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- using register-appropriate forms of to express and receive greetings, thanks and good wishes, and to apologise, for example, being formal with adults Buongiorno, Signor Rossi Piacere ConoscerLa! Tantissimi Auguri. Grazie mille. Mi dispiace, non posso/sono impegnato ... Scusimi!
- recounting events, describing and personal experiences, for example, Durante le vacanze sono andato/a ad Alice Springs con la mia famiglia e abbiamo anche visitato Uluru; Mi sono divertito/a alla festa di Marta ieri sera perché c'erano tanti giovani.
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- sharing information about their neighbourhood with students from a real or imagined Italian-speaking school, using digital resources (including interactive multimedia) to describe the area in which they live, and the facilities and available to them after school, such as sport grounds, gyms, youth clubs, etc.
- exchanging and comparing personal information (routines, experiences, etc.) using essere, avere and other common , including reflexive , for example, Ogni mattina mi alzo alle sette ma mia sorella si alza alle otto; Di solito vado in piscina dopo scuola.
- expressing the degree of preference for and interests, for example, Mi piace giocare a calcio ma non mi piace per niente suonare il pianoforte. Adoro fare shopping con gli amici. Ti piace leggere? Non mi piace per niente! La torta al cioccolato mi piace da morire.

Students learn to:

initiate and sustain exchanges in familiar and some unfamiliar contexts related to st experiences, feelings and views, adjusting their language in response to others

(AC9LIT8C01)

General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Speaking and listening

- Interacting

Social management

- Communication

Elaborations

Content elaborations provide suggestions of ways to teach the content description and connect it to general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities. Content elaborations are optional .

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Resources

Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

Content description

AC9LIT8C01

Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

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Snapshot – Interacting

Literacy: Speaking and listening: Interacting

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Learning progression extract

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

AC9LIT8C01

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Resource – Italian language resource

Italian

Language support resource

The Italian Language support resource was developed to support teachers as they plan teaching and learning programs to implement the Australian Curriculum: Italian. It is optional and includes illustrative examples of language and language use.

Introduction

The resource provides suggestions for sequential development in 2 parts:

- Part 1 – language features and structures
- Part 2 – thematic contexts for language use.

The content is presented in 3 broad levels: beginner, intermediate and advanced, and is independent of the year bands and sequences in the curriculum and the time spent on task.

Teachers can use suggestions in the resource to adapt curriculum content to meet the diverse language needs and learning backgrounds of students at different entry points into second language learning. For example, if a Year 5 student is learning Italian for the first time, a teacher can use the cognitive demand of the Years 5 and 6 curriculum achievement standards and content descriptions combined with beginner language features and structures, and/or thematic contexts.

Language features and structures

Part 1 provides language features and structures that are neither exhaustive nor mutually exclusive across the 3 different levels. Beginner, intermediate and advanced levels demonstrate how a particular feature or structure could be developed at different stages of a continuum of second language learning.

Thematic contexts for language use

Part 2 provides examples of thematic contexts for language use at beginner, intermediate and

advanced levels. They are designed to give teachers ideas about how to support a progression of learning related to contexts and concepts of language use. Teachers are encouraged to adapt these to allow for student agency and to meet the needs, abilities and interests of their students, using the approaches, methodologies and pedagogies that best suit their students' learning.

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Elaborations

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Systems

- Sustainable patterns of living require the responsible use of resources, maintenance of clean air, water and soils, and preservation or restoration of healthy environments.

Analysing

- Draw conclusions and provide reasons

Self-management

- Perseverance and adaptability

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Snapshot – Interacting

Literacy: Speaking and listening: Interacting

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

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Snapshot – Collaboration

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Collaboration

Content description

AC9LIT8C02

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Snapshot – Communication

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Snapshot – Develop multiple perspectives

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Develop multiple perspectives

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Snapshot – Develop multiple perspectives

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Develop multiple perspectives

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AC9LIT8C02

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Snapshot – Draw conclusions and provide reasons

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Draw conclusions and provide reasons

Content description

AC9LIT8C02

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- draw conclusions and make choices when completing tasks, using discipline knowledge to provide reasons and evaluate arguments for choices made
- draw conclusions and make choices when completing tasks by connecting evidence from within and across discipline areas to provide reasons and evaluate arguments for choices made
- draw conclusions and make choices when completing tasks, using analysis of complex evidence and arguments before making recommendations

Snapshot – Perseverance and adaptability

Personal and Social capability: Self-management: Perseverance and adaptability

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Elaborations

- interviewing peers about routines, practices, preferences and choices using , and presenting the findings in specified formats (profile, posters, charts, timelines, etc.) using , for example, Il cantante italiano è popolare, ma quello americano è meno popolare; Tanti studenti amano educazione fisica mentre pochi amano matematica; Molti ragazzi hanno il cellulare ma pochi parlano al telefono e preferiscono inviare i messaggi.

- summarising the main points of , deducing the meaning of some unknown and , and identifying cultural references, which contribute to the overall meaning, for example, Mia nonna abita con noi e questo è molto comune nel mio paese.
- using a range of tools such as graphs, tables, mind maps, concept maps, charts, etc. to summarise and organise findings and present them to others
- to, or viewing First Nations Australian stories and responding to them in spoken or written Italian
- viewing visual (images, television programs, advertisements, cartoons, YouTube clips, etc.) to identify key information including cultural references/representations or the order in which they appear, for example, Nella pubblicità vedo ... poi ...; La trasmissione parla di ...; La nonna nella pubblicità indossa il nero; La bambina mangia la Nutella per colazione; È uno stereotipo.
- comparing Italian travel brochures and itineraries, identifying aspects such as transport arrangements, costs, places of interest and accommodation options, for example, using structures to advise visitors, or plan an itinerary for a particular group of visitors such as a school group or students, for example, Si può andare a ...; l'autobus è più costoso/economico; costa meno/poco/troppo ...; Puoi/Possiamo/Potete vedere/visitare/ ammirare/assaggiare ...
- responding to the key ideas of a (story, film, poem, etc.) by giving a personal opinion, describing pros and cons, or expressing about the topic, , themes and expressed, and comparing students' responses to the same to consider differing , for example, Secondo me è importante mangiare sano perché ... ma qualche volta ...; Sono/Non sono d'accordo con ...

Students learn to:

interpret information, ideas and opinions in a range of spoken, written and multimodal

respond appropriately to cultural context, purpose and audience

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General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Inquiring

- Identify, process and evaluate information

Reading and viewing

- Understanding texts

Speaking and listening

- Listening

Elaborations

Content elaborations provide suggestions of ways to teach the content description and connect it to general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities. Content elaborations are optional .

