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CROSSING LANGUAGE BARRIERS



Price List 2018

Como

Learn Italian in the heart of Como

INLINGUA

inlingua Como is part of inlingua International Schools of Languages, with more than 300 language schools in 40 countries around the world. The inlingua method of learning languages is the result of 40 years of experience. Over 500,000 students learn languages with us every year.

- Since inlingua was founded in 1968, it has grown to become one of the largest and most successful language organizations in the world.
- inlingua is constantly developing new concepts to meet the ever-changing needs of clients in all markets and to ensure that we are up to date with modern teaching and learning techniques and technologies.
- The inlingua Pedagogical Team in Bern, Switzerland, produces a wide range of teaching materials, written to be used with the inlingua method. The key features of the inlingua method and materials are an emphasis on oral communication; a carefully programed building block progression of language, where new items are always taught using known ones; a high level of



student participation; and systematic, comprehensive language practice. All this adds up to effective language courses and a correspondingly high degree of fluency development in our students in a very short time.

 inlingua Como offers you a professional and enthusiastic way to develop your learning path using inlingua method. We offer courses in English, Arabic, Chinese, French, Japanese, Greek, Dutch, Portuguese, Russian, Croatian, Spanish, Swedish, German and Italian for foreigners.



View from a classroom





WHY INLINGUA COMO?

WE HAVE A COURSE TO SUIT YOU

We offer over 14 languages, a full program of courses including business, cultural, sporting, amongst others catering for all levels, from complete beginners to fluent speakers. Our extensive range of courses allows students to choose a language program which best meets their individual learning objectives.

FLEXIBILITY AND COMPETITIVE PRICES

Our courses range from one week to one year and start every Monday of the year. Maximum class size is eight students to ensure personalized contact with teaching staff. inlingua Como's prices are among the most competitive and best value in Europe!

QUALIFIED AND FRIENDLY TEACHERS

Our instructors are qualified and experienced professionals with certified teaching credentials and extensive training in the inlingua method. They are young, dynamic and passionate about teaching, so they will always help you to study with enthusiasm and dedication.

WE LOVE TO HELP YOU

We understand all the planning involved in studying overseas so we are here to help. We can assist you with booking accommodation and airport transfer so that when you arrive you are ready to study!

SUPERB LOCATION

inlingua Como boasts a convenient, safe location in the historical center of Como amongst shops and cafes. Students enjoy comfortable classrooms with natural light and views of the lake, Duomo and dramatic mountain landscape that surrounds this enchanting town.



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HAVE FUN WHILE YOU LEARN!

You will make friends and have fun while you study at inlingua Como. We organize fun daily activities for students as well as fantastic trips like sightseeing in Bellagio, tasting the local cuisine on Isola Comacina, skiing in St. Moritz, dancing the night away at Milano's hottest clubs, or enjoying a day at Gardaland riding Italy's biggest roller coaster.

ABOUT COMO

Como offers a safe, friendly and welcoming environment where everyone is made to feel welcome. Como is a beautiful town situated in a small valley surrounded by the Valtellina mountains and the point tip of the famous Lake Como. Just north of Milan and a few minutes from the Swiss border, the area is one of the most picturesque settings in Europe and the local Comaschi residents are some of the most friendly people you will ever meet. Depending on your desires, Como can be an oasis of tranquility, natural grandeur, classical villas,



a time for rest and relaxation or, for those with energy to burn, there is adventure, serious shopping, dancing and tons of fun and entertainment awaiting.

HAVE FUN WHILE YOU LEARN!

Here at inlingua Como we take your learning very seriously. We like you to work hard but we also make time for fun activities! Lake Como has so much to see, do and explore, all catering to your personal desires, whether they be practicing sports, cultural enrichment or rest and relaxation. SHOPPING AND FASHION

Universally renowned as the world's capital of silk, Como and the surrounding areas have kept this tradition alive over centuries. There are many stores and shops which sell silk foulards, ties, and clothes at extremely discounted prices. Milan is the pinnacle for designer shopping lovers! Gianni Versace, Miucca Prada, Giorgio Armani and Dolce & Gabbana all started their careers in Milan. WINING AND DINING OR JUST RELAXING

If eating, drinking and being merry is more your style we can arrange cooking classes, wine tasting, grappa tasting, cheese tasting or even olive oil tasting all from the local producers along the lake and surrounding Area. Even just strolling through the streets of Como on a Saturday afternoon is a part of the local culture. There are also many pool and lakeside beaches providing plenty of opportunity in the summer to work on your suntan. Cocktails can be included!

