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| **Name of Course:** | Italian B1 Intermediate module 3 | **Course book** | Nuovo Espresso 3 |
| **Number of sessions:** | 10 | **Chapters** | 8-10 |
| **Aims of the course:**  Grammar and syntax are alternated with presentations about modern Italian society, which become topics for class discussions. Through a series of guided study tasks, you will be encouraged to interact in Italian on selected subjects. You will able to express your opinions on abstract topics such as history, society, art. You will learn how to express your point of view about environmental, social and economical problems and projects. You will practice in talking about the past (history, personal experiences). You will be able to discuss your own experience of studying Italian. Discussion, agreement, disagreement, objections, explanations.     |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Topics** | **Language structure/ grammar points** | | Italians in history  Telling the lives of people of the past  Telling one’s journey  Discovering Italy  Italian habits and traditions  Italian regions.  Asking questions  Asking information on a place  Giving information on places  Expressing dissatisfaction and disappointment with something  Expressing the beauty of a region/city/country      Italian today  Discussing your process of learning Italian  Italian irony and humour  Expressing strong disagreement  Making an hypothesis | Gerundive  Adjectives in –*bile* (*incredibile*)  Indirect interrogative phrase  Indirect speech  *Prima che /prima di*      Hypothetic period (III) in the past  Subjunctive tenses in the past  *Dopo* and other adverbial expressions | | | | |