Inquiring

- Identify, process and evaluate information

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People

- The significant and ongoing contributions of First Nations Australians and their histories and cultures are acknowledged locally, nationally and globally.

Inquiring

- Identify, process and evaluate information

Inquiring

- Identify, process and evaluate information

Inquiring

- Identify, process and evaluate information

Resources

Snapshot – Identify, process and evaluate information

Critical and Creative Thinking: Inquiring: Identify, process and evaluate information

Content description

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Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- identify and examine relevant information and opinion from a range of sources, including visual information and digital sources
- compare information and opinion that can be verified against claims based on personal preference
- identify and clarify significant information and opinion from a range of sources, including visual information and digital sources
- evaluate the accuracy, validity and relevance of the information and opinion to the topic of study
- identify and clarify significant information and opinion from a range of sources, including visual information and digital sources
- evaluate the information selected to determine bias and reliability

Snapshot – Understanding texts

Literacy: Reading and viewing: Understanding texts

Content description

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Learning progression extract

The following learning progression extract shows the alignment of the learning progression with this content.

Comprehension

- reads and views complex texts (see Text complexity)
- identifies the main themes or concepts in complex texts by synthesising key ideas or information
- summarises the text, identifying key details only
- draws inferences, synthesising clues and evidence across a text
- builds meaning by actively linking ideas from a number of texts or a range of digital sources
- distils information from a number of texts according to task and purpose (e.g. uses graphic organisers)
- identifies different interpretations of the text citing evidence from a text
- evaluates language features for relevance to purpose and audience
- analyses texts that have more than one purpose and explains how parts of the text support a particular purpose
- analyses the use of language appropriate to different types of texts (e.g. compare the use of pun in imaginative and persuasive texts)
- identifies techniques used to obscure author's purpose (e.g. inclusion or omission of content)

Processes

- uses processes such as predicting, confirming predictions, monitoring, and connecting relevant elements of the text to build or repair meaning
- uses knowledge of a broader range of cohesive devices to track meaning (e.g. word associations) (see Grammar)
- selects reading or viewing strategies appropriate to reading purpose (e.g. scans text for evidence)
- judiciously selects texts for learning area tasks and purposes

Vocabulary

- identifies language used to create tone or atmosphere
- analyses language and visual features in texts using metalanguage (e.g. cohesion, interpretation, figurative)
- applies knowledge of base words and word origins to understand the meaning of unfamiliar, discipline-specific words
- uses a range of context and grammatical cues to understand unfamiliar words
- interprets complex figurative language (e.g. euphemisms, hyperbole)

Comprehension

- reads and views complex or some highly complex texts (see Text complexity)
- interprets abstract concepts integrating complex ideas
- analyses how language features are used to support the point of view in a text (e.g. the strategic

use of images such as a cartoon in an editorial)

- draws inferences using evidence from the text and discounting possible inferences that are not supported by the text
- applies and articulates criteria to evaluate the language structures and features for relevance to purpose and audience
- evaluates the reasoning and evidence in a persuasive text
- explains how context (e.g. time, place, situation) influences interpretations of a text
- analyses the author's perspectives in complex or some highly complex texts
- analyses the techniques authors use to position readers
- recognises when ideas or evidence have been omitted from a text to position the reader

Processes

- automatically integrates a range of processes such as predicting, confirming predictions, monitoring and connecting relevant elements of the text, to build meaning
- describes how sophisticated cohesive devices establish patterns of meaning (e.g. "class" – "subclass")
- navigates extended texts including complex digital texts

Vocabulary

- demonstrates an understanding of nuances and subtleties in words of similar meaning (e.g. "frustrated", "discouraged", "baffled")
- verifies interpretations of unfamiliar words using grammatical and contextual cues

Comprehension

- reads and views highly complex texts (see Text complexity)
- interprets symbolism in texts, providing evidence to justify interpretation
- judiciously selects and synthesises evidence from multiple texts to support ideas and arguments
- analyses the credibility and validity of primary and secondary sources
- evaluates the use of devices such as analogy, irony, rhetoric and satire, and how they contribute to an author's individual style
- analyses the cumulative impact of use of language features and vocabulary across texts
- explains assumptions, beliefs and implicit values in texts (e.g. "economic growth is always desirable")
- evaluates the social, moral and ethical positions taken in texts

Processes

- strategically adjusts the processes of reading and viewing to build meaning according to the demands of tasks and texts
- identifies subtle contradictions and inconsistencies in texts

Vocabulary

- interprets complex, formal and impersonal language in academic texts
- uses lexical cues to interpret unfamiliar vocabulary
- demonstrates self-reliance in exploration and application of word learning strategies

Snapshot – Listening

Literacy: Speaking and listening: Listening

Content description

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Learning progression extract

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- responds to moderately complex texts (see Text complexity)
- responds to texts with unfamiliar content
- identifies main ideas of a spoken text using supporting details
- identifies purpose and intended audience of a spoken text
- infers layered meaning from texts (e.g. musical overlay that creates mood)
- asks relevant questions to extend understanding
- describes language and audio features of the text
- responds to complex texts (see Text complexity)
- identifies and analyses how spoken language is used for different effects

- explains the use of intonation, pausing, rhythm and phrasing to give emphasis and weight to ideas
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- explains any shift in direction, line of argument or purpose made by the speaker
- adopts and re-uses complex abstractions heard in texts
- explains how speakers' language can be inclusive or alienating (e.g. a speaker using language which is only readily understood by certain user groups such as teenagers or people involved in particular pastimes)

Snapshot – Identify, process and evaluate information

Critical and Creative Thinking: Inquiring: Identify, process and evaluate information

Content description

AC9LIT8C03

interviewing peers about routines, practices, preferences and choices using formulaic phrases, and presenting the findings in specified formats (profile, posters, charts, timelines, etc.) using modelled phrases, for example, *Il cantante italiano è popolare, ma quello americano è meno popolare; Tanti studenti amano educazione fisica mentre pochi amano matematica; Molti ragazzi hanno il cellulare ma pochi parlano al telefono e preferiscono inviare i messaggi.*

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Snapshot – Identify, process and evaluate information

Critical and Creative Thinking: Inquiring: Identify, process and evaluate information

Content description

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summarising the main points of texts, deducing the meaning of some unknown words and phrases, and identifying cultural references, which contribute to the overall meaning, for example, *Mia nonna abita con noi e questo è molto comune nel mio paese.*

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Critical and Creative Thinking: Inquiring: Identify, process and evaluate information

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Snapshot – Identify, process and evaluate information

Critical and Creative Thinking: Inquiring: Identify, process and evaluate information

Content description

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viewing visual texts (images, television programs, advertisements, cartoons, YouTube clips, etc.) to identify key information including cultural references/representations or the order in which they appear, for example, Nella pubblicità vedo ... poi ...; La trasmissione parla di ...; La nonna nella pubblicità indossa il nero; La bambina mangia la Nutella per colazione; È uno stereotipo.

