





Vietnamese-Italian Language Partner Program 2025

This program fosters cross-cultural exchange and enhances language skills among students, providing a unique opportunity for participants to engage in language practice and immerse themselves in each other's cultures. Participants include Italian students from the India and Southeast Asian program at Ca' Foscari University, Vietnamese students at Ca' Foscari University, and Italian language majors from Hanoi University. The program is coordinated by

Prof.ssa Phan Thi Huyen Trang (Ca' Foscari University of Venice) and **Prof.ssa Tran Thu Trang** (Hanoi University). **Sessions are held both offline and online.**

OFFLINE SESSIONS: Every Wednesday, 12.00–15.30 at San Basilio Educational Center (Warehouse 5).

ONLINE SESSIONS: Every Saturday, 12.00–13.30 (Venice time) / 17.00–18.30 (Hanoi time) via Google Meet.

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TOPICS FOR BEGINNER LEVEL

SESSION 1 (2 & 5 April) Eating and Drinking

- 1. Simple comparison
- 2. Talk about do's and don'ts in eating
- 3. Talk about one's own eating preferences

SESSION 2 (9 & 12 April)

Renting a house

- 1. Talk about the position of objects in space
- 2. Ask about the completion of actions and the existence of objects
- 3. List the characteristics, objects related to a house
- 4. Read information about renting a house, introducing a new house

SESSION 3 (16 April & 19 April)

Online Shopping

- 1. Talk about the degree of characteristics or qualities of a person or object
- 2. Talk about abilities

TOPIC FOR INTERMEDIATE LEVELS

SESSION 1 (2 & 5 April)

- 3. Understand online shopping
- 4. Understand information about a product for buying and selling purposes

SESSION 4 (23 & 26 April)

Travel tips

- $1\!\!$. Talk about time and timing
- 2. Give advice to others
- 3. List points to consider when traveling
- 4. Introduce information related to a travel destination

SESSION 5 (30 April & 3 May) Health protection

- 1. Ask about the health condition of others
- 2. Talk about the frequency of activities of people or objects
- 3. Talk about choices
- 4. Express positive and negative meanings about an event
- 5. List nutritional regimes for health

3. Introduce a shopping center or special market area

The Majestic hotel in Saigon

- 1. Express personal opinions about an issue
- 2. Ask for information when needing to book a hotel room

3. Present basic information about hotels, guesthouses, or similar accommodations for a specific purpose

SESSION 2 (9 & 12 April) Famous Saigon iced milk coffee shops

- 1. Evaluate people or objects
- 2. Introduce drinks
- 3. Ask for information about the type of drink one wants when entering a restaurant or café
- 4. Present or evaluate in a simple way a type of drink or a café

SESSION 3 (16 April & 19 April) Floating markets

 Talk about shopping activities as well as floating markets
Establish basic communication when buying and selling at traditional marketplaces

using simple sentences

SESSION 4 (23 & 26 April) Lunar New Year

- 1. Comment on, evaluate an issue
- 2. Understand some holidays
- 3. Present the basic characteristics of Vietnamese Tet and can compare it with similar festivals in the learner's country

4. Introduce, explain a prominent festival of the learner's country

SESSION 5 (30 April & 3 May)

- Occupations replaced by robots
- $1.\,\mbox{Talk}$ about technology
- 2. Present simply some forecasts about the changes in the job market due to automation in the future
- 3. Express a simple opinion about automation in production