

# Glossario

The words in the glossary are given in the same form (or one of the same forms) in which they appear in the story. Unless a subject of a verb in the glossary is expressly mentioned, the subject is the third-person singular. For example: abbraccia is given as hugs. In complete form this would be she, he or it hugs.

Abbreviations: f - feminine m - masculine

p - plural s - singular

**2.000** *2,000*

**a** *to, at, about*

**a terra** *on the floor*

**abbassate** *lower, reduce (command)*

**abbastanza** *enough*

**abbiamo** *we have*

**abbiamo bisogno di** *we need to*

**abbraccia** *hugs*

**abbracciano** *they hug*

**abbraccio** *I hug*

**abita** *lives*

**abitano** *they live*

**abitare** *to live, to inhabit*

**abiti** *clothes, you live*

**abito** *I live*

**abituati** *used to, habituated*

**accompagna** *accompanies*

**accompagnano** *accompany*

**accompagno** *I accompany*

**ad** *(preposition) to, at, in (precedes a noun that begins with a vowel)*

**addosso** *on*

**adesso** *now*

**aereo** *airplane*

**affatto** *at all*

**affetto** *affection*

**agosto** *August*

**aiuta** *helps*

<b>aiutami</b> <i>help me</i>	<b>altro</b> <i>other</i>
<b>aiutare</b> <i>to help</i>	<b>alunna</b> <i>student (f)</i>
<b>aiutato: avermi aiutato</b>	<b>alunni</b> <i>students</i>
<i>having helped me</i>	<b>alunno</b> <i>student (m)</i>
<b>aiuti</b> <i>you help</i>	<b>alza</b> <i>lift, pick up, raise</i>
<b>al (a+il)</b> <i>to the, at the, in the, for the</i>	<b>alza i libri da terra</b> <i>pick up the</i>
<b>alcune</b> <i>some (f)</i>	<i>books from the floor (command)</i>
<b>alcuni</b> <i>some (m)</i>	<b>alzata: si è alzata</b> <i>she got up</i>
<b>all'aeroporto</b> <i>at the airport</i>	<b>ambulante: venditore ambulante</b>
<b>all'autista</b> <i>to the driver</i>	<i>street vendor</i>
<b>all'estate</b> <i>for the summer</i>	<b>americana</b> <i>American (f) (s)</i>
<b>all'impiegata</b> <i>to the employee</i>	<b>americani</b> <i>American (m) (p)</i>
<b>all'Italia</b> <i>to Italy</i>	<b>americano</b> <i>America (m) (s)</i>
<b>all'ospedale</b> <i>to the hospital</i>	<b>amica</b> <i>friend (f) (s)</i>
<b>all'ultimo</b> <i>at the end</i>	<b>amiche</b> <i>female friends</i>
<b>all'uscita</b> <i>to the exit</i>	<b>amici</b> <i>friends</i>
<b>alla (a+la)</b> <i>to the, at the, in the, for the</i>	<b>amici del cuore</b> <i>kindred spirits (best</i>
<b>alle (a+le=alle)</b> <i>to the, at the, in the,</i>	<i>friends)</i>
<i>for the, about the</i>	<b>ammirazione</b> <i>admiration</i>
<b>alle sei di mattina</b> <i>at six o'clock in</i>	<b>anch'io</b> <i>me too</i>
<i>the morning</i>	<b>anche</b> <i>also</i>
<b>allegra</b> <i>happy</i>	<b>andare</b> <i>to go</i>
<b>allo (a+lo)</b> <i>to the, at the, in the, for the</i>	<b>andiamo</b> <i>let's go</i>
<b>alta</b> <i>tall (f) (s)</i>	<b>angurie</b> <i>watermelons</i>
<b>alto</b> <i>tall, high (m) (s)</i>	<b>anni</b> <i>years</i>
<b>altri</b> <i>others</i>	<b>anno</b> <i>year</i>