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Snapshot – Identify, process and evaluate information

Critical and Creative Thinking: Inquiring: Identify, process and evaluate information

Content description

AC9LIT8C03

comparing Italian travel brochures and itineraries, identifying aspects such as transport arrangements, costs, places of interest and accommodation options, for example, using formulaic sentence structures to advise visitors, or plan an itinerary for a particular group of visitors such as a school group or exchange students, for example, Si può andare a ...; l'autobus è più costoso/economico; costa meno/poco/troppo ...; Puoi/Possiamo/Potete vedere/visitare/ammirare/assaggiare ...

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Snapshot – Identify, process and evaluate information

Critical and Creative Thinking: Inquiring: Identify, process and evaluate information

Content description

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responding to the key ideas of a text (story, film, poem, etc.) by giving a personal opinion, describing pros and cons, or expressing perspectives about the topic, characters, themes and views expressed, and comparing students' responses to the same text to consider differing perspectives, for example, Secondo me è importante mangiare sano perché ... ma qualche volta ...; Sono/Non sono d'accordo con ...

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- evaluate the information selected to determine bias and reliability

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interpret and non-verbal, spoken and written to meaning in Italian in familiar and some unfamiliar cultural

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Elaborations

- signs, , messages, and advertisements in Italian and identifying and features that are not easily translated and may cause misunderstandings, and simple explanations of meaning
- using dictionaries and electronic tools to compose such as captions, menus or school timetables, comparing results and noticing any problems associated with
- to Italian such as podcasts, Italian radio, television shows and advertisements to identify different types of for different , and collating their findings in a visual presentation
- comparing messages in from different eras, such as fairy tales, graphic novels, video clips, and traditional fables, and identifying themes and representations
- presenting findings related to the investigation of a social or cultural issue, such as La moda and Fare bella figura , and summarising opinions and collected from surveys, interviews and media sources
- translating short or , noting culture-specific and , and discussing alternatives, noting equivalence or non-equivalence, for example, fare la passeggiata, fare capricci; showing alternative uses for idiomatic expressions, for example, la pizza capricciosa, and using them appropriately when creating
- analysing the meaning and use of and sayings, for example, Che barba! Che schifo! Meno male! Meglio così! Bello da morire! A chi lo dici! Boh! A quattr'occhi; Fare due passi; Fare quattro chiacchiere ; and considering equivalents in English and other
- reviewing and responding to aspects of cultural practices that are represented in (advertisements, brochures, menus, etc.) to discuss the cultural differences that are evident, noting the reactions of class members to these differences
- creating, individually as well as collaboratively, resources such as glossaries, signage, recipes, children's stories, factual reports, timelines or brochures

Students learn to:

interpret and adjust non-verbal, spoken and written language to convey meaning in in familiar and some unfamiliar cultural contexts

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General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Analysing

- Interpret concepts and problems

Navigating intercultural contexts

- Adapt in intercultural exchanges

Reading and viewing

- Understanding texts

Speaking and listening

- Listening

Elaborations

Content elaborations provide suggestions of ways to teach the content description and connect it to general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities. Content elaborations are optional .

Analysing

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Resources

Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

Content description

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Continuum extract

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- identify the relevant and significant aspects of a concept or problem, understanding that approaches may change depending on the subject or learning area
- identify the relevant aspects of a concept or problem, recognising gaps or missing elements necessary for understanding by using approaches and strategies suitable for the context
- identify the objective and subjective aspects of a complex concept or problem, with sensitivity to context

Snapshot – Adapt in intercultural exchanges

Intercultural Understanding: Navigating intercultural contexts: Adapt in intercultural

Content description

Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- modify interactions in unfamiliar intercultural exchanges, demonstrating respect for, and understanding of, cultural diversity
- modify responses to unfamiliar intercultural exchanges to negotiate and sustain interactions that develop mutual understanding
- apply learning to the challenges and benefits of interacting in a culturally diverse society, adapting thinking and behaviour to develop mutual understanding

Snapshot – Understanding texts

Literacy: Reading and viewing: Understanding texts

Content description

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Learning progression extract

The following learning progression extract shows the alignment of the learning progression with this content.

Comprehension

- reads and views complex texts (see Text complexity)
- identifies the main themes or concepts in complex texts by synthesising key ideas or information
- summarises the text, identifying key details only
- draws inferences, synthesising clues and evidence across a text
- builds meaning by actively linking ideas from a number of texts or a range of digital sources
- distils information from a number of texts according to task and purpose (e.g. uses graphic organisers)
- identifies different interpretations of the text citing evidence from a text
- evaluates language features for relevance to purpose and audience
- analyses texts that have more than one purpose and explains how parts of the text support a particular purpose
- analyses the use of language appropriate to different types of texts (e.g. compare the use of pun in imaginative and persuasive texts)
- identifies techniques used to obscure author's purpose (e.g. inclusion or omission of content)

Processes

- uses processes such as predicting, confirming predictions, monitoring, and connecting relevant elements of the text to build or repair meaning
- uses knowledge of a broader range of cohesive devices to track meaning (e.g. word associations) (see Grammar)
- selects reading or viewing strategies appropriate to reading purpose (e.g. scans text for evidence)
- judiciously selects texts for learning area tasks and purposes

Vocabulary

- identifies language used to create tone or atmosphere
- analyses language and visual features in texts using metalanguage (e.g. cohesion, interpretation, figurative)
- applies knowledge of base words and word origins to understand the meaning of unfamiliar, discipline-specific words
- uses a range of context and grammatical cues to understand unfamiliar words
- interprets complex figurative language (e.g. euphemisms, hyperbole)

Comprehension

- reads and views complex or some highly complex texts (see Text complexity)
- interprets abstract concepts integrating complex ideas
- analyses how language features are used to support the point of view in a text (e.g. the strategic use of images such as a cartoon in an editorial)
- draws inferences using evidence from the text and discounting possible inferences that are not supported by the text
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purpose and audience

