



University
of Exeter



Evening language programme 2025/26

Course title: PLIDA Italian B1 exam preparation course

Dates/Time:

Tuesday, 28th April – 2nd June 2026, 18:00–19:30pm (6 weeks, 9 contact hours)

Course descriptor/objectives

The course aims to support participants preparing for the PLIDA B1 exam by exploring, understanding and practising the different tasks required to sit the exam. Participants will become familiar with and practise the skills required in the exam through the guided practice of targeted papers. Informal formative feedback will be given during contact hours.

The course aims at building the confidence needed to successfully complete the B1 certification, but it will also give participants the chance to consolidate language skills and gain more confidence in Italian.

By the end of the course participants will:

1. Be able to sit the exam with confidence.
2. Be familiar with the structure of the exam, its content and duration.
3. Have practised how to approach the different tasks.

In the sessions, participants will engage in practical exercises and group interaction to develop relevant task-specific strategies. The role of the instructor is to facilitate this process,

provide useful tools and encourage participants to approach the different tasks with confidence.

The course is scheduled to run before the PLIDA exam sessions held in Exeter, giving participants the opportunity to progress from preparation to examination. You can view the Exeter exam schedule here: <https://language-centre.exeter.ac.uk/exams/plida/>

A reduction in the exam fee will apply for those candidates who have attended this course and register to sit the PLIDA B1 at Exeter

The course is also suitable for candidates planning to sit the exam at other accredited centres.

Weekly classes last 1 hour and 30 minutes and will be delivered entirely online.

Prerequisite:

This six-week non-credit bearing weekly online course is intended for language learners who are already working at B1 or B2 level and are aiming at attempting the Plida Exam at B1 level.

Technical requirements:

-PC, laptop or tablet with camera and microphone

-Stable internet connection

Delivery will be via Teams

Once the course is confirmed, your teacher will send you an invitation for the first online session. You can expect to receive this invitation one day before the first session.

Coursebook and/or learning resources:

Worksheets, materials and resources are provided by the teacher.