<b>apre</b> <i>opens</i>	<b>ballare</b> <i>to dance</i>
<b>arance</b> <i>oranges</i>	<b>ballato: abbiamo ballato</b> <i>we have danced</i>
<b>arancini</b> <i>rice balls</i>	<b>ballerai</b> <i>you will dance</i>
<b>armadio</b> <i>closet</i>	<b>balli</b> <i>dances</i>
<b>arriva</b> <i>arrives</i>	<b>ballo</b> <i>dance, I dance</i>
<b>arrivederci</b> <i>goodbye, see you</i>	<b>bambini</b> <i>children</i>
<b>ascendenza</b> <i>ancestry</i>	<b>banca</b> <i>bank</i>
<b>ascolta</b> <i>listens</i>	<b>bella</b> <i>beautiful</i>
<b>aspettano</b> <i>await</i>	<b>belli</b> <i>beautiful</i>
<b>assistente di volo</b> <i>flight attendant</i>	<b>bellissima</b> <i>very beautiful</i>
<b>atterra</b> <i>lands</i>	<b>bello</b> <i>handsome</i>
<b>aule</b> <i>classrooms</i>	<b>che bello!</b> <i>how wonderful!, great!</i>
<b>autobus</b> <i>bus</i>	<b>bene</b> <i>well</i>
<b>automobili</b> <i>cars, automobiles</i>	<b>benissimo</b> <i>very well</i>
<b>avere</b> <i>to have</i>	<b>bentornata</b> <i>welcome back (f)</i>
<b>avermi aiutato</b> <i>having helped me</i>	<b>benvenuta</b> <i>welcome</i>
<b>avermi scritto</b> <i>having written to me</i>	<b>benzina</b> <i>gas (for cars)</i>
<b>azione</b> <i>action</i>	<b>biglietti</b> <i>tickets</i>
<b>piano d'azione</b> <i>plan of action</i>	<b>biglietto</b> <i>ticket</i>
<b>azzurra</b> <i>sky blue</i>	<b>biondi</b> <i>blonde</i>
<b>azzurri</b> <i>sky blue</i>	<b>bisogna</b> <i>it is necessary</i>
<b>baci</b> <i>kisses</i>	<b>bisogno</b> <i>need</i>
<b>bacio</b> <i>kiss</i>	<b>abbiamo bisogno di</b> <i>we need</i>
<b>bagno</b> <i>bathroom, bathtub</i>	<b>hai bisogno di</b> <i>you need</i>
<b>balla</b> <i>dances</i>	<b>ha bisogno di</b> <i>she needs</i>
<b>ballano</b> <i>they dance</i>	

<b>ho bisogno di</b> <i>I need</i>	<b>cameretta</b> <i>small bedroom, kids' bedroom</i>
<b>non c'è bisogno di pagare</b> <i>there's no need to pay</i>	<b>camerette</b> <i>small bedrooms, kids' bedrooms</i>
<b>bocca</b> <i>mouth</i>	<b>camicetta</b> <i>blouse</i>
<b>in bocca al lupo</b> <i>good luck (to you), break a leg (literally, in the mouth of the wolf)</i>	<b>camicia</b> <i>button-down shirt</i>
<b>brava</b> <i>good (f) (s)</i>	<b>cammina</b> <i>walks</i>
<b>brave</b> <i>good (f) (p)</i>	<b>camminano</b> <i>they walk</i>
<b>bravo</b> <i>good (m) (s)</i>	<b>cantanti</b> <i>singers</i>
<b>bresaola</b> <i>salt-cured beef, typically of the the Valtellina Valley in Lombardy</i>	<b>capelli</b> <i>hair</i>
<b>bugie</b> <i>a fried pastry typically eaten during the Carnevale season; literally it means lies (intentional false statements)</i>	<b>capisce</b> <i>understands, comprehends</i>
<b>buona idea</b> <i>good idea</i>	<b>capisco</b> <i>I understand</i>
<b>buona</b> <i>good (f) (s)</i>	<b>capitolo</b> <i>chapter</i>
<b>buoni</b> <i>good (m) (p)</i>	<b>carissima</b> <i>dearest (f) (s) carissimo dearest (m) (s)</i>
<b>buono</b> <i>good</i>	<b>carne</b> <i>meat</i>
<b>bussa</b> <i>knocks</i>	<b>casa</b> <i>house, home</i>
<b>c'è</b> <i>there is, is there?</i>	<b>case</b> <i>houses, homes</i>
<b>calda</b> <i>hot</i>	<b>castano</b> <i>dark brown (color of hair)</i>
<b>cambiano</b> <i>they change</i>	<b>castello</b> <i>castle</i>
<b>camera</b> <i>room</i>	<b>centro</b> <i>center</i>
<b>camera matrimoniale</b> <i>master bedroom</i>	<b>centro commerciale</b> <i>mall, shopping center</i>
	<b>cerca</b> <i>looks for, searches</i>
	<b>cercano</b> <i>they look for, search for</i>
	<b>cercare</b> <i>to look for</i>