- evaluates the reasoning and evidence in a persuasive text
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Processes

- automatically integrates a range of processes such as predicting, confirming predictions, monitoring and connecting relevant elements of the text, to build meaning
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Vocabulary

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Comprehension

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Processes

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Vocabulary

- interprets complex, formal and impersonal language in academic texts
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Snapshot – Listening

Literacy: Speaking and listening: Listening

Content description

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Learning progression extract

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- responds to texts with unfamiliar content
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- responds to highly complex texts (see Text complexity)
- identifies and paraphrases key points of a speaker's arguments
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Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

Content description

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Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- identify the relevant and significant aspects of a concept or problem, understanding that approaches may change depending on the subject or learning area
- identify the relevant aspects of a concept or problem, recognising gaps or missing elements necessary for understanding by using approaches and strategies suitable for the context
- identify the objective and subjective aspects of a complex concept or problem, with sensitivity to context

Snapshot – Adapt in intercultural exchanges

Intercultural Understanding: Navigating intercultural contexts: Adapt in intercultural exchanges

Content description

AC9LIT8C04

Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- modify interactions in unfamiliar intercultural exchanges, demonstrating respect for, and understanding of, cultural diversity
- modify responses to unfamiliar intercultural exchanges to negotiate and sustain interactions that develop mutual understanding
- apply learning to the challenges and benefits of interacting in a culturally diverse society, adapting thinking and behaviour to develop mutual understanding

Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

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Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

Content description

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presenting findings related to the investigation of a social or cultural issue, such as La moda and Fare bella figura , and summarising opinions and attitudes collected from surveys, interviews and media sources

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Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

Content description

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translating short phrases or texts, noting culture-specific words and phrases, and discussing alternatives, noting equivalence or non-equivalence, for example, fare la passeggiata, fare capricci; showing alternative uses for idiomatic expressions, for example, la pizza capricciosa, and using them appropriately when creating texts

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Snapshot – Adapt in intercultural exchanges

Intercultural Understanding: Navigating intercultural contexts: Adapt in intercultural exchanges

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Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

Content description

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analysing the meaning and use of idioms and sayings, for example, Che barba! Che schifo! Meno male! Meglio così! Bello da morire! A chi lo dici! Boh! A quattr'occhi; Fare due passi; Fare quattro chiacchiere ; and considering equivalents in English and other languages

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Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

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Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

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Elaborations

- using appropriate to and present an informative oral or written history of a significant older Italian person in the community
- creating and/or performing their own spoken, written or which reflect Italian cultural behaviours, and social , for example, the and creating a video recording to introduce aspects of family life, school life, local community life, and comparing their own to others', for example, Prima di entrare in aula, chiedo permesso; Prima di entrare in casa, mi levo le scarpe; Prima di mangiare, dico buon appetito ; Prima di andare a letto, dico buonanotte a tutti.
- a skit or short film with subtitles, depicting an aspect of contemporary teenage life from an Italian or Australian
- creating a print or digital poster in Italian to promote travel to a significant cultural location on a First Nations , including what to see and do
- creating an advertisement or poster to persuade a specific using imperative form, for example, Non rovinare la nostra scuola! Metti i rifiuti nei bidoni, non sotto i piedi! Non aspettate! Fatelo subito!
- designing cartoons, picture stories, plays or big books appropriate for different , using repetitive structures and vocabulary, for example, Di chi è questa coda? È della mucca!
- describing events occurring in the present and past, and considering that Italian and English express concepts across time in different ways
- designing a digital poster or electronic brochure to advertise a social event in their local community related to lifestyles, social and cultural events or environmental issues
- making entries in a journal about their experience learning Italian, recording significant events and milestones, and describing their progress and how they have arrived at the decision to go on an to Italy
- applying the main features of familiar in Italian when a letter, email, description, or report in Italian
- taking note of 'false friends' when creating , for example, noting that the English 'annoyed' does

not to 'annoiato' in Italian

Students learn to:

create and present spoken, written and multimodal, informative and imaginative texts using appropriate language, vocabulary, expressions, grammatical structures, features and conventions appropriate to the purpose, audience and context

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General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Creating and exchanging

- Create, communicate and collaborate

Speaking and listening

- Speaking

Writing

- Creating texts
- Creating texts

Social management

- Communication

Elaborations

Content elaborations provide suggestions of ways to teach the content description and connect it to general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities. Content elaborations are optional .

Creating and exchanging

- Create, communicate and collaborate

Social management

- Communication

Creating and exchanging

- Create, communicate and collaborate

Navigating intercultural contexts

- Consider responses to intercultural contexts

Social management

- Communication

Creating and exchanging

- Create, communicate and collaborate

Social management

- Communication

Country/Place

- First Nations communities of Australia maintain a deep connection to, and responsibility for, Country/Place and have holistic values and belief systems that are connected to the land, sea, sky and waterways.

Social management

- Communication

Social management

- Communication

Social management

- Communication

Creating and exchanging

- Create, communicate and collaborate

Social management

- Communication

World views

- World views are formed by experiences at personal, local, national and global levels, and are linked to individual, community, business and political actions for sustainability.

Self-awareness

- Reflective practice

Social management

- Communication

Social management

- Communication

Social management

- Communication

Resources

Snapshot – Create, communicate and collaborate

Digital Literacy: Creating and exchanging: Create, communicate and collaborate

Content description

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Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- select and control a variety of features in appropriate digital tools to create content and communicate and collaborate with trusted groups
- select and control advanced features of appropriate digital tools to independently create content and effectively communicate and collaborate with wider groups
- select and control the features of digital tools to purposefully create content and effectively communicate and collaborate, inclusive of diverse groups

Snapshot – Speaking

Literacy: Speaking and listening: Speaking

Content description

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Learning progression extract

The following learning progression extract shows the alignment of the learning progression with this content.

