

AEF SCHOLARSHIPS 2026

ACCADEMIA EUROPEA DI FIRENZE

The **Accademia Europea di Firenze (AEF)** is pleased to offer partial and full scholarships with the aim of supporting students of the **Italian Institutes of Culture** in their personal and academic development.

AEF Scholarships for IICs are offered directly by the Accademia Europea di Firenze and provide coverage from **50% to 100%** of the tuition fees for **Italian Language and Culture courses**.

IIC SCHOLARSHIPS 2026

For the **2026** academic year, the following scholarships are available:

- **1 full scholarship (100% coverage)**
- **5 partial scholarships (50% coverage)**

Scholarships are awarded **on a first-come, first-served basis upon receipt of complete applications**.

The following costs remain the responsibility of the student:

- enrolment fee of €80.00 (valid for 12 months)
- travel expenses
- insurance
- accomodation
- extra activities
- any additional personal expenses

ITALIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE COURSES

- **Italiano Insieme – group Italian language course**
- **Italian Intensive**
- **Italian Plus Music**
- **Italian Plus Art**
- **Italian Plus Culture**

The scholarship covers **exclusively the cost of the group course "Italiano Insieme"**, even if the student chooses a more comprehensive programme such as:

- **Italian Intensive**
- **Italian Plus (with Art, Music or Culture)**

In practice:

- students may enrol in **Italian Intensive** or **Italian Plus** programmes;
- the scholarship applies **only to the group course component "Italiano Insieme"**;
- any **additional costs** for individual lessons or extra modules (Art, Music, Culture) **remain the responsibility of the student**.

LEVELS

A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2

The awarding of scholarships is subject to the **minimum number of enrolled students being reached**.

COURSE DURATION

- **2 weeks**
- **4 weeks**
- **More than 4 weeks** (*upon request*)

For courses lasting **more than 4 weeks**, scholarships with 50% coverage are available.
The **100% scholarship** is reserved exclusively for courses lasting **2 or 4 weeks**.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

The scholarship application must be completed and submitted **no later than 30 days before** the selected course start date.

DATES 2026

Course start 2026	Course End 2026
2 February	27 February
2 March	27 March
Tuesday 7 April	Giovedì 30 April
4 May	29 May
1 June	26 June
29 June	24 July
27 July	21 August
24 August	18 September
21 September	16 October
26 October	20 November
23 November	18 December

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Visit the website:

<https://aefirenze.it/en/student-life/scholarships-opportunities-florence/apply-scholarship>

2. Complete the **AEF Scholarship Application Form**, indicating:

- *Home Institution (if applicable)*: reference Italian Institute of Culture
- *Programme*: "Italian Language Courses"
- *Weeks*: number of weeks
- *Term*: selected period
- *Year*: **2026**

3. Click **SEND** to submit the application

4. Confirmation

Upon receipt of the application, AEF will contact the applicant to guide them through the next steps.

HOUSING

Students may choose between **single or double rooms**, according to their needs.

All relevant information is available in the [Housing](#) section of the AEF website.

Alternatively, students may organise accommodation independently, without assistance from the school.

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ALUMNI

+80
COURSES OFFERED

+40
NATIONALITIES

+7
LANGUAGES SPOKEN

We are a community of students, artists and educators whose values are rooted in mutual respect and sustainable development.

We support students in taking responsibility for their personal growth as engaged and influential global citizens.

Inspired by the arts, we foster aspiration and creativity.

A school of arts, Italian language and culture located in the heart of Florence, just steps from the Duomo and Piazza San Marco.

Florence is our classroom, where students immerse themselves in the city's art, culture and local community.