**cercarlo** *to look for it*

**cerco** *I look for*

**che** *who, that, what*

**che bello!** *how wonderful!, great!*

**chiacchierano** *they chat*

**chiama** *calls*

**chiamano** *they call*

**chiami: come ti chiami?** *what do you call yourself?, what's your name?*

**chiamo: mi chiamo** *I call myself, my name is*

**chiede** *asks*

**chili** *kilograms*

**ci** *us*

**ci piacciono** *we like (plural items), they please us*

**ci piace** *we like (single item), pleases us*

**ci sono** *there are, are there*

**ciao** *hello, goodbye (friendly)*

**cibo** *food*

**ciliegie** *cherries*

**cinque** *five*

**cioccolato** *chocolate*

**circa** *around, about*

**città** *city*

**colore** *color*

**com'è** *how is*

**come** *how*

**commerciale: centro**

**commerciale** *shopping center, mall*

**completamente** *completely*

**compra** *buys*

**comprano** *they buy*

**comprare** *to buy*

**compro** *I buy*

**comunicare** *to communicate*

**con** *with*

**conosco** *I know*

**contenitore** *container*

**contenta** *happy (f) (s)*

**contenti** *happy (m) (p)*

**contento** *happy (m) (s)*

**controlla** *checks, controls*

**corpo studentesco** *student body*

**cos'altro** *what else*

**cosa** *what, thing*

**cose** *things, matters*

**costa** *costs*

**costano** *they cost*

**costumi da bagno** *bathing suits*

**cucina** *kitchen*

**cuoco** *chef*

**cuore** *heart*

**amica del cuore** *best friend*

**d'aereo** *of airplane*

**d'inglese** *of English*

**d'Italia** *of Italy*

**d'italiano** *of Italian*

**da** *from, through, at, since, by, with,*  
*to, as*

**da terra** *from the floor*

**dà** *gives*

**dagli** *from, through, at, since, by,*  
*with, to, as*

**dai** *from, through, at, since, by, with,*  
*to, as*

**dal** *from, through, at, since, by, with,*  
*to, as*

**dall'** *from, through, at, since, by, with,*  
*to, as*

**dalla** *from, through, at, since, by, with,*  
*to, as*

**danno un bacio** *they give a kiss*

**davanti** *in front of*

**decolla** *takes off, departs*

**degli** *of, about, by, than, from*

**dei** *of, about, by, than, from*

**del** *of, about, by, than, from*

**dell'** *of, about, by, than, from*

**della** *of, about, by, than, from*

**delle** *of, about, by, than, from*

**denaro** *money*

**descrivi** *describe*

**descrivimi** *describe to/for me*

**destra** *right (side)*

**detto: ha detto** *said*

**deve** *has to*

**di** *of, by, with, for, of, in, about, to*

**alle sette di mattina** *at seven o'clock*  
*in the morning*

**grazie di** *thank you*

**di circa** *of about, of around*

**di dove sei?** *where are you from?*

**di nuovo** *again*

**di più** *more*

**di strada da qui** *down the road*

**dice** *he/she says*

**diciassette** *seventeen*

**dieci** *ten*

**differente** *different*

**differenze** *differences*

**difficile** *difficult*

**direttamente** *directly*

**disordinata** *disorganized, messy*  
**dispiaciuta** *sorry, displeased, sad*  
**distribuiscono** *they deliver*  
**divano** *sofa*  
    **divano-letto** *sofa bed*  
**diversa, e, i, o** *different, diverse*  
**diverte** *enjoys*  
**do** *I give*  
    **ti do** *I'll give you*  
**doccia** *shower*  
    **si fa la doccia** *takes a shower*  
**dodici** *twelve*  
**dollari** *dollars*  
**domanda** *question, asks*  
**domani** *tomorrow*  
**domattina** *tomorrow morning*  
**dopo** *after*  
    **dopo scuola** *after school*  
**dorme** *sleeps*  
**dormi** *you sleep*  
**dormono** *they sleep*  
**dottori** *doctors*  
**dov'è** *where is*  
**dove** *where*  
**due** *two*  
**durante** *during*

**e** *and*  
**è** *she is, he is, it is*  
**ed** *and (used when the following word begins with a vowel)*  
**emozionano: si emozionano** *they get emotional*  
**emozionata** *emotional (f)*  
**entra** *enters*  
**entrano** *they enter*  
**era** *was*  
**erano** *they were*  
**eri** *you were*  
**esercizi** *exercise*  
**esistono** *they exist*  
**esperienza** *experience*  
**esperto** *expert*  
**essere** *to be*  
**estate** *summer*  
**fa** *acts, does*  
    **fa da** *acts as*  
    **fa male** *it's bad (for you)*  
**faccio** *I do*  
**facile** *easy*  
**famiglia** *family*  
**famiglie** *families*  
**famoso** *famous*