MUSEUM AND MONUMENTS

The Volta Temple is a museum dedicated to the inventor of the electric battery, Alessandro Volta. Museo Didattico della Seta (Silk Museum) documents the history of the silk industry in Como. The Duomo, built between XIV and XVIII centuries, is a mix of Renaissance and Gothic style. Villa Olmo, built in 1797 in the neoclassic style, hosted Napoleon Bonaparte & Giuseppe Garibaldi and other prominent figure. Villa Melzi (1808-1810) where tradition says Franz Liszt composed same of his most famous piano sonatas, enjoys a magnificent panorama over the lake. Villa Carlotta has an English-Style park; and that's just the beginning!







COURSES

FFP (Flexible frequency Program)

Individual, one-to-one, training is the most efficient way to learn a language. With the exclusive attention of your trainer you have the opportunity to progress at your own pace. More importantly the course can be adapted and tailored to your individual needs and focus on specific language skills and vocabulary that are or will be important to you in your job. If you can't attend a rapid, full-time training course, FFP course is perfect for you. FFP courses start any day.

| COURSE | IN CLASS LESSONS | HOURS | FEE: 1/06-30/09 | FEE: 1/10-31/05 |
|--------|-------------------|------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| FFP10 | 10X45 min lessons | 7,5 hours | € 420,00 | € 400,00 |
| FFP20 | 20x45 min lessons | 15 hours | € 780,00 | € 750,00 |
| FFP30 | 30x45 min lessons | 22,5 hours | € 990,00 | € 970,00 |

CIP (Crash Intensity Programs)

The CIP course structure ensures intense study of a language. This program is flexible insofar as the amount of class hours per day (between 2 and 6 hours a day) from Monday to Friday. The end result is that the student can reach fluency after a relatively short time. CIP courses begin every Monday of the month.

| COURSE | IN CLASS LESSONS | FREQUENCY | TOTAL HOURS per WEEK | 1-3 WEEKS | 4-6 WEEKS | 7+ WEEKS |
|--------|---------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| CIP1 | 1,5 hours/day | Every day | 7,5 | € 430,00 | € 410,00 | € 400,00 |
| CIP2 | 3 hours/day | Every day | 15 | € 790,00 | € 760,00 | € 740,00 |
| CIP3 | 4 hours/day | Every day | 20 | € 1000,00 | € 990,00 | € 970,00 |
| CIP4 | 6 hours/day | Every day | 30 | € 1350,00 | € 1290,00 | € 1100,00 |

CLUB (GROUP LESSONS)

The quality of learning depends on the frequency of individual participation during the lessons. This is why inlingua recommends having small groups with a limited number of students (max. 8). Group work is fun and stimulating, suitable for whoever wishes to share and assimilate the learning experiences of their classmates.

| Group courses | N. of lessons | Duration | Calendar and events | Price |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|----------|
| CLUB 15H | 5 lessons of 3 hours (15 hours) | 1 week, from Monday to Friday, from 10.00 to 13.00 | Starting dates (basic level): 12/02 (Carnival) - 26/03 (Easter) - 16/04 - 25/06 (Music Festival and | € 329,00 |
| CLUB 30H | 5 lessons of 6 hours (30 hours) | 1 week, from Monday to Friday, from 10.00 to 13.00 and from 14.15 to 17.15 | fireworks at the Isola Comacina) - 16/07 (Music Festival) - 24/09 (Baradello procession and "Orticolario" | € 605,00 |

Included for all courses: entry test, final test, enrollment fee, inlingua kit (book + inlingua bag)

BILDUNGSURLAUB

"Bildungsurlaub" is leave of absence, provided for by law in Germany, to enable employees to attend a seminar during working hours. To qualify, the seminars must be recognized as Bildungsurlaub. Language courses have become a popular option for Bildungsurlaub as they allow employees to travel and advance their foreign language skills abroad. At inlingua we offer course options with minimum of 30 lessons per week which are recognized by Bildungsurlaub schemes in various regions of Germany.

- ✓ Starting dates (basic levels): 12/02-26/03-16/04-25/06-16/07-24/09
- ✓ Daily course hours: 6 hours (8 lessons of 45 minutes each) from Monday to Friday (total of hours: 30)
- ✓ Group course: up to 15 students
- ✓ Starting level: 0.0
- ✓ Final level: 0.5 (A1 level on the Common European Framework)



View from a classroom

At the end of the course the student will acquire the competencies of an **A1 level** on the Common European Framework. Our seminars have been recognized as Bildungsurlaub in these federal states: Brandenburg, Berlin, Bremen, Hessen, Hamburg, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Niedersachen, Rheinland-Pfalz, Schleswig-Holstein, Saarland, Sachsen-Anhalt.

