



SAMPLE ASSESSMENT OUTLINE

ITALIAN: BACKGROUND LANGUAGE
ATAR YEAR 11

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Unit 1 and Unit 2

Assessment type (from syllabus)	Assessment type weighting (from syllabus)	Assessment task weighting	When	Assessment task
Oral communication	20%	10%	Semester 1 Week 14	Task 5: Participate in a 7–8 minute conversation, with a speaker of Italian, related to The changing world: Our changing environment.
		10%	Semester 2 Week 8	Task 10: Participate in a 7–8 minute interview, with a speaker of Italian, related to The Italian-speaking communities: Italian identity in the Australian context.
Practical (oral) examination	10%	5%	Examination week	Task 6: Semester 1 practical (oral) examination – 10–12 minute discussion with a speaker of Italian based on student’s choice of two of three topics provided prior to the examination.
		5%	Examination week	Task 13: Semester 2 practical (oral) examination – 10–12 minute discussion with a speaker of Italian based on student’s research of one of three topics provided prior to the examination.
Response: Listening	15%	7%	Semester 1 Week 13	Task 4: Extract, summarise, and/or evaluate information from two spoken texts in Italian related to The changing world: Our changing environment. Respond critically in English or Italian.
		8%	Semester 2 Week 5	Task 9: Extract, summarise, and/or evaluate information from two spoken texts in Italian related to The individual: Pressures in today’s society. Respond critically in English or Italian.
Response: Viewing and reading	15%	4%	Semester 1 Week 4	Task 1: Extract, summarise, and/or evaluate information from two written texts in Italian related to The individual: Young people and their relationships. Respond critically in English or Italian.
		4%	Semester 1 Week 10	Task 3: Extract, summarise, and/or evaluate information from two print texts in Italian related to The Italian-speaking communities: Traditions and values in a contemporary society. Respond critically in English or Italian.
		7%	Semester 2 Week 10	Task 11: Extract, summarise, and/or evaluate information from two print texts in Italian related to The Italian-speaking communities: Italian identity in the Australian context. Respond critically in English or Italian.
Written communication	20%	7%	Semester 1 Week 8	Task 2: Produce a text of approximately 250 words in Italian related to The Italian-speaking communities: Traditions and values in a contemporary society.
		6%	Semester 2 Week 4	Task 8: Produce a text of approximately 300 words in Italian related to The individual: Pressures in today’s society.
		7%	Semester 2 Week 13	Task 12: Produce a text of approximately 300 words in Italian related to The changing world: Media and communication.
Written examination	20%	10%	Examination week	Task 7: Semester 1 written examination – 2 hours using a modified examination design brief from the ATAR Year 12 syllabus. Section One: two spoken texts in Italian (30%); Section Two: three print texts in Italian (30%); and Section Three: one question from a choice of two.
		10%	Examination week	Task 14: Semester 2 written examination – 2.5 hours using the examination design brief from the ATAR Year 12 syllabus.
Total	100%	100%		