**fanno** *they do, act*

**fantastico** *fantastic*

**fare** *to do*

**favolosa** *fabulous*

**favore** *favor*

**felice** *happy*

**feste** *parties*

**figli** *sons*

**figlie** *daughters*

**foglio** *paper*

**formaggio** *cheese*

**forte** *strong, high, loud*

**fortissimo** *very strong, warm*

**fra** *between*

**fragole** *strawberry*

**francese** *French*

**fratelli** *brothers, brothers and sisters*

**fratello** *brother*

**fredda** *cold*

**frequenta** *attends*

**frequentano** *they attend*

**fritte** *fried*

**frutta** *fruit*

**generalmente** *generally*

**generosa** *generous*

**genitori** *parents*

**già** *already*

**giallo** *yellow*

**ginnastica** *workout*

**ginnastica fanno** *they're working out*

**giorni** *days*

**giorno** *day*

**giro: nel giro di** *in about*

**giugno** *June*

**gli** *the, him*

**gli piacciono** *he likes (plural things), they please him*

**gli piace** *he likes (singular thing), it pleases him*

**non gli importa** *he doesn't care, it doesn't matter to him*

**grande** *big*

**grata** *thankful*

**grazie** *thank you*

**grazie di** *thank you for*

**grazie per** *thank you for*

**grida** *yells*

**gridano** *they yell*

**guancia** *cheek*

**guarda** *looks, watches*

**ha** *has*



<b>ha bisogno di</b> <i>needs</i>	<b>incontrare</b> <i>to meet</i>
<b>ha paura</b> <i>has fear, is afraid</i>	<b>incredibile</b> <i>incredible</i>
<b>hai</b> <i>you have, do you have?</i>	<b>indicazioni</b> <i>directions</i>
<b>hai bisogno di</b> <i>you need</i>	<b>indossa</b> <i>wears, puts on</i>
<b>hanno</b> <i>have</i>	<b>indossiamo</b> <i>we wear</i>
<b>ho</b> <i>I have</i>	<b>inglese</b> <i>English</i>
<b>ho bisogno di</b> <i>I need</i>	<b>insegna</b> <i>teaches</i>
<b>i</b> <i>the (m) (p)</i>	<b>insieme</b> <i>together</i>
<b>il</b> <i>the (m) (s)</i>	<b>interamente</b> <i>completely, entirely</i>
<b>imparato</b> <i>learned</i>	<b>interessante</b> <i>interesting</i>
<b>impiegata di banca</b>	<b>interessanti</b> <i>interesting</i>
<i>bank teller (f)</i>	<b>invita</b> <i>invites</i>
<b>importa</b> <i>(singular thing) matters</i>	<b>invitano</b> <i>they invite</i>
<b>non gli importa</b> <i>he doesn't care</i>	<b>io</b> <i>I</i>
<i>about it, it doesn't matter to him</i>	<b>irrita: si irrita</b> <i>gets upset</i>
<b>importanto</b> <i>(plural things) matter</i>	<b>Italia</b> <i>Italy</i>
<b>A Rocco non importanto</b> <i>they don't</i>	<b>italiana</b> <i>Italian</i>
<i>matter to Rocco; Rocco doesn't care</i>	<b>italiani</b> <i>Italian</i>
<i>about them</i>	<b>italiano</b> <i>Italian</i>
<b>importante</b> <i>important</i>	<b>l'</b> <i>the</i>
<b>importanza</b> <i>importance</i>	<b>l'acqua</b> <i>the water</i>
<b>in</b> <i>in, inside, on, during, to, by</i>	<b>l'acqua calda</b> <i>hot water</i>
<b>in bocca al lupo</b> <i>good luck (to you),</i>	<b>l'aereo</b> <i>the airplane</i>
<i>break a leg (literally, in the mouth of the</i>	<b>l'aeroporto</b> <i>the airport</i>
<i>wolf)</i>	<b>l'altra</b> <i>the other</i>
<b>incontra</b> <i>meets, encounters</i>	<b>l'assicurazione</b> <i>the insurance</i>

<b>l'autista</b> <i>the driver</i>	<b>letto a castello</b> <i>bunk bed</i>
<b>l'automobile</b> <i>the automobile</i>	<b>lezione</b> <i>class, subject, lesson</i>
<b>l'azzurro</b> <i>the sky blue</i>	<b>lezioni</b> <i>classes, subjects, lessons</i>
<b>l'espressione</b> <i>the expression</i>	<b>libri</b> <i>books</i>
<b>l'estate</b> <i>the summer</i>	<b>libro</b> <i>book</i>
<b>l'impiegata di banca</b> <i>the bank teller</i>	<b>liceo</b> <i>high school</i>
<b>l'inglese</b> <i>English</i>	<b>linea aerea</b> <i>airline</i>
<b>l'italiano</b> <i>Italian</i>	<b>lo</b> <i>the</i>
<b>l'ospedale</b> <i>the hospital</i>	<b>loro</b> <i>they, their</i>
<b>l'ultimo</b> <i>the last</i>	<b>lui</b> <i>he</i>
<b>l'uniforme</b> <i>the uniform</i>	<b>lunghi</b> <i>long</i>
<b>la</b> <i>the</i>	<b>lupo</b> <i>wolf</i>
<b>lasciano</b> <i>they leave</i>	<b>in bocca al lupo</b> <i>good luck (to you),</i> <i>break a leg (literally, in the mouth of</i> <i>the wolf)</i>
<b>lavora</b> <i>works</i>	<b>ma</b> <i>but</i>
<b>le</b> <i>the, her</i>	<b>maccheroni con il formaggio</b> <i>mac</i> <i>and cheese</i>
<b>le piacciono</b> <i>they please her, she likes</i> <i>(plural items)</i>	<b>macchina</b> <i>car machine cars</i>
<b>le piace</b> <i>pleases her, she likes (singu-</i> <i>lar item)</i>	<b>madre</b> <i>mother</i>
<b>legge</b> <i>reads</i>	<b>maestro</b> <i>master, teacher</i>
<b>leggere</b> <i>to read</i>	<b>maggiore</b> <i>oldest</i>
<b>lei</b> <i>she</i>	<b>mai</b> <i>never</i>
<b>lentamente</b> <i>slowly</i>	<b>male</b> <i>bad, ill</i>
<b>lettera</b> <i>letter</i>	<b>fa male</b> <i>it's bad (for you)</i>
<b>lettino</b> <i>twin bed</i>	<b>mamma</b> <i>mom, mommy</i>
<b>letto</b> <i>bed</i>	