Crafting ideas

- creates spoken texts responsive to audience and a broad range of learning area topics, clearly articulating words and ideas
- organises more complex ideas or concepts logically, selecting details to accentuate key points
- speaks audibly and coherently to a less familiar audience for a sustained period
- shows increasing awareness of audience by moderating length, content and delivery of spoken texts
- adjusts register according to purpose and audience
- does research to prepare spoken texts
- uses a range of technology, and audio and visual resources to engage audience and enhance content

Vocabulary

- varies vocabulary to add interest and to describe with greater precision (e.g. uses topic-specific noun groups/phrases such as "exploitation of resources") (see Grammar)
- uses language creatively (e.g. "the moon shines bravely")
- uses sensory vocabulary to engage the audience (e.g. "a gasp of dismay")
- uses technical vocabulary to demonstrate topic knowledge (e.g. "deforestation")
- consistently uses a range of synonyms to add variety and precision to spoken text
- uses abstractions (e.g. "freedom", "fairness")

Crafting ideas

- creates spoken texts which explore and interpret concepts drawn from research or learning area content
- selects voice appropriate to purpose (e.g. third person to create distance and authority or first person to achieve personal connection)
- develops complex ideas or a central theme across a spoken text
- uses language features according to purpose, to impact the audience (e.g. uses more complex connectives such as "consequently", "accordingly" to explain)
- rephrases or clarifies to repair or refine meaning
- uses language structures and features appropriate to learning area content

- uses technologies and visual and audio resources to enhance meaning and effect in presentations

Vocabulary

- selects vocabulary to intensify and sharpen the focus (e.g. "scarcely", "absolutely", "real", "simply")
- uses a range of evaluative language to express opinions or convey emotion (e.g. "significant benefits", "devastating consequences")
- uses a range of emotive language appropriate to topic, purpose and audience
- uses rich, evocative, descriptive language
- uses figurative language (e.g. "hungry for success")

Crafting ideas

- creates complex and creative spoken texts which analyse and evaluate issues drawn from research or learning area content
- includes a range of alternative viewpoints in spoken texts, where appropriate
- controls and manipulates a sophisticated range of language features to affect the audience
- uses a range of rhetorical devices and humour to engage an audience
- references and quotes authorities or statistics to add authority (e.g. "according to a recent OECD report")
- delivers spoken text flexibly, allowing for questions and maintaining the flow of ideas

Snapshot – Creating texts

Literacy: Writing: Creating texts

Content description

AC9LIT8C05

Learning progression extract

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Crafting ideas

- creates informative texts that describe, explain and document (e.g. describe an artwork, document the materials and explain why it was created)
- selects structural elements to comprehensively and accurately represent the information (e.g. a fact sheet includes an opening statement, labelled diagrams and text boxes)
- orients the reader to the topic or concept using a definition or classification
- develops ideas with details and examples
- uses ideas derived from research
- uses written and visual supporting evidence

Text forms and features

- uses cohesive devices to link concepts across texts (e.g. uses lexical cohesion such as word associations and synonyms)
- uses cohesive devices to express cause and effect (e.g. uses text connectives such as "therefore", "subsequently")
- includes salient visual and audio features to expand on written information (e.g. creates graphs and other technical diagrams from authentic data)
- uses language to compare (e.g. "alternatively", "whereas")
- uses formatting appropriately to reference and label graphics

Vocabulary

- uses a range of learnt, technical and discipline-specific terms (e.g. "adapt", "survive")
- uses more sophisticated words to express cause and effect (e.g. "therefore", "subsequently")

Crafting ideas

- creates informative texts to explain and analyse (e.g. analyses how artists use visual conventions in artworks)
- creates texts to compare and contrast phenomena (e.g. identify the similarities and differences between species of animals)
- orients the reader clearly to the topic or concept (e.g. using a definition or classification in the opening paragraph)
- intentionally selects structural elements for effect (e.g. includes an effective conclusion that synthesises complex ideas)

- uses evidence and research including digital resources to expand upon information and elaborate concepts

Text forms and features

- varies sentence structure for effect (see Grammar)
- judiciously uses language, visual and audio features to emotionally or intellectually affect the reader
- uses more elaborate noun groups/phrases that include classifying adjectives and specific nouns (e.g. "mineral component of sedimentary rocks")
- creates cohesive flow by condensing previous information into a summarising noun (e.g. "A series of tumultuous events culminated in the outbreak of WWI - modern history's turning point.")
- uses passive voice and nominalisation to write succinctly (e.g. "the results were analysed") (see Grammar)

Vocabulary

- uses discipline-specific terminology to provide accurate and explicit information (e.g. "discipline metalanguage")
- uses a range of synonyms for frequently occurring words, in a longer text (e.g. "repair", "fix", "remedy")
- uses vocabulary to indicate and describe relationships (e.g. "additionally", "similarly")

Crafting ideas

- creates sustained, informative texts that precisely explain, analyse and evaluate concepts or abstract entities
- uses structural features flexibly to organise ideas strategically (e.g. includes a defined, cogent conclusion or summation)
- creates texts with forms and features combined strategically for purpose (e.g. describes a historical event from the perspective of a secondary source)
- uses evidence and references
- creates succinct short-answer explanatory texts as well as complex, multi-staged extended texts

Text forms and features

- maintains tone appropriate to the audience
- uses extended noun groups/phrases including adjectival phrases (e.g. "a sturdy construction with modern design features") (see Grammar)

Vocabulary

- uses complex abstractions (e.g. "economic", "sociocultural")

Snapshot – Creating texts

Literacy: Writing: Creating texts

Content description

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Learning progression extract

The following learning progression extract shows the alignment of the learning progression with this content.

Crafting ideas

- creates imaginative texts that experiment with textual features (e.g. reinterprets or creates alternative versions of songs or stories)
- selects structural elements to suit the purpose (e.g. uses a series of events to build a complication, includes an ending that resolves the complication)
- uses ideas that support a less familiar underpinning theme or concept (e.g. survival or heroism)
- uses actions and events to develop the character
- orients the reader to the imaginary premise (e.g. character/s and situation and may pre-empt the conclusion)
- creates a cohesive text by integrating narrative elements (e.g. character, setting and events)

Text forms and features

- uses cohesive devices to develop ideas across the text (e.g. uses lexical cohesion such as word associations and synonyms)
- includes salient visual and audio features to enhance the text
- intentionally tightens a text by leaving out words that can be readily inferred from the context

(e.g. "Kokou must be hungry. But he was not [hungry].")

