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## Northumberland Learning & Skills Service Course Description

<b>Course title</b>	<b>Continuum - Latin</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	Are you keen to further pursue your interest in the classical world? This Continuum course aims to build on the skills acquired on the Introduction to Latin course. A comprehensive textbook forms the basis of study and enables learners to develop their passive and active skills in the language of the Romans.
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	You will need to have studied Latin previous to this course or attended our Introduction to Latin.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	You can progress from this course onto our third Latin course, which will develop your skills even further.
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## Northumberland Learning & Skills Service Course Description

<b>Course title</b>	<b>Introduction to Spanish</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Pre-Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is for anyone interested in gaining an initial insight into the language and culture of Spain.</p> <p>Learners will be able to communicate and understand information on a variety of topics, such as describing themselves and their family, ordering food and drink and asking for directions.</p> <p>Learners will also be given an introduction to the grammatical aspects of the Spanish language.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	Learners can progress on to an Entry Level 3 qualification in Spanish.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Basic French in a Day</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>Planning a holiday to France? Or just interested in the language? Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons.</p> <p>This is an opportunity to learn the basics of the French language on an intensive one-day course. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>You will learn about: meeting and greeting people; saying where you are from; talking about your family; ordering food and drink in a bar or restaurant; the alphabet; numbers; masculine/ feminine and plural forms and key verbs.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the day by your lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one our regulated qualifications which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Basic Spanish in a Day</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>Planning a holiday to Spain? Or just interested in the language? Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons.</p> <p>This is an opportunity to learn the basics of the Spanish language on an intensive one-day course. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>You will learn about: meeting and greeting people; saying where you are from; talking about your family; ordering food and drink in a bar or restaurant; the alphabet; numbers; masculine/ feminine and plural forms and key verbs.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Phrasebook Spanish</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Pre-Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is for anyone interested in gaining an initial insight into the Spanish language and culture of Spain.</p> <p>Learners will be able to communicate and understand information on a variety of topics, such as describing themselves and their family, ordering food and drink and asking for directions.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	Learners can progress on to an Entry Level 3 qualification in the relevant language.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>German Culture and Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This is an opportunity to find out a little about the culture of Germany. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have, but it is widely accepted that successful communication includes understanding the culture of the country concerned.</p> <p>During this short course, you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; ordering in a café or restaurant and giving simple opinions of music, film and food. You will discuss the elements that make up the culture of Germany; it's people, history, art, music, film and food.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualification are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one our regulated qualifications, which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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## Northumberland Learning & Skills Service Course Description

<b>Course title</b>	<b>Introduction to Latin</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>Do you have a keen interest in the classical world? Are you passionate about Northumberland's history as the northernmost part of the Roman Empire?</p> <p>This Introduction to Latin course will give you the basic skills to use and understand the language of the Romans. You will learn the basics of Latin pronunciation and grammar, as well as how to apply these yourself.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No Previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	You can progress from this course onto our 'Continuum' course, which will develop your skills even further.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Introduction to French</b>
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<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is for anyone interested in gaining an initial insight into the language and culture of France.</p> <p>Learners will be able to communicate and understand information on a variety of topics, such as describing themselves and their family; ordering food and drink; and asking for directions.</p> <p>Learners will also be given an introduction to the grammar of the language.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	Learners can progress on to an Entry Level 3 qualification in the French language.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Introduction to Italian</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is for anyone interested in gaining an initial insight into the language and culture of Italy.</p> <p>Learners will be able to communicate and understand information on a variety of topics, e.g. describing themselves and their family, ordering food and drink and asking for directions.</p> <p>Learners will also be given an introduction to the grammar of the language.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	Learners can progress on to an Entry Level 3 qualification in the Italian language.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Basic German in a Day</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>Planning a holiday to Germany? Or just interested in the language? Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday, or improve your communication for work or for family reasons. This is an opportunity to learn the basics of the German language on an intensive one-day course. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>You will learn about: meeting and greeting people; saying where you are from; talking about your family; ordering food and drink in a bar or restaurant; the alphabet; numbers; masculine/feminine plural forms and key verbs.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the day.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications, which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Phrasebook French</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is for anyone interested in gaining an initial insight into the language and culture of French.</p> <p>Learners will be able to communicate and understand information on a variety of topics, such as: describing themselves and their family; ordering food and drink; and asking for directions.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	Learners can progress on to an Entry Level 3 qualification in the French language.
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<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is for anyone interested in gaining an initial insight into the language and culture of Italy.</p> <p>Learners will be able to communicate and understand information on a variety of topics, such as: describing themselves and their family; ordering food and drink; and asking for directions.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	Learners can progress on to an Entry Level 3 qualification in the French language.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Japanese Culture and Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is suitable for learners aged 19 and above. This is an opportunity to find out a little about the culture of Japan. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have, but it is widely accepted that successful communication includes understanding the culture of the country concerned.</p> <p>During this short course, you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; ordering in a café or restaurant and giving simple opinions of music, film and food. You will discuss the elements that make up the culture of Japan; it's people, history, art, music, film and food.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications, which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Spanish Culture and Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is suitable for learners aged 19 and above. This is an opportunity to find out a little about the culture of Spain. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have, but it is widely accepted that successful communication includes understanding the culture of the country concerned.</p> <p>During this short course, you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; ordering in a café or restaurant and giving simple opinions of music, film and food. You will discuss the elements that make up the culture of Spain; it's people, history, art, music, film and food.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications, which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Spanish Advanced Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>The Advanced Conversation course is designed to further develop learners' ability to communicate orally in the Spanish language.</p> <p>On successful completion of this course, learners will be able to speak the language, understand spoken language, and be acquainted with cultural conventions.</p> <p>Learners will put complex information into practice both in everyday life and in work situations, through presentations and meetings.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	Learners are required to have studied Spanish previous to this course or completed one of our 'Getting Started in Spanish' courses.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Basic Italian in a Day</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>Planning a holiday to Italy? Or just interested in the language? Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons. This is an opportunity to learn the basics of the Italian language on an intensive one-day course. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>You will learn about: meeting and greeting people; saying where you are from; talking about your family; ordering food and drink in a bar or restaurant; the alphabet; numbers; masculine/feminine plural forms and key verbs.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the day.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one our regulated qualifications, which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Getting Started in Japanese</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This is an opportunity to learn a new language and find out a little about Japanese culture. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>During this short course you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; asking for spelling of words; nationality and age; asking for and giving telephone numbers; ordering in a café, restaurant; asking prices and bills and speaking formally.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Getting Started in Spanish</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This is an opportunity to learn a new language and find out a little about Spanish culture. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>During this short course you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; asking for spelling of words; nationality and age; asking for and giving telephone numbers; ordering in a café, restaurant; asking prices and bills and speaking formally.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one our regulated qualifications which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Getting Started in German</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This is an opportunity to learn a new language and find out a little about German culture. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>During this short course you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; asking for spelling of words; nationality and age; asking for and giving telephone numbers; ordering in a café, restaurant; asking prices and bills and speaking formally.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Italian Advanced Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>The Advanced Conversation course is designed to further develop learners' ability to communicate orally in the Italian language.</p> <p>On successful completion of this course, learners will be able to speak the Italian language; understand spoken language; and be acquainted with cultural conventions.</p> <p>Learners will put complex information into practice both in everyday life and in work situations, through presentations and meetings.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	Learners are required to have studied Italian previous to this course or completed one of our 'Getting Started in Italian' courses.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>French Advanced Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>The Advanced Conversation course is designed to further develop learners' ability to communicate orally in the French language.</p> <p>On successful completion of this course, learners will be able to speak the French language; understand spoken language; and be acquainted with cultural conventions.</p> <p>Learners will put complex information into practice both in everyday life and in work situations, through presentations and meetings.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	Learners are required to have studied French previous to this course or completed one of our 'Getting Started in French' courses.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community.
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## Northumberland Learning & Skills Service Course Description