PRICE PER PERSON € 560,00

For further information about our recognition visit: <u>www.bildungsurlaub.de</u> \rightarrow inlingua como

CELI – CERTIFICAZIONE ITALIANO GENERALE

The Certificate of Knowledge of Italian Language (CELI) is an Italian language proficiency certificate that ratifies competences and language skills. It can be used in the work field or for study purposes. It is possible to choose from CELI for immigrants and CELI for adolescents. The main difference is the content of the texts and types of tasks to be completed during the test. These tests follow the same levels of the QCER and share the same verification methods and strict certification processes. The Ministero del Lavoro e delle Politiche Sociali recognizes the CELI certificate in the context of immigration and favors its diffusion to promote the knowledge of Italian language among immigrants legally residing in Italy.

| DATE EXAMS | CERTIFICATE | LEVELS | DEADLINE CENTER EXAMS |
|---------------|----------------|--|-----------------------|
| 19th FEBRUARY | CELI immigrati | A2 CELI 1 i | 20th January |
| 3rd MARCH | CELI | A1 CELI Impatto - A2 CELI1 - B1 CELI2 - B2 CELI3 | 2nd February |
| 21st MAY | CELI immigrati | A1 CELI Impatto i - A2 CELI1 i - B1 CELI2 i | 20th April |
| 18th JUNE | CELI | A1 CELI Impatto - A2 CELI1 - B1 CELI2 - B2 CELI3 - C1 CELI4 - C2 CELI5 | 11th May |
| 24 SEPTEMBER | CELI immigrati | A2 CELI 1 i | 24th August |
| 19 NOVEMBER | CELI immigrati | A1 CELI Impatto - A2 CELI1 - B1 CELI2 - B2 CELI3 - C1 CELI4 - C2 CELI5 - A2 CELI1 i | 19th October |



ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK



BIKE TOUR (2 HOURS)

Lake Como is the perfect spot for biking: the area boasts roads with very little traffic, beautiful mountain scenery, rolling terrain and picturesque hills. For an unforgettable experience rent a bike and explore Como's charming historic town or the winding shoreline of the lake. PRICE: \leq 15,00

PEDALO' (30 MIN)

Spend an afternoon doing some fun activities like pedalò. This is the perfect activity for anyone who wants to enjoy the stunning views of the city and surrounding historic villas from the water in a fun and relaxed way. PRICE: \leq 10,00





TREKKING (4 HOURS)

The Green Way is a spectacular route that twists and turns through terraces and olive tree groves with pleasant ups and downs ranging from 217 to 350 meters of altitude. The Green Way offers breathtaking panoramic views of the villages, the lake and the adjacent mountains. It's an easy hike along a partly paved, old mule-track. PRICE: \leq 145,00

CITY TOUR (2 HOURS)

With its charming historic center, 12th century walls and narrow Medieval streets brimming with elegant stores, Como delights visitors that want to explore it by foot.

The city offers a rare example of a fusion of architectural styles including the Romanesque basilica of St Fedele, the imposing Porta Torre, the majestic Gothic Duomo, and numerous ancient noble buildings that conceal charming courtyards and porticos. PRICE: \notin 140,00



COMO AND MINI CRUISE (2/3 HOURS)

Admire the beautiful and palatial bourgeois villas of the bay area of Lake Como from a public boat or from a private speedboat. The itinerary includes a walking tour of the historical centre. After the tour, from Piazza Cavour, your guide will take you to the boats or to a private speedboat to admire the beauty of the area and discover spectacular locations favored by international celebrities.







BRUNATE AND THE VILLAS OF THE "BELLE EPOQUE" (3 HOURS)

After taking the 19th century cable car that connects Como with Brunate you will enjoy an amazing panorama of the city, the lake and the Alps. From this panoramic view you will walk to discover the enchanting villas of this fascinating town. PRICE: \in 180,00

DELIGHT YOUR PALATE!

OPTION 1 (1 HOUR)

Why not taste some of the typical wine and cheese from this region? Visit the wine cellar in Gaggio di Domaso for an unforgettable culinary experience. You will have the opportunity to delight yourself tasting some of the best wine and local products of the area.

PRICE: € 15,00/person





OPTION 2 (3 HOURS OR MORE)

If you have more time, choose the second option and end your visit with a dinner of typical dishes. You will have the opportunity to taste the local wine and products fresh off the farm.

PRICE: € 37,00/person





EXPLORE THE LAKE ON YOUR OWN BOAT (2 HOURS)

Rent a boat to discover Lake Como at your own pace. You will find some beautiful beaches and breathtaking villas in a variety of styles.

PRICE: € 140, 00 (insurance included)

COOKING COURSES

Would you like to uncover the secrets of Italian cuisine? Learn from professional chefs how to cook typical Italian recipes from hearty and delicious pasta dishes to decadent dessert like tiramisu. TIME: 18.00 - 21.00PRICE: ≤ 48.00





SAILING

Sailing on *Lake Como* is, without a doubt, an ideal way to see the lake in an exciting way. The upper part of the lake offers many opportunities to enjoy water sports. Its constant windy conditions are a real heaven for lovers of windsurfing and sailing.

