Who are we?

The School of Languages is a government school established in 1986 to enhance access, choice and continuity in language learning for South Australian students, through the provision of quality programs in a broad range of languages R—12, that complement and supplement languages programs offered in mainstream schools and ethnic schools.

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About Italian

Italian is spoken in Italy and is one of the official languages of the European Union. Extensive migration from Italy during the last 150 years has resulted in Italian being spoken in many other countries: in Europe, in North and South America, in North Africa and in Australia, where it is the second most widely-spoken community language.

The Italian language and culture have made a distinctive global contribution to politics, art, architecture, music, science, literature, film and theatre. Students have much to gain by acquiring knowledge of the language and cultural heritage of Italy.

Australian-born students of Italian background, as well as those from a non-Italian background, study Italian as a second language. Access to the language and culture in the local community is also readily available through community events (eg regional associations, festivals), newspapers and magazines, radio, television, films and the Internet.

Italy ranks among Australia’s top international trading partners in a mutually supportive trade relationship. A considerable number of Italian companies have branches in Australia.

The ability to communicate in Italian, in conjunction with other skills, may increase students’ vocational opportunities in the areas of tourism, social services, including hospitals, banks, and public agencies in general.

Where are lessons held?

Reception - Year 7
Burnside Primary School
Monday, 3:45 - 5:15pm
Lockleys North Primary School
Saturday, 9:00am - 12:00pm
School of Languages
Wednesday, 4:30 - 6:00pm
St John Bosco Primary School
Thursday, 3:15 - 4:45pm
Thiele Primary School
Tuesday, 3:30 - 5:00pm
Torrens Valley Christian School
Tuesday, 3:45 - 5:15pm
Walkerville Primary School
Thursday, 3:45 - 5:15pm

Years 8 and 9
Adelaide High School
Wednesday, 5:00 - 7:30pm
Torrens Valley Christian School
Tuesday, 3:45 - 6:15pm

Year 10
Adelaide High School
Wednesday, 5:00 - 8:00pm
Torrens Valley Christian School
Tuesday, 3:45 - 6:45pm

Stage 1 Beginners
Adelaide High School
Wednesday, 5:00 - 8:00pm

Stage 2 Beginners
Adelaide High School
Wednesday, 5:00 - 8:00pm

Stage 1 / 2 Continuers
Adelaide High School
Thursday, 5:00 - 8:00pm

How are courses delivered?

The School of Languages offers year long courses beginning in February and following school terms. Classes are held once per week.

How do I enrol?

If you are interested in learning a language, please contact the School of Languages.

We would be happy to answer any questions you may have and look forward to hearing from you.

How much does it cost?

The following annual charges apply:

Government School

Years R – 10 $100
Years 11-12 $120
Full Fee Paying Overseas Student $780

Non-Government School

Years R – 10 $100
Years 11-12 $120
Full Fee Paying Overseas Student $1200