by train – Salerno is connected with the national rail network by the high speed Eurostar and Intercity trains.

by car – Salerno is well connected to the national network of motorways.





ITALIAN LANGUAGE COURSES

Italian General Courses run all year round with a program divided into 6 levels, according to the CEFR Common European Framework, from absolute beginners to advanced level (A1-C2). All the courses develop practical communication skills. Students from the age of 16 are accepted and the minimum period of attendance is 1 week.

STANDARD

4 group lessons a day, 20 lessons per week

INTENSIVE

6 group lessons a day, 30 lessons per week

This course is recognised as *Bildungsurlaub* in Germany.

SUPER INTENSIVE

4 group lessons + 1 individual lesson a day, 20 +5 lessons per week

INDIVIDUAL

These courses are suitable for those who wish to reach high level results in a short time by means of a personalised program both in terms of time and method. The program is planned around the student's needs.

Minimum attendance: 2 lessons a day / 10 lessons per week

EXAMINATION COURSES

Accademia Italiana is an Authorised Examination Centre of the University for Foreigners of Siena and Perugia for CILS and CELI official certifications, recognized by the Council of Europe and for the AIL certification. The school organizes preparation courses for all these certificates. The exams take place at school in different yearly sessions. Preparation courses are usually individual in order to fulfill students' needs.

Individual: 2 weeks

4 individual lessons a day / 20 lessons per week



UNIVERSITY PREPARATORY COURSE

These courses are aimed at foreign students who wish to enroll in an Italian University and they include a general course of Italian, of variable duration depending on the starting level, and a specific preparation course for the entrance exam to the different faculties.

ITALIAN GENERAL COURSE

(from A1 beginner to B1 pre intermediate)

Duration: from 8 to 24 weeks in a group / 20 lessons per week

SPECIFIC PREPARATION COURSE

Duration: 8 weeks / lessons per week

Attendance: from Monday to Friday

Lesson hour: 45 minutes