**manchi: mi manchi** *I miss you*

**manda** *sends*

**mangia** *eats*

**mangiamo** *we eat*

**mangiano** *they eat*

**mangiare** *to eat*

**mangiate** *(you all) eat*

**mano** *hand*

**mare** *sea, ocean, seaside*

**matematica** *math*

**materiali** *material*

**materialiste** *materialistic*

**matrimoniale** *matrimonial*

**matta** *crazy*

**mattina** *morning*

**alle sei di mattina** *at six o'clock in  
the morning*

**me** *me*

**mela** *apple*

**meloni** *melons*

**mensa** *cafeteria*

**mesi** *months*

**messo** *placed*

**mette** *(she) puts, places, wears*

**mettere** *to place, put, wear*

**metto** *I place, I put*

**mi** *myself*

**mi aiuti** *you help me*

**mi chiamo** *I call myself, my name is*

**mi manchi** *I miss you*

**mi piacciono** *(plural items) please  
me, I like (plural items)*

**mi piace** *(singular item) pleases me,  
I like (singular item)*

**mia** *my (f) (s)*

**mie** *my (f) (p)*

**miei** *my (m) (p)*

**migliore** *best*

**migliore amica** *best friend (f)*

**minuti** *minutes*

**mio** *my (m) (s)*

**modo** *way, method*

**molta** *very, a lot (quantity)*

**molte** *very, a lot (quantity)*

**molti** *very, a lot (quantity)*

**moltissimo** *very much molto a lot,  
very (quality)*

**molto** *very, a lot (quantity)*

**molto di più** *much more*

**mondo** *world*

**municipale** *municipal*

**musica** *music*

**nazionalità** *nationalities*

**nè** *neither, nor*

**negli** *in the negozio store*

**nel** *in the*

**nel giro di** *in about*

**nell'** *in the*

**nella** *in the (in+la=nella)*

**neri** *black*

**nessun** *no, nothing, no one, none*

**niente** *nothing*

**nocciola** *hazel (color of eyes)*

**noi** *we*

**noiose** *boring*

**non** *not*

**non capisco** *I don't understand*

**non compra niente** *doesn't buy anything*

**non conosco** *I don't know*

**non importano** *doesn't care about*

**non lo trova** *doesn't find it*

**normale** *normal*

**normalmente** *normally*

**nostra** *our*

**nota** *notices*

**notizie** *news, announcements*

**notte** *night*

**nove** *nine*

**nuotano** *they swim*

**nuova** *new (f) (s)*

**nuove** *new (f) (p)*

**nuovi** *new (m) (p)*

**nuovo** *new (m) (s)*

**di nuovo** *again*

**o** *or*

**occhi** *eyes*

**olive** *olives*

**ora** *now, hour, time*

**ordini** *straighten up*

**ore** *hours*

**organizza** *puts on, plans, organizes*

**ospedale** *hospital*

**otto** *eight*

**pacchi** *packages*

**pacco** *package*

**padre** *father*

**paese** *town*

**paesino** *little town*

**paga** *pays*

**pagando** *paying*

**pagare** *to pay*

**palestra** *gym*

**Pandoro** *a type of Christmas delicacy*

<b>Panettone</b> <i>a type of Christmas delicacy</i>	<b>per</b> <i>for, by, per</i>
<b>panino</b> <i>hero</i>	<b>grazie per</b> <i>thank you for</i>
<b>paninoteca</b> <i>sandwich shop</i>	<b>per favore</b> <i>please</i>
<b>papà</b> <i>dad, daddy</i>	<b>perché</b> <i>why, because</i>
<b>parco</b> <i>park</i>	<b>preferita</b> <i>preferred, favorite</i>
<b>parla</b> <i>speaks</i>	<b>perfetta</b> <i>perfect</i>
<b>parlano</b> <i>they speak, talk</i>	<b>perfette</b> <i>perfect</i>
<b>parlare</b> <i>to speak, talk</i>	<b>permesso</b> <i>permission</i>
<b>parlato: ha parlato</b> <i>spoke</i>	<b>però</b> <i>but, although</i>
<b>abbiamo parlato</b> <i>we have spoken</i>	<b>persona</b> <i>person</i>
<b>parli</b> <i>you speak</i>	<b>persone</b> <i>people</i>
<b>parliamo</b> <i>we speak, talk</i>	<b>pesche</b> <i>peaches</i>
<b>parlo</b> <i>I speak</i>	<b>piacciono</b> <i>they please</i>
<b>Parma</b> <i>a city in the Italian region of Emilia-Romagna</i>	<b>ad Anna piacciono</b> <i>(plural items) they please Anna, Anna likes (plural items)</i>
