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ESSENTIAL ITALIAN in 2 HOURS with Paul Noble
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 visited Rome.

Ho visitato Roma.

Naples

I have visited Naples.

Ho visitato Napoli.

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 a table.

Ho prenotato un tavolo.

You have reserved a table.

Ha prenotato un tavolo.

Have you reserved a table?

Sì, ho prenotato un tavolo.

Yes, I have reserved a table.

Sì, ho prenotato un tavolo.

I have not

Ha prenotato un tavolo.

Non ho

I have not reserved a table.

Ha prenotato un tavolo.

Non ha

You have not

Ha prenotato un tavolo.

Non ha

You have not reserved a table.
I have not visited Rome.
You haven’t visited Rome.
Haven’t you visited Rome?
Haven’t you visited Naples?
Haven’t you reserved a table?

Non ho visitato Roma.
Non ha visitato Roma.
Non ha visitato Roma?
Non ha visitato Napoli?
Non ha prenotato un tavolo?

Tracks 5 & 6
a room / a chamber
I have reserved a room.
You have reserved a room.
Have you reserved a room?
Have you reserved a table?
Yes, I have reserved a table.
Yes, I’ve reserved a table. Have you reserved a room?
I haven’t reserved a room.

una camera
Ho prenotato una camera.
Ha prenotato una camera.
Ha prenotato una camera?
Ha prenotato un tavolo?
Sì, ho prenotato un tavolo.
Sì, ho prenotato un tavolo. Ha prenotato una camera?
Non ho prenotato una camera.

Track 7
but
I haven’t visited Rome but I have visited Naples.
I haven’t visited Naples but I have visited Rome.
the museum
I have visited the museum.
I haven’t visited the museum.
I have visited Naples but I haven’t visited the museum.
I have reserved a table but I haven’t reserved a room.

ma
Non ho visitato Roma ma ho visitato Napoli.
Non ho visitato Napoli ma ho visitato Roma.
il museo
Ho visitato il museo.
Non ho visitato il museo.
Ho visitato Napoli ma non ho visitato il museo.
Ho prenotato un tavolo ma non ho prenotato una camera.
Track 8
ordered
I have ordered
You have ordered
a risotto
You have ordered a risotto.
Have you ordered a risotto?
Yes, I have ordered a risotto.
a pizza
I have ordered a pizza.
I haven’t ordered a pizza.
I have ordered a risotto but I haven’t ordered a pizza.
I have reserved a table but I haven’t ordered.

Track 9
I would like
a room
I would like a room.
please / for favour
I would like a room, please.
I would like a table, please.
with
bath
with bath
I would like a room with bath, please.
I would like a risotto, please.
I would like a pizza, please.
and
a pizza and a risotto
I would like a pizza and a risotto, please.

ordina
Ho ordinato
Ha ordinato
un risotto
Ha ordinato un risotto.
Ha ordinato un risotto?
Sì, ho ordinato un risotto.
una pizza
Ho ordinato una pizza.
Non ho ordinato una pizza.
Ho ordinato un risotto ma non ho ordinato una pizza.
Ho prenotato un tavolo ma non ho ordinato.

Vorrei
una camera
Vorrei una camera.
per favore
Vorrei una camera, per favore.
Vorrei un tavolo, per favore.
con
bagno
con bagno
Vorrei una camera con bagno, per favore.
Vorrei un risotto, per favore.
Vorrei una pizza, per favore.
e
una pizza e un risotto
Vorrei una pizza e un risotto, per favore.
a coffee
I would like a coffee.
two coffees
I would like two coffees.
I would like two coffees and a risotto.
I would not like / I wouldn’t like
I wouldn’t like a risotto.
I wouldn’t like a coffee.
I wouldn’t like a risotto but I would like a coffee.
un caffè
Vorrei un caffè.
due caffè
Vorrei due caffè.
Vorrei due caffè e un risotto.
Non vorrei
Non vorrei un risotto.
Non vorrei un caffè.
Non vorrei un risotto ma vorrei un caffè.

**Track 10**
to visit
to visit Rome
to visit Naples
I would like to visit Naples.
I would like to visit Rome.
I would like to visit the museum.
to reserve
I would like to reserve
I would like to reserve a table.
I would like to reserve a room.
I would like to reserve a room, please.
I would like to reserve a table, please.
for
people
two people
for two people
I would like to reserve a table for two people.
visitare
visitare Roma
visitare Napoli
Vorrei visitare Napoli.
Vorrei visitare Roma.
Vorrei visitare il museo.
prenotare
Vorrei prenotare
Vorrei prenotare un tavolo.
Vorrei prenotare una camera.
Vorrei prenotare una camera, per favore.
Vorrei prenotare un tavolo, per favore.
per
persone
due persone
per due persone
Vorrei prenotare un tavolo per due persone.
I would like to reserve a room for two people.
Vorrei prenotare una camera per due persone.

I would like to reserve a room with bath.
Vorrei prenotare una camera con bagno.

I would like to reserve a room with bath for two people.
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 problemmatico!
It is romantic.
È romantico.
if
If...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.
You haven’t booked a taxi.
I would like to know why you haven’t booked a taxi.
to pay
I would like to pay, please.
I have ordered and I would like to pay.
I have reserved a room and I would like to pay.

