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Welcome to your *Essential Italian in 2 hours* course supporting guide!

This guide is your companion to, and extension of, the recorded part of your *Essential Italian* course. And it is probably best if we begin by explaining how these two parts work together to make up *Essential Italian*.

Your *Essential Italian* course has been designed so that once you have worked through it, you should be able to take a trip to Italy and chat with the locals when you are confronted by various situations that we all encounter when travelling.

Many of us, at some point in our lives, have picked up a phrasebook in order to try to do this exact thing. We might have used one to order a meal, to book a taxi or to buy some tickets. One drawback of using such a phrasebook, however, is that you always need to carry it around with you wherever you go. You then also have to take it out each time you want to use it, find the right page and then try to pronounce what it says correctly. Not only this, but if the phrase you find isn't exactly what you're looking for, what are you going to do then? If you can't alter it, then it probably won't be of much use to you.

These drawbacks, which affect phrasebooks, will not apply to this course. Instead, *Essential Italian* will teach you how to construct the language *by yourself, independently*. You'll learn how to put the sentences together yourself and the language will be introduced to you in such a way that you'll be able to remember it without even trying.

So, once you've finished listening to the course, and then later reading through this guide, you will no longer need to carry a phrasebook around at all. Instead, it will be in your head! And you'll be able to adapt the phrases and sentences you have learnt so that you will have far more flexibility, in terms of what you can say, than you would ever have had with a normal phrasebook. And, more than that, you will actually understand what it is you're saying!

How to use this guide

This guide has been designed to provide you with a quick and easy way to review, reinforce and extend the key vocabulary, structures and content that you'll learn through listening to the recorded part of your *Essential Italian* course.

The first part of your learning will involve listening to the accompanying audio. Then, once you have listened to the audio, this guide will make it possible for you to extend your knowledge of Italian further, by allowing you to acquire additional words and components.

It is worth noting, however, that this guide should be used *after* you have begun working through the accompanying audio tracks. It will serve as excellent review and extension material but it is not designed to start you off in the language. This is what the audio will do – and very rapidly too.

Easy reference script

The best way to use this part of the guide is to start by reading through a section of the easy reference script, looking at both English and Italian. Then go back to the beginning of that section and, while covering the Italian side of the text, translate the English into Italian – just as you did when you listened to the audio.

Once you can get 90% of a section's content correct, move on to the next part and follow the process again. Doing this, you will quickly recall and review what you learnt with the audio.

(Note: Track numbers have been included in the script. This will allow you to know exactly where you can locate anything you might wish to review from the easy reference script.)

Track 3

I have	Ho
visited	visitato
I have visited	Ho visitato
Rome	Roma
I have visited Rome.	Ho visitato Roma.
Naples	Napoli
I have visited Naples.	Ho visitato Napoli.
You have	Ha
You have visited Naples.	Ha visitato Napoli.
You have visited Rome.	Ha visitato Roma.
Have you visited Rome?	Ha visitato Roma?
Have you visited Naples?	Ha visitato Napoli?
Yes.	Sì.
Yes, I have visited Naples.	Sì, ho visitato Napoli.
Yes, I have visited Rome.	Sì, ho visitato Roma.
Yes, I have visited Naples. Have you visited Rome?	Sì, ho visitato Napoli. Ha visitato Roma?
Yes, I have visited Rome. Have you visited Naples?	Sì, ho visitato Roma. Ha visitato Napoli?

Track 4

reserved / pre-noted	prenotato
I have reserved	Ho prenotato
You have reserved	Ha prenotato
a table	un tavolo
You have reserved	Ha prenotato un tavolo.
Have you reserved a table?	Ha prenotato un tavolo?
Yes, I have reserved a table.	Sì, ho prenotato un tavolo.
I have not	Non ho
I have not reserved a table.	Non ho prenotato un tavolo.
You have not	Non ha
You have not reserved a table.	Non ha prenotato un tavolo.

I have not visited	Non ho visitato
I have not visited Rome.	Non ho visitato Roma.
You haven't visited Rome.	Non ha visitato Roma.
Haven't you visited Rome?	Non ha visitato Roma?
Haven't you visited Naples?	Non ha visitato Napoli?
Haven't you reserved a table?	Non ha prenotato un tavolo?

