

WORKSHEET - WELCOME TO ITALY!

Task 1 - Before you watch

What is a stereotype? Choose the correct definition.

- a. fixed and oversimplified image or idea of a particular type of person or thing
- b. a preconceived preference or idea
- c. particular kind or group of things or people

Task 2 - Watch the video once, then answer the following questions:

1. What are the stereotypes of Italian people parodied in this clip?
2. Do you think they correspond to reality or are overemphasized? Why?
3. What is the funniest moment in the video in your opinion?
4. How does this parody of Italian people make you feel? (*choose one of the following adjectives*)

amused offended indifferent angry annoyed

Task 3 – Watch the video again and answer the following questions:

1. What's the English for "*vigili*"?
2. What is strange in Italian *vigili* according to John?
3. What book is Dave reading?
4. Why does John call Dave "pervert"?
5. Which city in Italy are Dave and John going?
6. What does the gesture made up of 7 movements mean?
7. Why does John say, "What language was that" ?
8. Why is John surprised at the end of the flight?

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Task 4. Which parts of the human body are mentioned in this video?

1. Hands
2. Elbow
3. face
4. testicles
5. legs
6. arm
7. belly
8. chest
9. head
10. shoulders