

Chapter 02 I valori di famiglia

Content Area: **World Language**
Course(s): **Italian 4H**
Time Period: **Semester 1**
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Standards

FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPERS.5	Initiate, maintain, and end a conversation using appropriate target language expressions and sentences.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET.1	Explain the main idea and some supporting details on familiar topics from sentences and series of connected sentences within texts that are spoken, written, or signed.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET.3	React to oral and written instructions connected to daily activities and to some unfamiliar situations through oral and/or physical responses.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET.5	Use target language to paraphrase what is heard, viewed, or read in oral or written descriptions of people, places, objects, daily activities.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.IPRET.8	Use knowledge of structures of the target language to deduce meaning of new and unfamiliar structures.
FL.IM.7.1.IM.PRSNT.6	Relate stories about oneself and about events and other situations using sentences and strings of interrelated sentences.

Enduring Understandings

The underlying values of Italian and American culture are different: in America, individual identity and money are priorities whereas in Italy, tribal loyalty, inter-dependence and an emphasis on family and sentiments are more important. ***FL.NM.7.1.NM.IPRET - Interpretive Mode of Communication - [Core Idea] - Learning a language involves interpreting meaning from listening, viewing, and reading culturally authentic materials in the target language.***

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Essential Questions

- How are the subjunctive in English and the congiuntivo in Italian similar and different?
- What can I learn about Italian culture through understanding congiuntivo usage in the Italian language?

- How do identified cultural and familial values shape Italian and American societies differently?

Knowledge and Skills

The Performance Expectations for this unit are:

INTERPERSONAL MODE

- engage in the oral exchange of information, options, and ideas in a variety of time frames in formal and informal situations. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.1
- engage in the oral exchange of information and to clarify meaning by using a variety of strategies. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.2
- state and support opinions in oral interactions. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.3
- use a variety of vocabulary, including idiomatic and culturally appropriate expressions on a variety of topics. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPERS.5

PRESENTATIONAL MODE

- engage in the written exchange of information, opinions, and ideas in a variety of frames in formal and informal situations. FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.2
- write formal and informal correspondence in a variety of media using appropriate formats and conventions FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.3
- uses a variety of vocabulary, including idiomatic and culturally appropriate expressions on a variety of topics. FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.4
- self-monitor and adjust language production. FL.AL.7.1.AL.PRSNT.35

INTERPRETIVE MODE

- demonstrate comprehension of content from authentic audio, audiovisual, and visual resources. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.2
- demonstrate comprehension of a variety of vocabulary, including idiomatic and culturally authentic expressions. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.1
- identify the distinguishing features of authentic audio, visual, and audiovisual resources. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.3
- demonstrate and understand the features of target cultures and communities. FL.AL.7.1.AL.IPRET.4

Transfer Goals

Students will be able to independently use their learning to:

become acute observers of how cultural values are expressed through language.

understand better the role of family in the U.S. by comparing and contrasting it with the role it plays in Italian society.

Resources

1. Family discussion/reading

[L'evoluzione della famiglia americana nella storia delle Serie Tv \(hallofseries.com\)](http://hallofseries.com)

2. This is school listening comprehension videos [This is School | Award-winning Teaching Resources](#)

3. Online grammatical exercises [Archivio di grammatica \(loescher.it\)](http://loescher.it)

Assessments

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1lo2Aiasvf4HI9gJfGI60hDv57y4d5XKz4Hmy8MukXIQ/edit>

Modifications

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1cUIE1QRfV7jJNjgU2NdcW1x91UAyDENE/edit>