Tracks 5 & 6

a room / a chamber	una camera
I have reserved a room.	Ho prenotato una camera.
You have reserved a room.	Ha prenotato una camera.
Have you reserved a room?	Ha prenotato una camera?
Have you reserved a table?	Ha prenotato un tavolo?
Yes, I have reserved a table.	Sì, ho prenotato un tavolo.
Yes, I've reserved a table. Have you reserved a room?	Sì, ho prenotato un tavolo. Ha prenotato una camera?
I haven't reserved a room.	Non ho prenotato una camera.

Track 7

but	ma
I haven't visited Rome but I have visited Naples.	Non ho visitato Roma ma ho visitato Napoli.
I haven't visited Naples but I have visited Rome.	Non ho visitato Napoli ma ho visitato Roma.
the museum	il museo
I have visited the museum.	Ho visitato il museo.
I haven't visited the museum.	Non ho visitato il museo.
I have visited Naples but I haven't visited the museum.	Ho visitato Napoli ma non ho visitato il museo.
I have reserved a table but I haven't reserved a room.	Ho prenotato un tavolo ma non ho prenotato una camera.

Track 8

ordered	ordinato
I have ordered	Ho ordinato
You have ordered	Ha ordinato
a risotto	un risotto
You have ordered a risotto.	Ha ordinato un risotto.
Have you ordered a risotto?	Ha ordinato un risotto?
Yes, I have ordered a risotto.	Sì, ho ordinato un risotto.
a pizza	una pizza
I have ordered a pizza.	Ho ordinato una pizza.
I haven't ordered a pizza.	Non ho ordinato una pizza.
I have ordered a risotto but I haven't ordered a pizza.	Ho ordinato un risotto ma non ho ordinato una pizza.
I have reserved a table but I haven't ordered.	Ho prenotato un tavolo ma non ho ordinato.

Track 9

I would like	Vorrei
a room	una camera
I would like a room.	Vorrei una camera.
please / for favour	per favore
I would like a room, please.	Vorrei una camera, per favore.
I would like a table, please.	Vorrei un tavolo, per favore.
with	con
bath	bagno
with bath	con bagno
I would like a room with bath, please.	Vorrei una camera con bagno, per favore.
I would like a risotto, please.	Vorrei un risotto, per favore.
I would like a pizza, please.	Vorrei una pizza, per favore.
and	e
a pizza and a risotto	una pizza e un risotto
I would like a pizza and a risotto, please.	Vorrei una pizza e un risotto, per favore.

a coffee	un caffè
I would like a coffee.	Vorrei un caffè.
two coffees	due caffè
I would like two coffees.	Vorrei due caffè.
I would like two coffees and a risotto.	Vorrei due caffè e un risotto.
I would not like / I wouldn't like	Non vorrei
I wouldn't like a risotto.	Non vorrei un risotto.
I wouldn't like a coffee.	Non vorrei un caffè.
I wouldn't like a risotto but I would like a coffee.	Non vorrei un risotto ma vorrei un caffè.

Track 10

to visit	visitare
to visit Rome	visitare Roma
to visit Naples	visitare Napoli
I would like to visit Naples.	Vorrei visitare Napoli.
I would like to visit Rome.	Vorrei visitare Roma.
I would like to visit the museum.	Vorrei visitare il museo.
to reserve	prenotare
I would like to reserve	Vorrei prenotare
I would like to reserve a table.	Vorrei prenotare un tavolo.
I would like to reserve a room.	Vorrei prenotare una camera.
I would like to reserve a room, please.	Vorrei prenotare una camera, per favore.
I would like to reserve a table, please.	Vorrei prenotare un tavolo, per favore.
for	per
people	persone
two people	due persone
for two people	per due persone
I would like to reserve a table for two people.	Vorrei prenotare un tavolo per due persone.

I would like to reserve a room for two people.

I would like to reserve a room with bath.

I would like to reserve a room with bath for two people.

Vorrei prenotare una camera per due persone.

Vorrei prenotare una camera con bagno.

Vorrei prenotare una camera con bagno per due persone.