PRICE: € 180,00

WATER SPORTS FOR EVERYONE

If you enjoy sports, rent a canoe, a kayak or a paddle board to admire the landscape and the beauty of the lake. You will see historic villas, discover small and enchanting beaches and enjoy the diversity of the shoreline vegetation from a unique point of view.



PRICE: € 120,00

WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

SAILING (2 DAYS - Portofino)

What do you think about a short holiday doing something different? An unforgettable and fun weekend on a boat to admire the beauty of the Tuscan seaside and be enchanted by its magic. PRICE: $\leq 280,00$

INCLUDED: Sailing courses, skipper, breakfast and lunch, sheets, overnight stay on a boat and insurance.





QUAD (6 HOURS)

An in and off road itinerary departing from Cernobbio and going through locations along the mountains of Lake Como. An amazing and fun experience for adrenaline lovers!

PRICE: \in 150,00 (6 hours for 2 people for a day or night tour)

INCLUDED: excursion, insurance, fuel and staff assistance

AN UNFORGETTABLE DAY ON THE LAKE: ROMANTIC CRUISE AND VISIT TO VILLAS (7 HOURS)

Get to know the history of this magical place. Listen to a guide narrate the stories and secrets of the luxurious villages dotting the shores of Lake Como. From a private boat or a speedboat you will enjoy the views of the monuments, churches and ancient lakeside villages perched around the mountains surrounding the lake. PRICE: € 300,00





AT THE HEART OF THE LAKE COMO: VARENNA, BELLAGIO AND MENAGGIO



(7 HOURS)

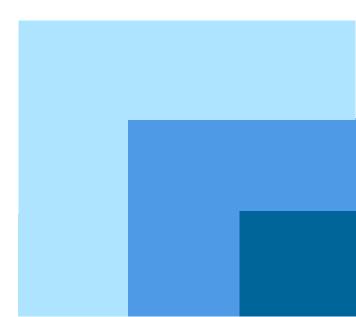
It's impossible not to be charmed by the lakeside villages of Varenna, Bellagio and Menaggio. Bellagio's picturesque waterfront, Menaggio's sunny center and Varenna's romantic allies are sure to delight and enchant any visitor. A private yacht or boat will take you to these three historic towns at the center of the lake for a day of relaxation and discovery. PRICE: \leq 300,00

BETWEEN THE MOUNTAINS AND THE LAKE: THE SACRO MONTE DI OSSUCCIO AND VILLA BALBIANELLO (7 HOURS)

This itinerary explores the historic towns of Ossuccio and Lenno, in the west shore of Lake Como. In the morning, we do a walking tour of the beautiful chapel of Sacro Monte di Ossuccio, recognized by the UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. In the afternoon from the lakeside of Lenno we take a private speedboat to Villa Balbaniello, a unique and magical location featured in famous film such as Star Wars and Casino Royale. PRICE: \leq 300,00







ACCOMODATION

We want you to be as comfortable as possible while you are here in Como. Here is a list of some recommended hotels and B&B that you can choose from.

TRE RE HOTEL

Hotel Tre Re is located in the historical center of Como, just a hundred meters from the lake, in a traffic limited zone. The hotel offers forty-seven fully furnished rooms, complete with bathroom, AC, satellite television and hair dryer. The hotel provides ample, accessible parking spaces. The daily tax is not included.

PRICE: Single room + breakfast 65/night Double room + breakfast 97/night







FIRENZE HOTEL

The Albergo Firenze Como is an elegant and comfortable 3 star hotel located in the very center of Como overlooking Piazza Volta. Occupying a historical neoclassical building, the Albergo Firenze offers forty-four clean and

comfortable rooms. Breakfast and internet connection are included. Staff assistance available twenty-four hours a day. The daily tax is not included.

PRICE: Single room + breakfast € 99,00/night Double room + breakfast € 108,00/night Double room standard € 130,00/night

B&B VILLA OLMO

The B&B Villa Olmo is located in an elegant building a few steps away from the famous VILLA OLMO. This is one of the most magnificent among the historic Villas of Como. The B&B offers spacious and well furnished rooms with WIFI included. Free Shuttle Service from 8 am to 8 pm to the city center and train station. The daily tax is not included.

PRICE: Double room+ breakfast € 55,00/night Single room+ breakfast € 55,00/night







HOW TO REACH US



PRIVATE CAR TRANSFER FROM/TO THE AIRPORT

From Milano Malpensa (MPX) or Linate (LIN) airports to Como € 220,00 (round trip)

BY TRAIN

Malpensa Airport (MPX) - Milano Centrale - Como San Giovanni= € 22,90 (one way)

Malpensa Airport (MPX) - Milano Porta Garibaldi – Como San Giovanni= € 17,80 (one way)



"Como Lago" Train Station

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