



## Class of 2027 World Language Placement Exam Outline *Italian*

This World Language Placement Exam serves as a baseline assessment for students who wish to be considered for a World Language placement higher than level 1. The exam will take students about 1 hour to complete, and is comprised of 100 questions. Most of the questions will be in a multiple choice, or matching format. Below is an outline of topics that may be covered on the exam. This should serve as a guide to help students prepare for the exam. All students will be notified of their placement by the first week of July.

- I. **Present Tense**
  - Regular verbs
  - Irregular verbs
- II. **SER vs ESTAR**
  - Conjugation of verbs
  - When to use SER, when to use ESTAR
- III. **Reflexive Verbs**
- IV. **Preterite Tense**
  - Regular verbs
  - Irregular verbs
  - Verbs with meaning changes in Preterite
  - Time expressions used with Preterite
- V. **Imperfect Tense**
  - Regular verbs
  - Irregular verbs
  - Time expressions used with Imperfect
- VI. **Preterite vs Imperfect:** When to use one tense instead of the other
- VII. **Demonstratives**
- VIII. **Comparatives and Superlatives**
- IX. **Countries and capitals**
- X. **Time, Days of the week, Months, Articles**

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