Track 11

Words ending in “-ic” and “-ical” in English end in “-ico” in Italian.

typical

tipico

political

politico

exotic

esotico

It is

È

It is typical!

È tipico!

It is political!

È politico!

It is exotic!

È esotico!

romantic

romantico

It is romantic!

È romantico!

dramatic

drammatico

It is dramatic!

È drammatico!

fantastic

fantastico

It is fantastic!

È fantastico!

democratic

democratico

It is democratic!

È democratico!

problematic

problematico

It is problematic!

È problematico!

It is romantic.

È romantico.

if

se

...if it is romantic.

...se è romantico.

I would like to reserve a table if it's romantic.

Vorrei prenotare un tavolo se è romantico.

to know

sapere

I would like to know

Vorrei sapere

I would like to know if it's romantic.

Vorrei sapere se è romantico.

I would like to know if it's exotic.	Vorrei sapere se è esotico.
I would like to know if it's problematic.	Vorrei sapere se è problematico.
I would like to reserve a table but I would like to know if it's romantic.	Vorrei prenotare un tavolo ma vorrei sapere se è romantico.
It is not	Non è
It's not romantic.	Non è romantico.
I would like to know if it's not romantic.	Vorrei sapere se non è romantico.
Why? / For what?	Perché?
I would like to know why.	Vorrei sapere perché.
I would like to know why it's not romantic.	Vorrei sapere perché non è romantico.

Track 12

I would like to know why you haven't reserved a table.	Vorrei sapere perché non ha prenotato un tavolo.
I would like to know why you haven't reserved a room.	Vorrei sapere perché non ha prenotato una camera.
I have ordered a coffee and a risotto.	Ho ordinato un caffè e un risotto.
I have ordered two coffees and a risotto.	Ho ordinato due caffè e un risotto.
You haven't ordered a coffee.	Non ha ordinato un caffè.
You haven't ordered two coffees.	Non ha ordinato due caffè.
I would like to know why you haven't ordered two coffees.	Vorrei sapere perché non ha ordinato due caffè.

Track 13

a taxi	un taxi
I would like to know why you haven't ordered a taxi.	Vorrei sapere perché non ha ordinato un taxi.
I have booked	Ho prenotato
I have booked a room.	Ho prenotato una camera.
a taxi	un taxi
I have booked a taxi.	Ho prenotato un taxi.

I haven't booked a taxi.	Non ho prenotato un taxi.
You haven't booked a taxi.	Non ha prenotato un taxi.
I would like to know why you haven't booked a taxi.	Vorrei sapere perché non ha prenotato un taxi.
to pay	pagare
I would like to pay, please.	Vorrei pagare, per favore.
I have ordered and I would like to pay.	Ho ordinato e vorrei pagare.
I have reserved a room and I would like to pay.	Ho prenotato una camera e vorrei pagare.

Track 14

invited	invitato
I have invited	Ho invitato
I have invited Paul.	Ho invitato Paul.
to Rome	a Roma
I have invited Paul to Rome.	Ho invitato Paul a Roma.
You have invited Paul to Rome.	Ha invitato Paul a Roma.
Have you invited Paul to Rome?	Ha invitato Paul a Roma?
to Naples	a Napoli
Have you invited Paul to Naples?	Ha invitato Paul a Napoli?
the museum	il museo
to the museum	al museo
I have invited Paul to the museum.	Ho invitato Paul al museo.
I haven't invited Paul to the museum.	Non ho invitato Paul al museo.
You haven't invited Paul to the museum.	Non ha invitato Paul al museo.
Haven't you invited Paul to the museum?	Non ha invitato Paul al museo?
Why haven't you invited Paul to the museum?	Perché non ha invitato Paul al museo?
the cinema	il cinema
to the cinema	al cinema

Have you invited Paul to the cinema?	Ha invitato Paul al cinema?
Haven't you invited Paul to the cinema?	Non ha invitato Paul al cinema?
Why haven't you invited Paul to the cinema?	Perché non ha invitato Paul al cinema?
I have invited Paul to the museum.	Ho invitato Paul al museo.
I haven't invited Paul to the cinema.	Non ho invitato Paul al cinema.
I have invited Paul to the museum but I haven't invited Paul to the cinema.	Ho invitato Paul al museo ma non ho invitato Paul al cinema.