<b>particolare</b> <i>particular</i>	<b>le piacciono</b> <i>they please her, she likes (plural items)</i>
<b>passa</b> <i>spends, passes</i>	<b>mi piacciono</b> <i>they please me, I like (plural items)</i>
<b>passare</b> <i>to spend, to pass</i>	<b>piacciono a loro</b> <i>they please them, they like (plural things)</i>
<b>pasta con il pomodoro</b> <i>pasta with tomato sauce</i>	<b>ti piacciono?</b> <i>do they please you?, do you like (plural items)?</i>
<b>patatine fritte</b> <i>French fries</i>	<b>piace</b> <i>pleases</i>
<b>paura</b> <i>fear</i>	<b>ad Anna piace</b> <i>(singular item) plea-</i>
<b>ha paura</b> <i>is afraid, is frightened</i>	
<b>pavimento</b> <i>pavement, floor</i>	
<b>pensa a</b> <i>thinks about</i>	
<b>penso</b> <i>I intend to</i>	

*ses Anna, Anna likes (singular item)*

**le piace** *pleases her, she likes (singular item)*

**mi piace** *pleases me, I like (singular item)*

**piace a loro** *it pleases them, they like (singular thing)*

**ti piace?** *does (it) please you?, do you like (singular item)?*

**piacerà** *will please*

**ti piacerà** *it will please you, you will like it*

**piacere** *pleasure, pleased to meet you*

**il piacere è tutto mio** *it's my pleasure, the pleasure is all mine*

**piacevole** *pleasant*

**piano** *floor, plan*

**piano d'azione** *plan of action*

**piccola** *small*

**piccole** *small*

**piccolina** *very small*

**piscina** *pool*

**po'** *little (amount)*

**poco** *little (amount)*

**poi** *then, afterwards*

**polpette** *meatballs*

**polpettine di carne** *meatballs*

**pomodoro** *tomato*

**porta** *door*

**possiede** *owns*

**posso** *I can*

**possono** *they can*

**posto** *place*

**povera** *poor (f) (s)*

**povere** *poor (f) (p)*

**poveretta** *poor girl*

**povero** *poor (m) (s)*

**pranzo** *lunch*

**preferita** *favorite, preferred (f) (s)*

**preferito** *favorite, preferred(m) (m)*

**prego** *you're welcome*

**prende** *takes*

**prendono** *they take*

**preoccupata** *worried, preoccupied*

**preparano** *they prepare*

**prepariamo** *we prepare*

**preside** *president, principal*

**presto** *soon*

**primo** *first*

**problema** *problem*

**problemi** *problems*

**professoressa** *female teacher*

**professoressa** *female teachers*  
**professori** *male teachers, male and female teachers*  
**progetto** *project*  
**prosciutto** *dry-cured ham (not to be confused with cooked ham)*  
**prossima** *next (f) (s)*  
**prossimo** *next (m) (s)*  
**pubblica** *public*  
**può** *can*  
**puoi** *you can*  
**qualcosa** *something*  
**quando** *when*  
**quante** *how many (f)*  
**quanti** *how many (m)*  
**quattordici** *fourteen*  
**quattro** *four*  
**quello** *that (which)*  
**quest'opportunità** *this opportunity*  
**questa** *this*  
**questo** *this*  
**qui** *here*  
**quindici** *fifteen*  
**raccoglie: si raccoglie** *is collected*  
**raccogliono** *they collect*  
**raccolta** *collection*

**ragazza** *young lady, girlfriend*  
**ragazze** *young ladies, girlfriends*  
**ragazzi** *young men or people*  
**ragazzine** *young girls*  
**ragazzini** *young boys*  
**ragazzo** *young man, boyfriend*  
**religione** *religion*  
**religiosa** *religious (f) (s)*  
**resto** *rest, remainder*  
**riceve** *receives*  
**ricevere** *to receive*  
**ricevono** *they receive*  
**ride** *laughs*  
**Rinascente: La Rinascente** *name of a department store*  
**ringrazia** *says thank you*  
**ripete** *repeats*  
**ripeti** *repeat (command)*  
**riscalda** *warms, heats up*  
**riscrivimi** *write back to me*  
**risparmiare** *to save (not spend, not waste)*  
**risponde** *responds, answers*  
**ristorante** *restaurant*  
**ritorna** *returns, will return*  
**ritornare** *to return*