- selects a point of view appropriate to the purpose and audience
- uses figurative devices such as personification and metaphor (e.g. "the fairy lights danced along the street")

Vocabulary

- uses vivid and less predictable vocabulary to affect the reader (e.g. "stroll", "prowl" for "walk")
- uses words to create imagery (e.g. "the wind whistled and swirled around her")
- uses vocabulary to evoke humour (e.g. pun)

Crafting ideas

- creates imaginative texts with less predictable features to emotionally and intellectually engage the reader (e.g. writes to convey character perspective)
- includes relevant, rich, evocative description
- uses literary techniques such as dialogue and vivid description, to carry the plot, develop character and create a sense of place and atmosphere
- intentionally selects structural features (e.g. includes an unpredictable ending or circular plot)
- generates, selects and crafts ideas to support a theme
- selects text form or type to effectively support ideas (e.g. adventure story, short video which provides a fictional representation of a real event)

Text forms and features

- uses language features to engage reader (e.g. uses sensory imagery to build atmosphere)
- uses a range of figurative devices to effectively impact the reader (e.g. well-crafted metaphor)
- includes visual and audio resources to evoke mood or atmosphere of text
- varies sentence structure for effect (see Grammar)

Vocabulary

- uses words that create connotations (e.g. "startled", "dismayed")
- uses language that evokes an emotional response (e.g. "a piercing scream echoed through the valley")

Crafting ideas

- creates sustained texts that develop more abstract themes or concepts in imaginative ways
- uses structural features flexibly to organise ideas strategically (e.g. deliberate repetition to reinforce a point or create a rhythmic flow)
- develops an imaginative text around a theme or social issue

Text forms and features

- uses stylistic features for effect (e.g. narrates from an omniscient point of view)
- uses recurring imagery for cohesion
- uses language to create humour (e.g. irony, satire)
- uses complementary noun and verb groups (e.g. "Through narrowed eyes she scrutinised the haggard face.") (see Grammar)

Vocabulary

- uses vocabulary for precision (e.g. "shrouded" for "covered")
- uses figurative language to create subtle and complex meaning (e.g. "offering a silent prayer to the deaf sky")

Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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Continuum extract

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- devise strategies that apply effective verbal and non-verbal communication in response to feedback

Snapshot – Create, communicate and collaborate

Digital Literacy: Creating and exchanging: Create, communicate and collaborate

Content description

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Continuum extract

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- select and control a variety of features in appropriate digital tools to create content and communicate and collaborate with trusted groups
- select and control advanced features of appropriate digital tools to independently create content and effectively communicate and collaborate with wider groups
- select and control the features of digital tools to purposefully create content and effectively communicate and collaborate, inclusive of diverse groups

Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

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Snapshot – Create, communicate and collaborate

Digital Literacy: Creating and exchanging: Create, communicate and collaborate

Content description

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creating and/or performing their own spoken, written or multimodal texts which reflect Italian cultural behaviours, attitudes and social conventions, for example, writing the script and creating a video recording to introduce aspects of family life, school life, local community life, and comparing their own texts to others', for example, Prima di entrare in aula, chiedo permesso; Prima di entrare in casa, mi levo le scarpe; Prima di mangiare, dico buon appetito ; Prima di andare a letto, dico buonanotte a tutti.

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Snapshot – Consider responses to intercultural contexts

Intercultural Understanding: Navigating intercultural contexts: Consider responses to intercultural contexts

Content description

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Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- explain how intercultural experiences affect what they learn about relationship-building and interactions

- analyse how cultural representations in a range of intercultural contexts influence self-awareness of culturally appropriate behaviour
- apply learning to improve communication outcomes in unfamiliar intercultural contexts, considering and developing alternative responses

Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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Snapshot – Create, communicate and collaborate

Digital Literacy: Creating and exchanging: Create, communicate and collaborate

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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creating an advertisement or poster to persuade a specific audience using imperative form, for example, Non rovinare la nostra scuola! Metti i rifiuti nei bidoni, non sotto i piedi! Non aspettate! Fatelo subito!

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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designing cartoons, picture stories, plays or big books appropriate for different audiences, using repetitive sentence structures and vocabulary, for example, Di chi è questa coda? È della mucca!

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Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

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Snapshot – Create, communicate and collaborate

Digital Literacy: Creating and exchanging: Create, communicate and collaborate

Content description

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

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Snapshot – Reflective practice

Personal and Social capability: Self-awareness: Reflective practice

Content description

AC9LIT8C05

Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- analyse personal abilities and achievements by seeking feedback
- plan a personal response to a range of contexts using feedback from previous experiences
- evaluate goals set for their own personal, social and cognitive development, reflecting on feedback

Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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taking note of 'false friends' when creating texts, for example, noting that the English word 'annoyed' does not translate to 'annoiato' in Italian

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apply knowledge of of spoken Italian to enhance , and to respond to and in familiar and some unfamiliar

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Elaborations

- examining differences in of and combinations, double , and , and applying to own work, for example, famiglie, gnocchi, chiese, barche, chiavi, cena; sono and sonno; vale and valle; felicità, capacità
- recognising the differences in and between statements, , exclamations and commands when , and expressing emotions, for example, Vai a casa? Va' a casa! Oh! E? Ahimè!
- recognising that use changes according to the type and modality, for example, comparing emails and letters, written notes and SMS, diary and interactive webpages to spoken , and identifying differences in the use of
- identifying and comparing the features of that distinguish the for which it is used and the age and gender of the , for example, the difference between saying Non mi piace and Non mi piace per niente

- recognising the importance of placement of on correct for of that have similar spelling but different meaning, for example, s u bito/sub i to; a ncora/anc o ra; l e ggere/legg e re; perd o no/p e rdo

- identifying the way in which the choice of vocabulary and relates to variables such as age, social status, relationship and situation in both spoken and written

Students learn to:

apply knowledge of conventions of spoken Italian to enhance fluency, and to respond to texts in familiar and some unfamiliar contexts

(AC9LIT8U01)

General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Speaking and listening

- Speaking

Social management

- Communication

Elaborations

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Social management

- Communication

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Social management

- Communication

Resources

Snapshot – Speaking

Literacy: Speaking and listening: Speaking

Content description

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Learning progression extract

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Crafting ideas

- creates spoken texts responsive to audience and a broad range of learning area topics, clearly articulating words and ideas
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Vocabulary

- varies vocabulary to add interest and to describe with greater precision (e.g. uses topic-specific noun groups/phrases such as "exploitation of resources") (see Grammar)
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- delivers spoken text flexibly, allowing for questions and maintaining the flow of ideas

Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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examining differences in pronunciation of consonant and vowel combinations, double consonants, stress and accents, and applying to own work, for example, famiglie, gnocchi, chiese, barche, chiavi, cena; sono and sonno; vale and valle; felicità, capacità

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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recognising the differences in tone and rhythm between statements, questions, exclamations and commands when speaking, interacting and expressing emotions, for example, *Vai a casa? Va' a casa! Oh! E? Ahimè!*

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Snapshot – Communication

Personal and Social capability: Social management: Communication

Content description

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identifying and comparing the features of language that distinguish the purpose for which it is used and the age and gender of the audience, for example, the difference between saying *Non mi piace* and *Non mi piace per niente*

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recognising the importance of placement of stress on correct syllable for pronunciation of words that have similar spelling but different meaning, for example, *s u bito/sub i to; a ncora/anc o ra; l e ggere/legg e re; perd o no/p e rdono*

Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- apply skills to address factors that influence verbal and non-verbal communication
- demonstrate communication skills in a range of contexts, responding to the enablers of, and barriers to, effective verbal and non-verbal communication
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Resource – Italian language resource

Italian

Language support resource

The Italian Language support resource was developed to support teachers as they plan teaching and learning programs to implement the Australian Curriculum: Italian. It is optional and includes illustrative examples of language and language use.