Track 15

I would like to book a taxi, please. two nights for two nights I would like to book a room for two people for two nights.	Vorrei prenotare un taxi, per favore. due notti per due notti Vorrei prenotare una camera per due persone per due notti.
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Track 16

three three nights I would like to reserve a room for two people for three nights. I would like to book a room with bath for two people for three nights. I have a room for two people for three nights. I have a room for two people for two nights. I have a room with bath for two people for two nights. the credit card by credit card / with the card of credit I would like to pay by credit card.	tre tre notti Vorrei prenotare una camera per due persone per tre notti. Vorrei prenotare una camera con bagno per due persone per tre notti. Ho una camera per due persone per tre notti. Ho una camera per due persone per due notti. Ho una camera con bagno per due persone per due notti. la carta di credito con la carta di credito Vorrei pagare con la carta di credito.
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I have ordered and I would like to pay by credit card.

Ho ordinato e vorrei pagare con la carta di credito.

Track 20

Yes, it's typical.

Sì, è tipico.

How much?

Quanto?

How much is it?

Quant'è?

For two nights. How much is it?

Per due notti. Quant'è?

one hundred

cento

euros

euro

one hundred euros

cento euro

For two nights, one hundred euros.

Per due notti, cento euro.

I would like a risotto. How much is it?

Vorrei un risotto. Quant'è?

five

cinque

five euros

cinque euro

Five euros, please.

Cinque euro, per favore.

Thank you.

Grazie.

I would like a coffee and a pizza.

Vorrei un caffè e una pizza. Quant'è?

How much is it?

per quanto?

eight

otto

eight euros

otto euro

Eight euros, please.

Otto euro, per favore.

Track 21

I would like a room for two people for two nights.

Vorrei una camera per due persone per due notti.

I have a room for two people with bath.

Ho una camera per due persone con bagno.

Two coffees and a risotto, please.

Due caffè e un risotto, per favore.

Track 23

The hotel scenario

Traveller	I would like a room for two people for two nights.	Vorrei una camera per due persone per due notti.
Receptionist	I have a room for two people with bath.	Ho una camera per due persone con bagno.
Traveller	How much is it?	Quant'è?
Receptionist	For two nights... 100 euros.	Per due notti.... cento euro.
Traveller	I would like to pay by (with) credit card.	Vorrei pagare con la carta di credito.

The receptionist then takes your card, you enter your PIN and she hands it back to you.

Receptionist	Thank you.	Grazie.
Traveller	Thank you.	Grazie.

Track 24

The café scenario

Traveller	I would like a table for two people, please.	Vorrei un tavolo per due persone, per favore.
Traveller	Two coffees and a risotto, please.	Due caffè e un risotto, per favore.
Traveller	How much is it?	Quant'è?
Waiter	Ten euros.	Dieci euro.
Traveller	I would like to pay by credit card, please.	Vorrei pagare con la carta di credito, per favore.

Building on what you've learned

In a similar way to how you have used the easy reference script, the best way to use this part of your guide is to start by reading through a section, looking at both the English and Italian. This time, however, make sure you also pay attention to the pronunciation guidance provided next to new words.

Once you have read through a section in this way, go back to the beginning of the same section and, while covering the Italian side of the text, try to translate the English into Italian. If you have forgotten some of the words, don't worry – this is not about memorising! Instead, simply work your way through the rest of the section and then start the same section over again.

Once you can get 90% of a section's content correct, move on to the next section and follow the process until you have completed each and every section.

Finally, once you have done all of this, take a break for a day *and then repeat the entire process a second time*. Doing this, you will find that you very quickly and thoroughly absorb the new vocabulary and components that have been introduced without ever trying to memorise them. You will instead simply "pick them up" by working through them. Now, get going with it!

I have ordered...