<b>Course title</b>	<b>Pre-GCSE Spanish</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Level 1</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This course is for anyone interested in bridging the gap between Level 1 Spanish and GCSE Spanish.</p> <p>The course will help you to consolidate your existing knowledge of the Spanish language and grammar, learned in our preparation for the GCSE Spanish course, which begins in September.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	Learners are required to have studied Spanish previous to this course or completed one of our 'Getting Started in Spanish' courses.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	Learners can progress on to a GCSE Spanish course.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Getting Started in Italian</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This is an opportunity to learn a new language and find out a little about Italian culture. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>During this short course you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; asking for spelling of words; nationality and age; asking for and giving telephone numbers; ordering in a café, restaurant; asking prices and bills and speaking formally.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>French Culture and Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-Accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This is an opportunity to find out a little about the culture of France. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have, but it is widely accepted that successful communication includes understanding the culture of the country concerned.</p> <p>During this short course, you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; ordering in a café or restaurant and giving simple opinions of music, film and food. You will discuss the elements that make up the culture of France; it's people, history, art, music, film and food.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one our regulated qualifications, which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Italian Culture and Conversation</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>This is an opportunity to find out a little about the culture of Italy. Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have, but it is widely accepted that successful communication includes understanding the culture of the country concerned.</p> <p>During this short course, you will learn about: interacting with native speakers; asking and answering simple questions; greeting people and introducing yourself; introducing someone; asking and giving personal details; ordering in a café or restaurant and giving simple opinions of music, film and food. You will discuss the elements that make up the culture of Italy; it's people, history, art, music, film and food.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	No previous qualifications are required.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one our regulated qualifications, which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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<b>Course title</b>	<b>Spanish for Beginners</b>
<b>Level</b>	<b>Entry Level</b>
<b>Accredited</b>	Non-accredited
<b>Who is this course for?</b>	This course is for anyone aged 19 or over.
<b>What will I study? (Key modules or content)</b>	<p>Planning a holiday to Spain? Or just interested in the language? Speaking another language is a fabulous skill to have whether it's just to be able to say 'hello' to people in their native tongue when you are on holiday or improve your communication for work or for family reasons.</p> <p>This is an opportunity to learn a new language and find out a little about Spanish culture. The course will emphasise the basic conversation required for holidays or social occasions.</p> <p>You will learn about: meeting and greeting people; saying where you are from; saying what you do; talking about your family; ordering food and drink in a bar or restaurant; the Spanish alphabet; numbers; masculine/ feminine and plural forms.</p> <p>There is no formal assessment for this course but your progress will be monitored throughout the course by your Lecturer.</p>
<b>What are the Entry requirements?</b>	Learners are required to have studied Spanish previous to this course or completed one of our 'Getting Started in Spanish' courses.
<b>Requirements of the course (e.g. kit/uniform info)</b>	None
<b>Progression and Careers</b>	In today's global economy, the ability to communicate in another language has become a significant advantage in the workforce and the community. You can progress to one of our regulated qualifications which open a variety of career opportunities by covering a broad range of languages from Entry Level to Level 2.
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