Introduction

The resource provides suggestions for sequential development in 2 parts:

- Part 1 – language features and structures
- Part 2 – thematic contexts for language use.

The content is presented in 3 broad levels: beginner, intermediate and advanced, and is independent of the year bands and sequences in the curriculum and the time spent on task.

Teachers can use suggestions in the resource to adapt curriculum content to meet the diverse language needs and learning backgrounds of students at different entry points into second language learning. For example, if a Year 5 student is learning Italian for the first time, a teacher can use the cognitive demand of the Years 5 and 6 curriculum achievement standards and content descriptions combined with beginner language features and structures, and/or thematic contexts.

Language features and structures

Part 1 provides language features and structures that are neither exhaustive nor mutually exclusive across the 3 different levels. Beginner, intermediate and advanced levels demonstrate how a particular feature or structure could be developed at different stages of a continuum of second language learning.

Thematic contexts for language use

Part 2 provides examples of thematic contexts for language use at beginner, intermediate and advanced levels. They are designed to give teachers ideas about how to support a progression of learning related to contexts and concepts of language use. Teachers are encouraged to adapt these to allow for student agency and to meet the needs, abilities and interests of their students, using the approaches, methodologies and pedagogies that best suit their students' learning.

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apply understanding of grammatical structures and expressions to compose and respond to

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Elaborations

- using for emphasis such as –ino/a, -issimo/a, -etto/a, -astro/a , for example, grande-grandissimo, piccolo-piccolino, casa-casetta, figlio-figliastro and figlia-figliastra , and such as pro- and bis- , for example, prozio and bisnonno
- extending knowledge of + order and rationale for different order
- using direct object with the present
- understanding that some such as a, di, da, in, su combine with the , for example, a+il=al, di+la=della, da+l'=dall', in+lo=nello, su+i=sui and some such as tra, per do not combine
- using a range of to qualify , for example, proprio, troppo, abbastanza, specialmente, spesso, nemmeno, purtroppo, non ... né ... né ...
- using more complex negative constructions including the double negative, for example, Non vado mai in centro. Non c'è niente/nessuno
- consolidating conjugation skills of regular in the present , present perfect and of high-frequency reflexive and irregular to express action in time

- recognising and using the imperfect in structures, for example, mi ricordo quando ero piccolo(a) ...; Avevo 13 anni quando ...
- recognising and understanding the use of the impersonal si, Si parla italiano in questa farmacia.
- understanding how to use forms to express possibility, obligation, ability, likelihood and permission

Students learn to:

apply understanding of grammatical structures and expressions to compose and re

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General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Writing

- Grammar

Social management

- Communication

Elaborations

Content elaborations provide suggestions of ways to teach the content description and connect it to general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities. Content elaborations are optional .

Social management

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Snapshot – Grammar

Literacy: Writing: Grammar

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Learning progression extract

The following learning progression extract shows the alignment of the learning progression with this content.

Grammatical accuracy

- makes few grammatical errors, such as inappropriate tense selections or lack of agreement between subject and verb

Group and word level

- uses an extended range of verbs and verb groups for a particular effect (e.g. characterisation - "howls", "was trembling"; and expressing causality – "results in")
- adjusts tense in a text if required (e.g. uses simple present tense to represent "timeless" happenings (e.g. "bears hibernate in winter") and uses continuous present tense when referring to an

ongoing event (e.g. "bears are becoming extinct")

- creates elaborated noun groups to build richer description by extending the noun group/phrase (e.g. "that naughty, little cattle dog, with the crooked tail, that ran away last week")
- uses possessive pronouns (e.g. "his", "hers", "theirs") and relative pronouns (e.g. "who", "which", "whom")
- uses adverbials to represent a greater range of circumstances (e.g. time – "subsequently"; place – "in their environment"; manner – "excitedly"; reason – "due to several factors")

Sentence level

- selects simple, compound and complex sentences to express and connect ideas, occasionally manipulating the structure for emphasis, clarity or effect
- uses subordinating conjunctions (e.g. "even though" in "Even though a storm was predicted, the search and rescue mission still went ahead.")

Whole text level

- uses cohesive devices to alert the reader about how the text is unfolding (e.g. foreshadowing the key points at the beginning, reinforcing the key points with topic sentences, and linking back to key points in the conclusion)

Grammatical accuracy

- writes well-structured texts, rarely making grammatical errors

Group and word level

- presents elaborated verb groups that capture nuances and complex expressions of time and probability (e.g. "he was thought to have been arriving late"; "the errors could be attributed to faulty equipment")
- selects from succinct noun groups/phrases through to highly elaborated noun groups/phrases for effect, clarity or complexity of description
- uses nominalisations to create concise noun groups/phrases
- intentionally uses a wide array of adverbials to represent a greater variety of circumstances (e.g. "with whom?" "to what extent?" "how much?" "in what role?" "by what means?" "in what manner?" "compared to what?")
- maintains subject-verb agreement in complex sentences

Sentence level

- crafts both compact and lengthy sentences with challenging structures, such as embedded/relative clauses, non-finite clauses, interrupting clauses, nominalisations, passive voice
- makes more sophisticated connections between ideas by creating complex sentences expressing relationships of cause, reason, concession

Whole text level

- uses a wide range of cohesive devices such as text connectives that link sentences and paragraphs, and patterns of meaning (e.g. part-whole, class-subclass, compare-contrast, cause and effect)

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using affixes for emphasis such as suffixes –ino/a, -issimo/a, -etto/a, -astro/a, for example, grande-grandissimo, piccolo-piccolino, casa-casetta, figlio-figliastro and figlia-figliastra, and prefixes such as pro- and bis-, for example, prozio and bisnonno

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understanding that some prepositions such as a, di, da, in, su combine with the article, for example, a+il=al, di+la=della, da+l'=dall', in+lo=nello, su+i=sui and some prepositions such as tra, per do not combine