I have ordered...	Ho ordinato...
I have ordered a pizza.	Ho ordinato una pizza.
I have ordered a risotto.	Ho ordinato un risotto.
I have ordered a coffee.	Ho ordinato un caffè.
sandwich	sandwich (pronounced: the same as in English)
a sandwich	un sandwich
I have ordered a sandwich.	Ho ordinato un sandwich.
a sandwich and a coffee.	un sandwich e un caffè
I have ordered a sandwich and a coffee.	Ho ordinato un sandwich e un caffè.
salad	insalata (pronounced: in-sa-lar-ta)

a salad	un'insalata (pronounced: oon-in-sa-lar-ta)
I have ordered a salad.	Ho ordinato un'insalata.
a sandwich and a salad	un sandwich e un'insalata
I have ordered a sandwich and a salad.	Ho ordinato un sandwich e un'insalata.
I have ordered a pizza and a salad.	Ho ordinato una pizza e un'insalata.
wine	vino (pronounced: vee-no)
red	rosso (pronounced: ross-oh)
red wine (literally: wine red)	vino rosso
a red wine	un vino rosso
I have ordered a red wine.	Ho ordinato un vino rosso.
I have ordered a red wine and a risotto.	Ho ordinato un vino rosso e un risotto.
I have ordered a red wine, a risotto and a salad.	Ho ordinato un vino rosso, un risotto e un'insalata.
I have ordered a red wine and a sandwich.	Ho ordinato un vino rosso e un sandwich.
white	bianco (pronounced: bee-an-koh)
white wine (literally: wine white)	vino bianco
a white wine	un vino bianco
I have ordered a white wine.	Ho ordinato un vino bianco.
I have ordered a white wine and a sandwich.	Ho ordinato un vino bianco e un sandwich.
I have ordered a white wine, a sandwich and a salad.	Ho ordinato un vino bianco, un sandwich e un'insalata.
bottle	bottiglia (pronounced: bo-ti-lya)
a bottle	una bottiglia
of	di (pronounced: dee)
a bottle of	una bottiglia di
a bottle of white wine	una bottiglia di vino bianco
I have ordered a bottle of white wine.	Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino bianco.
I have ordered a bottle of white wine, a sandwich and a salad.	Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino bianco, un sandwich e una insalata.

a bottle of red wine	una bottiglia di vino rosso
I have ordered a bottle of red wine.	Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino rosso.
I have ordered a bottle of red wine, a pizza and a salad.	Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino rosso, una pizza e un'insalata.
I would like to know if you have ordered a salad.	Vorrei sapere se ha ordinato un'insalata.
I would like to know why you have ordered a salad.	Vorrei sapere perché ha ordinato un'insalata.
I would like to know why you haven't ordered a salad.	Vorrei sapere perché non ha ordinato un'insalata.
I would like to know why you have ordered a pizza but you haven't ordered a salad.	Vorrei sapere perché ha ordinato una pizza ma non ha ordinato un'insalata.
I would like to know why you have ordered a bottle of red wine but you haven't ordered a taxi.	Vorrei sapere perché ha ordinato una bottiglia di vino rosso ma non ha ordinato un taxi.

I would like to order...

to order	ordinare (pronounced: or-din-ar-ay)
I would like to order...	Vorrei ordinare...
I would like to order a pizza.	Vorrei ordinare una pizza.
I would like to order a risotto.	Vorrei ordinare un risotto.
I would like to order a coffee.	Vorrei ordinare un caffè.
I would like to order a sandwich.	Vorrei ordinare un sandwich.
I would like to order a sandwich and a coffee.	Vorrei ordinare un sandwich e un caffè.
I would like to order a salad.	Vorrei ordinare un'insalata.
a sandwich and a salad	un sandwich e un'insalata
I would like to order a sandwich and a salad.	Vorrei ordinare un sandwich e un'insalata.
I would like to order a pizza and a salad.	Vorrei ordinare una pizza e un'insalata.
I would like to order a red wine.	Vorrei ordinare un vino rosso.
I would like to order a red wine and a risotto.	Vorrei ordinare un vino rosso e un risotto.

