

# Montclair High School

## Course Syllabus

**Department: World Languages**

**Course: Italian III**

**Level: Honors**

**Credits: 5**

### Course Description:

This course introduces the student to the language and civilization of Italy through an intensive study of grammar, vocabulary, and conversational patterns.

### Standards:

7.1 World Languages: All students will be able to use a world language in addition to English to engage in meaningful conversation, to understand and interpret spoken and written language, and to present information, concepts, and ideas, while also gaining an understanding of the perspectives of other cultures. Through language study, they will make connections with other content areas, compare the language and culture studied with their own, and participate in home and global communities.

### Anchor Text(s):

Text Title	Publisher/Author	Year/Edition	ISBN	Text Distribution
Percorsi: L'Italia attraverso la lingua e la cultura	Pearson / Italiano-Marchegiani	2008 / 1st	978-0-13-192969-2	Hard copy

### Supplementary Materials:

- Prego: An invitation to Italian
- Ciao! 6<sup>th</sup> ed.
- Scriviamo: A Writing Workbook for Advanced Beginners of Italian

### Proficiencies:

By the end of this course, students will:

#### Listening Proficiencies:

1. Understand basic social conversation
2. Understand main ideas of media broadcast
3. Understand speech at a slow rate with little repetition needed for clarification

#### Speaking Proficiencies:

1. Speak in connected sentences
2. Handle all basic needs
3. Begins to express internal feelings and thoughts

#### Reading Proficiencies:

1. Read paragraph length text in various tenses

2. Read a news article with some dictionary support
3. Understand linguistically non-complex text

Writing Proficiencies:

1. Respond to questions in essay format with some errors
2. Use picture prompt to write creative stories

**Evaluation & Assessment:**

- Homework/Classwork 15%
- Quizzes 25%
- Tests 35%
- Projects/Essays 25%