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AC9LIT8U03

reflect on similarities and differences between Italian and English and features, using

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Elaborations

- discussing and order and similarities and differences between Italian and English, using relevant such as ‘ , ‘ , ‘ and ‘
- noticing differences in modality and politeness between Italian and English, for example, posso Vs potrei; devo Vs dovrei
- describing and applying the main features of familiar in Italian, for example, letter, email, description, , report
- observing that are constructed for a variety of (to request, to instruct, to invite, to describe, etc.) and for a variety of such as child/adult, known/unknown people
- comparing aspects of Italian with the way similar issues are portrayed in English
- noticing when and how hybrid forms are used in Italian and English, for example, use of numbers, mathematical symbols, single letters and acronyms to replace in SMS messaging, such as TVTB (ti voglio tanto bene), 6 (sei), x (per)
- reflecting on the impact of the media on the Italian by analysing headlines, advertisements and news reports, and comparing these with in English (comparisons of vocabulary or , etc.) noticing how English is modifying Italian in particular spheres, for example, used in the entertainment industry, in movies and television series; and used to express contemporary concepts (match, hardware, fast food, acquagym, relax, weekend, budget, fiction)
- reflecting on and borrowed/ in both Italian and English that have come from other such as Latin and Greek, for example, agenda, census, via, metafora, stigma

Students learn to:

reflect on similarities and differences between Italian and English language structure features, using metalanguage

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General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Analysing

- Interpret concepts and problems

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Elaborations

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Analysing

- Interpret concepts and problems

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Resources

Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

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- identify the relevant aspects of a concept or problem, recognising gaps or missing elements necessary for understanding by using approaches and strategies suitable for the context
- identify the objective and subjective aspects of a complex concept or problem, with sensitivity to context

Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

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- select strategies for open, flexible and focused communication in unfamiliar settings, considering their effect on building understanding
- select and use strategies for open, flexible and focused communication, including understanding how cultural perspectives and world views affect communication within, between and across cultural and linguistic groups
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Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

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Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

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Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

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reflect on and explain how identity is shaped by (s), (s), , and

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Elaborations

- reflecting on how their own cultural etiquette may be interpreted when with Italian people, noticing their own and , for example, understanding how the Australian tendency to be informal with people of all ages may be misinterpreted
- understanding the significance of cultural concepts and how these relate to social and are reflected in use, for example, Cin cin! Salute! Buon onomastico!
- discussing culturally significant concepts encountered in , for example, Fare bella figura. Fare brutta figura. Andare a trovare qualcuno and making comparisons with Australian
- examining how First Nations Australians' have strong connections to and how these can be compared to regional and variations in Italy and variation across Italian-speaking communities
- observing the connection between some names and religion, regional and family connections, for example, Maria, Giuseppe, Pasquale, Natale, Annunziata, Concetta, Addolorata; da Vinci, di Giovanni; di Paolo
- reflecting on how the study of Italian has given them an understanding of the value of communicating within and across , and discussing the interrelationship between Italian, English and other , and how this has changed their perception about who they are and how they
- selecting and reflecting on aspects of the Italian and that could easily be adopted in Australia, and explaining the reasons for their choices
- considering how one's own ideas, practices and responses may be perceived by Italians in Italy and in Australia
- sharing with peers, examples of how reflects their , and and how these are connected to

Students learn to:

reflect on and explain how identity is shaped by language(s), culture(s), beliefs, attitudes

values

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General capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities

This content description connects to the following general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities.

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Reflecting on culture and cultural diversity

- Reflect on the relationship between cultures and identities

Elaborations

Content elaborations provide suggestions of ways to teach the content description and connect it to general capabilities and cross-curriculum priorities. Content elaborations are optional .

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively
- Develop empathy

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Navigating intercultural contexts

- Consider responses to intercultural contexts

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Country/Place

- First Nations communities of Australia maintain a deep connection to, and responsibility for, Country/Place and have holistic values and belief systems that are connected to the land, sea, sky and waterways.

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Reflecting on culture and cultural diversity

- Reflect on the relationship between cultures and identities

Analysing

- Interpret concepts and problems

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity

- Communicate responsively

Resources

Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

Content description

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- apply communication strategies in culturally and linguistically diverse contexts, understanding how language and culture are interrelated or connected

Snapshot – Reflect on the relationship between cultures and identities

Intercultural Understanding: Reflecting on culture and cultural diversity: Reflect on the relationship between cultures and identities

Content description

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Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- examine how beliefs, values and cultural practices convey meaning and influence people's sense of identity and belonging
- identify and describe beliefs, values and cultural practices that have changed over time and those that have remained the same, drawing on examples from within, between and across cultural groups
- evaluate examples of beliefs, values and cultural practices for connections between cultures and identities, including their own

Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

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Snapshot – Develop empathy

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Develop empathy

Content description

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Continuum extract

The following continuum extract shows the alignment of the continuum with this content.

- examine how showing empathy during intercultural experiences supports relationship-building and sustains respectful interactions
- use perspective-taking, mutual understanding and respect to sustain interactions in diverse intercultural experiences
- analyse diverse experiences of intercultural contexts, understanding how these contexts influence their own and others' feelings, motivations and actions

Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

Content description

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understanding the significance of cultural concepts and how these relate to social conventions and are reflected in language use, for example, Cin cin! Salute! Buon onomastico!

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Snapshot – Consider responses to intercultural contexts

Intercultural Understanding: Navigating intercultural contexts: Consider responses to intercultural contexts

Content description

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Continuum extract

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- explain how intercultural experiences affect what they learn about relationship-building and interactions
- analyse how cultural representations in a range of intercultural contexts influence self-awareness of culturally appropriate behaviour
- apply learning to improve communication outcomes in unfamiliar intercultural contexts, considering and developing alternative responses

Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

Content description

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discussing culturally significant concepts encountered in texts, for example, Fare bella figura.

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Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

Content description

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observing the connection between some names and religion, regional and family connections, for example, Maria, Giuseppe, Pasquale, Natale, Annunziata, Concetta, Addolorata; da Vinci, di Giovanni; di Paolo

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Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

responsively

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Snapshot – Reflect on the relationship between cultures and identities

Intercultural Understanding: Reflecting on culture and cultural diversity: Reflect on the relationship between cultures and identities

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Snapshot – Interpret concepts and problems

Critical and Creative Thinking: Analysing: Interpret concepts and problems

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Snapshot – Communicate responsively

Intercultural Understanding: Engaging with cultural and linguistic diversity: Communicate responsively

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