

**Luiss**

Libera Università Internazionale  
degli Studi Sociali Guido Carli

## **Second mandatory language**

Bachelor's Degree Program in **Politics: Philosophy and Economics**  
Students enrolled in the academic year 2024/2025

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# Languages offered

- Arabic
- Chinese
- French
- German
- Italian for foreign students
- Russian
- Spanish

## Second mandatory language

All language courses, regardless of the degree program, are held in the target language in order to ensure a proper learning

## Second mandatory language: general rules

The Bachelor's degree program in Politics: Philosophy and Economics includes a 6-credit **second mandatory language**

In **November/December 2024** you have to enter your Web Self Service area and select the mandatory language. No changes will be possible after the period for compiling the study plan and if you do not choose your language by the deadline, you will be assigned one as a matter of course

## Second mandatory language: general rules

Language courses do not have a limited number and they will be activated based on the number of choices and the level of students

In **February 2025** a **placement test** for activating and defining the language groups will be carried out

In case the chosen course was not activated, you will have to select another language among the available courses

## Second mandatory language: general rules

**Classes** are scheduled **during the week** and the course lasts for **five semesters**. Lessons run from the II semester of the first year to the II semester of the third year. Only during the first semester of the course (February-May 2025) classes will be held for two hours, twice a week. No exemption is provided

At the end of the course, you will sit a final **exam with a grade out of thirty** in order to get the 6 credits

## Italian courses for foreign students

Italian language courses are **offered to foreign students** and, unlike the other language courses, they are delivered from the first semester of courses

Please note that the course is reserved to students with a foreign citizenship. If you are a native Italian speaker and you select Italian, the course will be automatically replaced with a different language

## Italian courses for foreign students

If you started attending the course in September 2024 and decide to select it as your **mandatory language**, in case of attendance at or above 50%, the semester already attended will be counted to determine the conclusion of the course and you will have the opportunity to obtain the credits earlier than planned

Otherwise, in case of attendance below 50% the course will restart again for five semesters



## Lesson attendance

**Attendance** is **important** as participation is a part of students' **final evaluation**. Although there is not a maximum number of absences, it is recommended not to exceed the number of **three absences per semester**. During the last semester of the course in case of an attendance rate lower than 70%, Professors have the right to postpone the exam to the next call/session

Active participation in lessons is also the best **preparation** for **the end-of-semester exams** as well as for the final for-credit exam taken during the last semester

## Luiss Learn

Starting from the beginning of the lessons the materials and contents of the course will be made available by teachers on the proper platform **Luiss Learn** in the section: Courses > Centro Linguistico di Ateneo

You have to **enroll** to your Luiss Learn group **autonomously** after receiving a communication from the University Language Center with the number of the assigned group

In order to complete the enrollment to the group you need to click on «Enroll me». Once registered, the assigned group will be displayed in the Luiss Learn «Dashboard»

# Distance learning

Outgoing students are **exempted from the language courses**

You are invited to inform at your **host university** regarding the possibility to attend courses for the language in your study plan in order not to lose, and indeed to improve, the skills acquired

The University Language Center will verify – case by case – the conditions for a possible validation

## Distance learning

As an outgoing student you must undertake **self study**, using the text book and online materials made available by teachers on **Luiss Learn** platform

On your return you will sit an **assessment test** in order to be inserted in the groups of the next semester. If, according to your academic offering, you do not have to attend further semesters you are allowed to take the final exam with a grade out of thirty

## University Language Center

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