



## **Conversational Italian or German for beginners (6-week introductory course)**

Did you know that studying a foreign language is one of the best methods to keep your brain sharp? Did you know that by exploring a new foreign language, you gain a deeper understanding of your own native language? Are you interested in Italian or German culture, food, opera, sports etc.? Are you planning on taking a trip to either one of those two beautiful countries? Then this highly conversational 6-week introductory class will provide you with a glimpse into a very different way of foreign language learning that you know from your school experience.

Susi's teaching method called 'Comprehended Input' maximizes the acquisition of German or Italian by targeting Mental Representation, i.e. hearing and reading messages in the target language from day one. Did you ever wonder why you took years of foreign language in school and did not even retain the basics? That's because American schools teach courses that focus on linguistics in which students recite endless grammar rules and memorize vocabulary out of context. This traditional method does not lead to proficiency and fluency.

Form a group of friends or sign up for one-on-one lessons and have a great experience learning a new language. Lessons take place at my home in Amherst or in an online classroom via skype or google hangouts.

Prices vary according to group size. All class materials for the course will be provided.

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**Ci vediamo! Bis bald!**