**ritorni** *you return, will you return?*

**ritorno** *I return, I will return*

**sai** *you know*

**sala** *room, hall, lounge*

**sala da pranzo** *dining room*

**sale** *gets on, boards*

**salotto** *living room*

**salsa di pomodoro** *tomato sauce*

**salutano: si salutano** *say goodbye to one another, greet one another*

**salutare** *to say good bye, greet*

**scambiato** *exchanged*

**scappare** *to escape, run away*

**scarpe** *shoes*

**scarpe da tennis** *tennis shoes, sneakers*

**scende** *gets out of, gets off*

**scienze** *science*

**scorretta** *incorrect, wrong*

**scritto: avermi scritto** *having written to me*

**scrive** *writes*

**scrivimi** *write to me (command)*

**scrivo** *I write, I'll write*

**scuola** *school*

**scuolabus** *schoolbus*

**scuri** *dark (color) (m) (p)*

**scuro** *dark (color) (m) (s)*

**scusa** *excuse me*

**secondaria** *secondary*

**segretaria** *secretary*

**sei** *six, are you?, you are*

**alle sei di mattina** *at six o'clock in the morning*

**sei venuta** *you came*

**sempre** *always*

**sente** *hears*

**sera** *evening*

**seria** *serious*

**sette** *seven*

**settembre** *September*

**settimana** *week*

**sgrida** *scolds, yells*

**sgridano** *they scold, yell*

**si** *himself, herself*

**si chiama** *calls himself, herself, is named*

**si chiamano** *they call themselves, are named*

**si diverte** *has fun*

**si fa il bagno** *takes a bath*

**si fa la doccia** *takes a shower*



<b>si irrita</b> <i>gets upset</i>	<b>spettacolare</b> <i>spectacular</i>
<b>si siede</b> <i>sits down</i>	<b>spiega</b> <i>explains</i>
<b>si siedono</b> <i>they sit down</i>	<b>sportello</b> <i>(teller) window</i>
<b>si sveglia</b> <i>wakes up</i>	<b>squisito</b> <i>delicious (m) (s)</i>
<b>si svegliano</b> <i>they wake up</i>	<b>sta</b> <i>feels, is</i>
<b>sì</b> <i>yes</i>	<b>sta bene</b> <i>feels well, is well</i>
<b>siamo</b> <i>we are</i>	<b>stai</b> <i>you feel, you are</i>
<b>siede: si siede</b> <i>sits down</i>	<b>stanca</b> <i>tired</i>
<b>siedono: si siedono</b> <i>they sit down</i>	<b>stanno</b> <i>they feel, they are</i>
<b>signora</b> <i>Mrs., Ms.</i>	<b>stata: è stata</b> <i>has been, felt</i>
<b>simile alla</b> <i>similar to the, like the</i>	<b>Stati Uniti</b> <i>United States</i>
<b>simpatica</b> <i>nice(f) (s)</i>	<b>statunitensi</b> <i>American, from the</i>
<b>sinistra</b> <i>left (side)</i>	<i>United States</i>
<b>so</b> <i>I know</i>	<b>stiamo studiando</b> <i>we are studying</i>
<b>soffre</b> <i>suffers</i>	<b>sto</b> <i>I feel, I am</i>
<b>sola</b> <i>alone</i>	<b>storia</b> <i>history</i>
<b>soldi</b> <i>money</i>	<b>storiella</b> <i>short story, novel</i>
<b>sole</b> <i>sun</i>	<b>strada</b> <i>street</i>
<b>solo</b> <i>only, alone (m) (s)</i>	<b>stressanti</b> <i>stressful</i>
<b>sono</b> <i>I am, they are, you are</i>	<b>studentesco: corpo</b>
<b>sorella</b> <i>sister</i>	<b>studentsco</b> <i>student body</i>
<b>sorpresa</b> <i>surprised (f) (s)</i>	<b>studentessa</b> <i>female student</i>
<b>sorride</b> <i>smiles</i>	<b>studenti</b> <i>students</i>
<b>speciale</b> <i>special</i>	<b>studi</b> <i>you study</i>
<b>spedire</b> <i>to send</i>	<b>studia</b> <i>studies</i>
<b>spesso</b> <i>often</i>	<b>studiamo</b> <i>we study</i>

