

# Programma di Conversazione inglese

Classe IV D

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**Libro di testo:** “English File C1”– Latham-Koenig C., Oxenden C., Chomacki K. Ed. Oxford

## 1) **Contrasting things**

- ✓ Speaking practice: differences between school in the US and Italy

## 2) **The Elizabethan theatre**

- ✓ Speaking practice: *Hamlet* video clips

## 3) **Talking about one’s likes/dislikes, habits and specific events**

- ✓ Speaking practice: talking about your favourite villain (from a movie or book)
- ✓ Listening practice: describing pictures (page 6)
- ✓ Writing a short paragraph about your personality
- ✓ Language in use: half-agreeing expressions (page 7)
- ✓ Reading practice: *What I’m really thinking* (pages 12-13)
- ✓ Listening practice: Video *The tradition of kissing under the mistletoe* (origins)

## 4) **Talking about work**

## 5) **Retelling a story, describing concrete and abstract realities**

- ✓ Language in use: habitual events and specific incidents (pages 17)
- ✓ Writing an article (pages 16-17)
- ✓ Listening and speaking: your/people’s earliest memories (according to the expert) (page 19)
- ✓ Reading and speaking: words that changed meaning (page 23)
- ✓ Listening: pronunciation of h, ow, ai, wh, aw, j, ch, s, or, ir, accents, including RP (pages 20-21)
- ✓ Reading and speaking: *How children learn language* (page 25)

## 6) **Idiomatic expressions**

- ✓ Reading and speaking: *A Love-Hate Relationship* (pages 26-27)
- ✓ Listening and speaking: dating—apps vs IRL (pages 28-29)
- ✓ Listening practice - historical movies and accuracy (page 32)
- ✓ Reading and speaking: *History Brought to Life* (pages 30-31)

## 7) **Speculation and deduction**

- ✓ Listening and speaking: guessing pronunciation—foreign and RP
- ✓ Listening and speaking practice: reading books and spoilers (pages 36-37)

## 8) **Project**

- ✓ Power Point presentation on a historical movie: present the heroes, the villains, the plot, the historical context (also accuracies or inaccuracies if relevant).

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