I would like to order a red wine, a risotto and a salad.	Vorrei ordinare un vino rosso, un risotto e un'insalata.
I would like to order a red wine and a sandwich.	Vorrei ordinare un vino rosso e un sandwich.
I would like to order a white wine.	Vorrei ordinare un vino bianco.
I would like to order a white wine and a sandwich.	Vorrei ordinare un vino bianco e un sandwich.
I would like to order a white wine, a sandwich and a salad.	Vorrei ordinare un vino bianco, un sandwich e un'insalata.
I would like to order a bottle of white wine.	Vorrei ordinare una bottiglia di vino bianco.
I would like to order a bottle of white wine, a sandwich and a salad.	Vorrei ordinare una bottiglia di vino bianco, un sandwich e una insalata.
I would like to order a bottle of red wine.	Vorrei ordinare una bottiglia di vino rosso.
I would like to order a bottle of red wine, a pizza and a salad.	Vorrei ordinare una bottiglia di vino rosso, una pizza e una insalata.

I / We have invited...

I have invited Paul to the museum.	Ho invitato Paul al museo.
I have invited Paul to the cinema.	Ho invitato Paul al cinema.
we have	abbiamo (pronounced: ab-ee-yarm-oh)
We have invited Paul to the cinema.	Abbiamo invitato Paul al cinema.
We have invited Paul to the museum.	Abbiamo invitato Paul al museo.
theatre	teatro (pronounced: tay-art-roh)
the theatre	il teatro
to the theatre	al teatro
We have invited Paul to the theatre.	Abbiamo invitato Paul al teatro.
I have invited Paul to the theatre.	Ho invitato Paul al teatro.
restaurant	ristorante (pronounced: ris-toe-ran-tay)
the restaurant	il ristorante
to the restaurant	al ristorante

I have invited Paul to the restaurant.	Ho invitato Paul al ristorante.
I haven't invited Paul to the restaurant.	Non ho invitato Paul al ristorante.
I have invited two people to the restaurant.	Ho invitato due persone al ristorante.
We have invited two people to the restaurant.	Abbiamo invitato due persone al ristorante.
We have invited two people to the theatre.	Abbiamo invitato due persone al teatro.

I would like to go to...

to go	andare (pronounced: an-dar-ay)
I would like to go...	Vorrei andare...
I would like to go to the restaurant.	Vorrei andare al ristorante.
I would like to go to the cinema.	Vorrei andare al cinema.
this	questa (pronounced: kway-sta)
evening	sera (pronounced: sair-ah)
this evening	questa sera
I would like to go to the cinema this evening.	Vorrei andare al cinema questa sera.
I would like to go to the museum this evening.	Vorrei andare al museo questa sera.
I would like to go to the theatre this evening.	Vorrei andare al teatro questa sera.
I would like to go to the theatre and to the cinema this evening.	Vorrei andare al teatro e al cinema questa sera.
concert	concerto (pronounced: kon-chair-toe)
the concert	il concerto
to the concert	al concerto
I would like to go to the concert this evening.	Vorrei andare al concerto questa sera.
park	parco (pronounced: park-oh)
the park	il parco
to the park	al parco

I would like to go to the park.	Vorrei andare al parco.
market	mercato (pronounced: mair-cart-oh)
the market	il mercato
to the market	al mercato
I would like to go to the market.	Vorrei andare al mercato.
supermarket	supermercato (pronounced: soo-pair-mair-cat-oh)
the supermarket	il supermercato
to the supermarket	al supermercato
I would like to go to the supermarket.	Vorrei andare al supermercato.

For...

for two people	per due persone
I have a room for two people.	Ho una camera per due persone.
We have a room for two people.	Abbiamo una camera per due persone.
We have a room for two people for two nights.	Abbiamo una camera per due persone per due notti.
We have a table.	Abbiamo un tavolo.
We have a table for two people.	Abbiamo un tavolo per due persone.
for this evening	per questa sera
We have a room for this evening.	Abbiamo una camera per questa sera.
We have reserved a room for this evening.	Abbiamo prenotato una camera per questa sera.
We have reserved a table for this evening.	Abbiamo prenotato un tavolo per questa sera.
I would like to book a taxi for this evening.	Vorrei riservare un taxi per questa sera.
I would like to order a taxi for this evening.	Vorrei ordinare un taxi per questa sera.
You have ordered a taxi for this evening.	Ha ordinato un taxi per questa sera.

I would like to know why you have ordered a bottle of white wine but you haven't ordered a taxi for this evening.

seven

seven o'clock (literally: "the sevens")

for seven o'clock

I have reserved a table for seven o'clock.

We have reserved a table for seven o'clock.

