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## **FAQ SELDA SPANISH**

#### How many courses are there?

- There are 6 beginner courses (60 hours) in the first semester, 3 in the second semester and 1 annual online Saturday morning
- 1 intermediate course of 40 hours (first semester only) for those who have studied the language before.

#### What course should I choose?

- Beginner courses follow the same syllabus. You can choose according to the timetable that is most convenient for you.
- If you feel you don't have to start from the beginning, you can attend the intermediate course.

#### Can I choose to take the course in either the first or second semester?

- Yes, once the Spanish language course has been included in the study plan, it can be taken in the first or second semester regardless.

# How is the written examination call planned?

- Following registration for the examination, the system sends the invitation via I-Catt at the scheduled starting time of the examination (which is for everyone the first day indicated in the calendar at 9.30 a.m.).
- **WARNING:** To find out when you actually have to show up for the examination, **you must read the** <u>breakdown list (in groups in alphabetical order starting with the letter drawn for the session) that you will find both in the e-mail itself and published on the notice board on our website: https://studenticattolica.unicatt.it/selda- milano-bacheca.</u>
- If you have proven concurrent examinations, you may appear on a date and time other than the date and time of the call, but bear in mind that students will be let into the classroom according to the breakdown list first, then any remaining students until all seats have been filled.

## How does the call for the oral examination take place?

- The procedure is the same as for the written examination.
- Only after you have read the breakdown list published on the notice board, if you find that it coincides with another examination, can you swap your turn with a colleague, notifying the examiner on the day of the examination.
- If you are unable to arrange a change of shift, you must contact the Selda secretariat via I-Catt (Request for information) by the date indicated in the breakdown list posted on the notice board, showing that it is concurrent with another examination. Students in this situation will be reconvened on a fixed, unchangeable date.
- Shift changes for other reasons are not permitted.



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#### Is the examination the same for all courses?

- Yes. The examination is the same and corresponds to a B1 level.

#### How do I register for the exam?

https://studenticattolica.unicatt.it/durante-gli-studi-esami-di-profitto

KFG925 SPANISH LANGUAGE - IRGA/COMMA/PSYCHOLOGY

# How many exam calls are there in total?

 7 per academic year for: AB0209 LINGUA SPAGNOLA

BB0209 LINGUA SPAGNOLA SERALE

5 per academic year for:
ABF566 FOREIGN LANGUAGE I (SPANISH) - ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT

## See **CALENDARS**

# What happens if I do not take the examination in the academic year scheduled in my study plan?

- The course will remain on the curriculum until the examination (written and oral) is successfully completed.

#### What happens if I do not pass the written paper at the first call?

- You can sign up for the other scheduled exam dates in the session.

## What happens if I only pass the written in the first call but fail the oral?

- A passed written paper remains valid throughout the session and you will <u>automatically</u> be reconvened for all oral examinations scheduled in the session

NB: The examination must be completed (written + oral) in the same session

# When do the classes begin?

- Classes begin approximately the first week of October in the first semester and the last week of February in the second semester.
- You can find the class schedule at the following link: https://milano.unicatt.it/polo-studenti-e-didattica-programmi-dei-corsi-orari-delle-lezioni
  - Select SELDA in the second box (drop-down menu)
  - In the third box, type:
  - "Spanish' for AB0209 LINGUA SPAGNOLA (courses in Italian) and BB0209 LINGUA SPAGNOLA SERALE
  - "spanish" for ABF566 FOREIGN LANGUAGE I (SPANISH) ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT and KFG925 SPANISH LANGUAGE - IRGA/COMMA/PSYCHOLOGY



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# Programmi dei corsi, orari lezioni ed esami di profitto



## Are lessons compulsory?

- No, the lessons are not compulsory, but they prepare for the written exam and for the conversations required during the oral examination.

# How do I add my chosen course to Blackboard?

- Access your I-Catt page in the 'Course Search' section
- Select ID in the drop-down menu under Course
- Enter the code:
  - ➤ AB0209 for LINGUA SPAGNOLA (courses in Italian)
  - ▶ BB0209 for LINGUA SPAGNOLA SERALE
  - > ABF566 for FOREIGN LANGUAGE I (SPANISH) ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT
  - ➤ KFG925 for SPANISH LANGUAGE IRGA/COMMA/PSYCHOLOGY
- Select the course with the chosen lecturer and add it