Non ho prenotato un taxi.
Non ha prenotato un taxi.
Vorrei sapere perché non ha prenotato un taxi.
pagare
Vorrei pagare, per favore.
Ho ordinato e vorrei pagare.
Ho prenotato una camera e vorrei pagare.

Track 14
invited
I have invited
I have invited Paul.
to Rome
I have invited Paul to Rome.
You have invited Paul to Rome.
Have you invited Paul to Rome?
to Naples
Have you invited Paul to Naples?
to the museum
I have invited Paul to the museum.
I haven’t invited Paul to the museum.
You haven’t invited Paul to the museum.
Haven’t you invited Paul to the museum?
Why haven’t you invited Paul to the museum?
to the cinema
the cinema

invitato
Ho invitato
Ho invitato Paul.
a Roma
Ho invitato Paul a Roma.
Ha invitato Paul a Roma.
Ha invitato Paul a Roma?
a Napoli
Ha invitato Paul a Napoli?
il museo
al museo
Ho invitato Paul al museo.
Non ho invitato Paul al museo.
Non ha invitato Paul al museo.
Non ha invitato Paul al museo?
Perché non ha invitato Paul al museo?
il 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.  
Vorrei prenotare un taxi, per favore.  
two nights  
due notti  
for two nights  
per due notti  
I would like to book a room for two people for two nights.  
Vorrei prenotare una camera per due persone per due notti.

**Track 16**

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

**Track 20**

Yes, it’s typical.
How much?
How much is it?
For two nights. How much is it?
one hundred euros
one hundred euros
For two nights, one hundred euros.
I would like a risotto. How much is it?
five
five euros
Five euros, please.
Thank you.
I would like a coffee and a pizza. How much is it?
eight
eight euros
Eight euros, please.

**Track 21**

I would like a room for two people for two nights.
I have a room for two people with bath.
Two coffees and a risotto, please.

I have ordinato e vorrei pagare con la carta di credito.

**Sì, è tipico.**
**Quanto?**
**Quant’è?**
**Per due notti. Quant’è?**
**Cento euro**
**Cento euro**
**Per due notti, cento euro.**
**Vorrei un risotto. Quant’è?**
**Cinque euro**
**Cinque euro**
**Cinque euro, per favore.**
**Grazie.**
**Vorrei un caffè e una pizza. Quant’è?**
**Otto euro**
**Otto euro**
**Otto euro, per favore.**

**Vorrei una camera per due persone per due notti.**
**Ho una camera per due persone con bagno.**
**Due caffè e un risotto, per favore.**
### Track 23
The hotel scenario

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

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

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Traveller</th>
<th>I would like a table for two people, please.</th>
<th>Vorrei un tavolo per due persone, per favore.</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Traveller</td>
<td>Two coffees and a risotto, please.</td>
<td>Due caffè e un risotto, per favore.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Traveller</td>
<td>How much is it?</td>
<td>Quant’è?</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Waiter</td>
<td>Ten euros.</td>
<td>Dieci euro.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Traveller</td>
<td>I would like to pay by credit card, please.</td>
<td>Vorrei pagare con la carta di credito, per favore.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
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...
I have ordered a pizza.
I have ordered a risotto.
I have ordered a coffee.
sandwich

Ho ordinato...
Ho ordinato una pizza.
Ho ordinato un risotto.
Ho ordinato un caffè.
sandwich (pronounced: the same as in English)

un sandwich

Ho ordinato un sandwich.

un sandwich e un caffè

Ho ordinato un sandwich e un caffè.

insalata (pronounced: in-sa-lar-ta)
a salad

I have ordered a salad.
a sandwich and a salad
I have ordered a sandwich and a salad.

I have ordered a pizza and a salad.
wine
red
red wine (literally: wine red)
a red wine
I have ordered a red wine.
I have ordered a red wine and a risotto.
I have ordered a red wine, a risotto and a salad.
I have ordered a red wine and a sandwich.
white
white wine (literally: wine white)
a white wine
I have ordered a white wine.
I have ordered a white wine and a sandwich.
I have ordered a white wine, a sandwich and a salad.
bottle
a bottle
of
a bottle of
a bottle of white wine
I have ordered a bottle of white wine.
I have ordered a bottle of white wine, a sandwich and a salad.

un'insalata (pronounced: oon-in-sa-lar-ta)

Ho ordinato un'insalata.
un sandwich e un'insalata
Ho ordinato un sandwich e un'insalata.

Ho ordinato una pizza e un'insalata.
vino (pronounced: vee-no)
rosso (pronounced: ross-oh)

vino rosso
un vino rosso
Ho ordinato un vino rosso.
Ho ordinato un vino rosso e un risotto.
Ho ordinato un vino rosso, un risotto e un'insalata.

Ho ordinato un vino bianco, un sandwich e un'insalata.
bottiglia (pronounced: bo-ti-lya)
una bottiglia
di (pronounced: dee)
una bottiglia di
una bottiglia di vino bianco
Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino bianco.
Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino bianco, un sandwich e una insalata.
a bottle of red wine
I have ordered a bottle of red wine.

