Anglo European Sixth Form

Summer Transition Work

Subject: Italian ab-initio

Exam Board: IB

Qualification:

Compulsory tasks:

These tasks must be completed by students before their first lesson in September. These tasks will be reviewed by the class teacher.

1. Start learning Italian on Memrize : practise basic language and pronunciation https://www.memrise.com/courses/english/italian (it's free)

2. Facts about Italy: find information about aspects of the country and culture **you are interested in** such as art, history, sport, food, literature and take notes
   https://www.livescience.com/44376-italian-culture.html
   https://italianbureau.com.au/italy-facts-and-tips/50-facts-and-more-about-italy
   https://www.theintrepidguide.com/fun-facts-of-italy/
   https://thefactfile.org/italy-facts/

Advisory tasks:

These tasks will support you to excel in the course. They may not be explicitly reviewed by your teachers, but they will allow students to demonstrate a genuine passion for going "above and beyond" in this subject

- Alphabet and pronounciation: how do we pronounce vowels in Italian?
  http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/italian/guide/alphabet.shtmll
  https://www.iwillteachyoualanguage.com/learn/italian/italian-tips/italian-pronunciation-guidee

- Common words and phrases: make a list of 30 useful phrases and learn them by heart https://www.walksofitaly.com/blog/travel-tips/italian-words-and-phrases

  https://www.dummies.com/languages/italian/italian-for-dummies-cheat-sheet

- Basic vocabulary: learn the numbers from 1 to 100, write the days of the week and months
https://onlineitalianclub.com/italian-vocabulary-lists-and-exercises

- Basic grammar: can you explain the rule of the Italian nouns? Read and make some notes
http://www.italianlanguageguide.com/grammar/nouns

https://en.wikibooks.org/wiki/Italian/Nouns

- Watch an Italian film or series:
-currently on Channel 4   "*Mafia Only Kills in Summer*" https://www.channel4.com/programmes/mafia-only-kills-in-summerr
currently on Netflix https://www.netflix.com/gb/browse/genre/100384
(try this if you have a Netflix account https://www.languagereactor.com/)