<b>studiando</b> <i>studying</i>	<i>books from the floor (command)</i>
<b>studiare</b> <i>to study</i>	<b>ti</b> <i>you, yourself</i>
<b>studio</b> <i>I study</i>	<b>come ti chiami?</b> <i>what do you call yourself?, what's your name?</i>
<b>studiosa</b> <i>studious (f) (s)</i>	<b>ti piacciono</b> <i>they please you, you like (plural items)</i>
<b>sua</b> <i>her, his (f) (s)</i>	<b>ti piace</b> <i>does it please you?, pleases you, do you like?, you like</i>
<b>subito</b> <i>right away</i>	<b>ti piacerà</b> <i>it will please you, you will like (singular item)</i>
<b>sue</b> <i>her, his (f) (p)</i>	<b>ti scrivo</b> <i>I'll write to you</i>
<b>su</b> <i>on, above, over, upon, about</i>	<b>tiepida</b> <i>lukewarm</i>
<b>sul</b> <i>on the, about the</i>	<b>tipi</b> <i>types</i>
<b>sull'</b> <i>on the, about the</i>	<b>tiramisù</b> <i>a delicious dessert</i>
<b>sulla</b> <i>on the</i>	<b>tra</b> <i>in, between, among</i>
<b>sulla guancia</b> <i>on the cheek</i>	<b>tramezzini</b> <i>sandwiches</i>
<b>suo</b> <i>his, her (m) (s)</i>	<b>tre</b> <i>three</i>
<b>suoi</b> <i>his, her (m) (p)</i>	<b>treddici</b> <i>thirteen</i>
<b>sveglia: si sveglia</b> <i>wakes up</i>	<b>trenta</b> <i>thirty</i>
<b>svegliano: si svegliano</b> <i>they wake up</i>	<b>triste</b> <i>sad</i>
<b>tarantella</b> <i>a folkloric Italian dance</i>	<b>trova</b> <i>finds</i>
<b>tardi</b> <i>late</i>	<b>tu</b> <i>you</i>
<b>taxi</b> <i>taxi</i>	<b>tua</b> <i>your (f) (s)</i>
<b>tavolo</b> <i>table</i>	<b>tue</b> <i>your (f) (p)</i>
<b>te</b> <i>you</i>	<b>tutt'e due</b> <i>both</i>
<b>televisione</b> <i>television</i>	<b>tutta</b> <i>all (f)</i>
<b>tempo</b> <i>time, weather</i>	
<b>terra</b> <i>floor, ground, pavement</i>	
<b>a terra</b> <i>on the floor</i>	
<b>alza i libri da per terra</b> <i>pick up the</i>	

<b>tutte</b> <i>all, every (f) (p)</i>	<b>vede</b> <i>sees</i>
<b>tutti</b> <i>all, every, everyone (m) (p)</i>	<b>vederti</b> <i>to see you</i>
<b>tutto</b> <i>everything, all</i>	<b>vedo</b> <i>I see</i>
<b>ultimo</b> <i>last, final (m) (s)</i>	<b>vedono</b> <i>they see</i>
<b>un</b> <i>a, an (m)</i>	<b>velocemente</b> <i>fast, rapidly</i>
<b>un'</b> <i>an, a (f)</i>	<b>vende</b> <i>sells</i>
<b>un po'</b> <i>a little</i>	<b>venditore ambulante</b> <i>street vendor</i>
<b>un poco</b> <i>a little</i>	<b>venire</b> <i>to come</i>
<b>un'altra</b> <i>another (f)</i>	<b>venuta: sei venuta</b> <i>you came</i>
<b>un'alunna</b> <i>a female student</i>	<b>vera</b> <i>true, real (f) (s)</i>
<b>un'amica</b> <i>a female friend</i>	<b>verdi</b> <i>green (p)</i>
<b>un'aula</b> <i>a classroom</i>	<b>verso</b> <i>toward, around</i>
<b>un'opportunità</b> <i>an opportunity</i>	<b>vi</b> <i>you all, you guys, you (p)</i>
<b>un'ora</b> <i>an hour</i>	<b>viaggio</b> <i>voyage, trip</i>
<b>un'uniforme</b> <i>a uniform</i>	<b>vicino</b> <i>close to, in the vicinity</i>
<b>una</b> <i>a, an (f)</i>	<b>viene</b> <i>comes</i>
<b>undici</b> <i>eleven</i>	<b>visita</b> <i>visit</i>
<b>uno</b> <i>one, an</i>	<b>visitare</b> <i>to visit (a place)</i>
<b>usata</b> <i>used (f) (s)</i>	<b>farmi visita</b> <i>to visit you</i>
<b>uscita</b> <i>exit, gate</i>	<b>farti visita</b> <i>to visit you</i>
<b>utile</b> <i>useful</i>	<b>vita</b> <i>life</i>
<b>va</b> <i>goes</i>	<b>voglio</b> <i>I want</i>
<b>vado</b> <i>I go</i>	<b>vogliono</b> <i>they want</i>
<b>vanno</b> <i>they go</i>	<b>volo</b> <i>flight</i>
<b>vari</b> <i>various, several</i>	<b>volte</b> <i>times</i>
<b>vecchia</b> <i>old (f) (s)</i>	<b>voti</b> <i>grades</i>

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