We have a table for two people for seven o'clock.

We have a table for two people for this evening.

We have a room for this evening.

for Rome

ticket

a ticket

a ticket for Rome

A ticket for Rome, please.

I would like a ticket for Rome, please.

I would like a ticket for this evening.

I would like to go to the theatre. I have a ticket for this evening.

Vorrei sapere perché ha ordinato una bottiglia di vino bianco ma non ha ordinato un taxi per questa sera.

sette (pronounced: se-te)

le sette (lay-se-te)

per le sette

Ho prenotato un tavolo per le sette.

Abbiamo prenotato un tavolo per le sette.

Abbiamo un tavolo per due persone per le sette.

Abbiamo un tavolo per due persone per questa sera.

Abbiamo una camera per questa sera.

per Roma

biglietto (pronounced: bill-yet-oh)

un biglietto

un biglietto per Roma

Un biglietto per Roma, per favore.

Vorrei un biglietto per Roma, per favore.

Vorrei un biglietto per questa sera.

Vorrei andare al teatro. Ho un biglietto per questa sera.

Numbers

You can listen to all of these numbers on track 25 for correct pronunciation.

1	uno	37	trentasette
2	due	38	trentotto
3	tre	39	trentanove
4	quattro	40	quaranta
5	cinque	41	quarantuno
6	sei	42	quarantadue
7	sette	43	quarantatré
8	otto	44	quarantaquattro
9	nove	45	quarantacinque
10	dieci	46	quarantasei
11	undici	47	quarantasette
12	dodici	48	quarantotto
13	tredici	49	quarantanove
14	quattordici	50	cinquanta
15	quindici	51	cinquantuno
16	sedici	52	cinquantadue
17	diciassette	53	cinquantatré
18	diciotto	54	cinquantaquattro
19	diciannove	55	cinquantacinque
20	venti	56	cinquantasei
21	ventuno	57	cinquantasette
22	ventidue	58	cinquantotto
23	ventitré	59	cinquantanove
24	ventiquattro	60	sessanta
25	venticinque	61	sessantuno
26	ventisei	62	sessantadue
27	ventisette	63	sessantatré
28	ventotto	64	sessantaquattro
29	ventinove	65	sessantacinque
30	trenta	66	sessantasei
31	trentuno	67	sessantasette
32	trentadue	68	sessantotto
33	trentatré	69	sessantanove
34	trentaquattro	70	settanta
35	trentacinque	71	settantuno
36	trentasei	72	settantadue

73	settantatré	105	centocinque
74	settantaquattro	106	centosei
75	settantacinque	107	centosette
76	settantasei	108	centootto
77	settantasette	109	centonove
78	settantotto	110	centodieci
79	settantanove	111	centoundici
80	ottanta	112	centododici
81	ottantuno	113	centotredici
82	ottantadue	114	centoquattordici
83	ottantatré	115	centoquindici
84	ottantaquattro	116	centosedici
85	ottantacinque	117	centodiciassette
86	ottantasei	118	centodiciotto
87	ottantasette	119	centodiciannove
88	ottantotto	120	centoventi
89	ottantanove	121	centoventuno
90	novanta	122	centoventidue
91	novantuno		and so on...
92	novantadue		
93	novantatré	130	centotrenta
94	novantaquattro	140	centoquaranta
95	novantacinque	200	duecento
96	novantasei	201	duecentouno
97	novantasette	202	duecentodue
98	novantotto	300	trecento
99	novantanove	1000	mille
100	cento	1001	milleuno
101	centouno	2000	duemila
102	centodue	10,000	diecimila
103	centotré	50,000	cinquantamila
104	centoquattro	1,000,000	un milione

The alphabet

You can listen to the entire Italian alphabet on track 26 for correct pronunciation.

Letter	Pronounced in Italian as
A	ah
B	bee
C	chee
D	dee
E	air
F	effe
G	jee
H	akka
I	ee
J	ee loonger
K	capper
L	elle
M	emme
N	enne
O	o (pronounced like the "o" in "pot")
P	pee
Q	coo
R	erre
S	esse
T	tee
U	oo
V	vee
W	doppia vee
X	iks
Y	ipson
Z	zeta