



LANGUAGE ANGELS

CORE VOCABULARY UNITS - ITALIAN

		Unit Summary & Learning Intention
Unit 1	Christmas	This lesson is a fun way of learning some key Christmas vocabulary and ends with the children creating their own Italian Christmas card.
Unit 2	Colours	Children will learn 10 basic colours.
Unit 3	Days of the Week	Children will learn the days of the week.
Unit 4	Months of the Year	This lesson introduces the children to the months of the year in Italian using pictures. We will focus on cognates to encourage the children.
Unit 5	Numbers 1-100	Children will learn the numbers from 1 to 100
Unit 6	Classroom Commands	Children will be taught a full set of classroom commands and instructions.
Unit 7	Phonetics & The Alphabet	A set of 4 lessons designed to introduce your classes to the basics of Italian phonetics. In this unit we look at the Italian alphabet, Italian vowels and accents, Italian consonants and finally some of the most important Italian letter strings.



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Unit 8	Italian Regular Verbs	In line with the requirements of the new curriculum we have to ensure our KS2 pupils have an understanding, in the foreign language of study, of 'basic grammar including conjugation of high-frequency verbs'. This unit is all about meeting this specific but very important part of all foreign language learning. It might not be the most exciting of topics but it is vital so our pupils have the right foundations in place for the rest of their language learning journey. We cover pronouns, verb infinitives, verb stems & endings and the three different categories of Italian REGULAR verbs (-ARE regular verbs, -ERE regular verbs and -IRE regular verbs). We explain to the children that these types of verbs are called REGULAR because the way the endings of the verb changes for each of the personal pronouns follows the same REGULAR pattern. The unit finishes with the children completing their own Italian REGULAR verbs booklet. This will be an important booklet for their future foreign language learning.
Unit 9	Italian Irregular Verbs	In line with the requirements of the curriculum we have to ensure our KS2 pupils have an understanding of 'basic grammar including conjugation of high-frequency verbs' in the foreign language of study. This unit is all about meeting this specific but very important part of all foreign language learning. It might not be the most exciting of topics but it is vital so our pupils have the right foundations in place for the rest of their language learning journey. We cover pronouns and the four main Italian IRREGULAR verbs - "ANDARE" (to go), "AVERE" (to have), "ESSERE" (to be) and "FARE" (to do). We explain to the children that these types of verbs are called IRREGULAR because the way the endings of the verb changes for each of the personal pronouns follows a different IRREGULAR pattern. The unit finishes with the children completing their own Italian IRREGULAR verbs booklet. This will be an important booklet for their future foreign language learning.
Unit 10	Salutations	Children will be taught a selection of typical Italian salutations and phrases.
Unit 11	Maths Calculations	A core vocabulary lesson covering basic, key Italian mathematical symbols along with some basic maths calculations.