I have ordered a bottle of red wine, a pizza and a salad.
I would like to know if you have ordered a salad.
I would like to know why you have ordered a salad.
I would like to know why you haven't ordered a salad.
I would like to know why you have ordered a pizza but you haven't ordered a salad.
I would like to know why you have ordered a bottle of red wine but you haven't ordered a taxi.

I would like to order…

to order
I would like to order...
I would like to order a pizza.
I would like to order a risotto.
I would like to order a coffee.
I would like to order a sandwich.
I would like to order a sandwich and a coffee.
I would like to order a salad.
a sandwich and a salad
I would like to order a sandwich and a salad.
I would like to order a pizza and a salad.
I would like to order a red wine.
I would like to order a red wine and a risotto.

una bottiglia di vino rosso
Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino rosso.

Ho ordinato una bottiglia di vino rosso, una pizza e un’insalata.
Vorrei sapere se ha ordinato un’insalata.
Vorrei sapere perché ha ordinato un’insalata.
Vorrei sapere perché non ha ordinato un’insalata.
Vorrei sapere perché ha ordinato una pizza ma non ha ordinato un’insalata.
Vorrei sapere perché ha ordinato una bottiglia di vino rosso ma non ha ordinato un taxi.

I would like to order...

ordinare (pronounced: or-din-ar-ay)
Vorrei ordinare...
Vorrei ordinare una pizza.
Vorrei ordinare un risotto.
Vorrei ordinare un caffè.
Vorrei ordinare un sandwich.
Vorrei ordinare un sandwich e un caffè.
Vorrei ordinare un’insalata.
un sandwich e un’insalata
Vorrei ordinare un sandwich e un’insalata.
Vorrei ordinare una pizza e un’insalata.
Vorrei ordinare un vino rosso.
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.

teatro (pronounced: tay-art-roh)
il teatro

the theatre
al teatro

to the theatre
Abbiamo invitato Paul al teatro.

We have invited Paul to the theatre.
Ho invitato Paul al teatro.

c restaurant
ristorante (pronounced: ris-toe-ran-tay)
il ristorante

restaurant
al ristorante
I have invited Paul to the restaurant.
I haven’t invited Paul to the restaurant.
I have invited two people to the restaurant.
We have invited two people to the restaurant.
We have invited two people to the theatre.

**I would like to go to...**
to go
I would like to go...
I would like to go to the restaurant.
I would like to go to the cinema.
this evening
this evening
I would like to go to the cinema this evening.
I would like to go to the museum this evening.
I would like to go to the theatre this evening.
I would like to go to the theatre and to the cinema this evening.
concert
the concert
to the concert
I would like to go to the concert this evening.
park
the park
to the park

Ho invitato Paul al ristorante.
Non ho invitato Paul al ristorante.
Ho invitato due persone al ristorante.
Abbiamo invitato due persone al ristorante.
Abbiamo invitato due persone al teatro.

andare (pronounced: an-dar-ay)
Vorrei andare...
Vorrei andare al ristorante.
Vorrei andare al cinema.
questa (pronounced: kway-sta)
sera (pronounced: sair-ah)
questa sera
Vorrei andare al cinema questa sera.
Vorrei andare al museo questa sera.
Vorrei andare al teatro questa sera.
Vorrei andare al teatro e al cinema questa sera.
concerto (pronounced: kon-chair-toe)
il concerto
al concerto
Vorrei andare al concerto questa sera.
parco (pronounced: park-oh)
il parco
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.

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.
**Numbers**

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

|   | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 32 | 33 | 34 | 35 | 36 |
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|   | uno | due | tre | quattro | cinque | sei | sette | otto | nove | dieci | undici | dodici | tredici | quattordici | quindici | sedici | diciassette | diciotto | diciannove | venti | ventuno | ventidue | ventitré | ventiquattro | venticinque | ventisei | ventisette | ventotto | ventinove | trenta | trentuno | trentadue | trentatre | trentaquattro | trentacinque | trentasei |
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| 73 | settantatre | 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 | ottantatre | 115 | centoquindicci |
| 84 | ottantquattro | 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 | novantatre | |
| 94 | novantaquattro | |
| 95 | novantacinque | |
| 96 | novantasei | |
| 97 | novantasette | |
| 98 | novantotto | |
| 99 | novantanove | |
| 100 | cento | |
| 101 | centouno | |
| 102 | centodue | |
| 103 | centotré | |
| 104 | centoquattro | |
| 105 | centocinque | |
| 106 | centosei | |
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| 119 | centodiciannove | |
| 120 | centoventi | |
| 121 | centoventuno | |
| 122 | centoventidue | |
| 130 | centotrenta | |
| 140 | centoquaranta | |
| 200 | duecento | |
| 201 | duecentouno | |
| 202 | duecentodue | |
| 300 | trecento | |
| 1000 | mille | |
| 1001 | milleuno | |
| 2000 | duemila | |
| 10,000 | diecimila | |
| 50,000 | cinquantamila | |
| 1,000,000 | un milione | |
The alphabet

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

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