The winter intersession in Florence, Italy, program is open to all college students. Eligibility requires a cumulative GPA of 2.5. First year students and undergraduate students from outside colleges may submit high school or college official transcripts.

(Step 1) Contact the study abroad office OR go to Citrus College’s study abroad website and complete the Initial Application form (top left corner of the page). (Step 2) Once this is completed and approved, your advisor will send you a link to the AIFS online enrollment page. Completion of the Initial Application, the AIFS online enrollment, and (Step 3) payment of the $450 deposit will secure your place in the program.

$450 deposit DEADLINE: Pay the $450 deposit (the $50 optional Rome excursion deposit is also due at this time) by October 7, 2016. The complete balance of payments is due November 11, 2016. Please see the Florence information sheet for more detail.

FINANCIAL AID
While financial aid is not available during the winter intersession, students may use financial aid from the previous fall semester. Students may also apply for loans late in the fall semester. Check with the financial aid office for the final day to apply for loans (usually around October).

WITHDRAWING FROM PROGRAM AND REFUNDS
If a student withdraws on or before Friday, October 7, 2016, a full refund will be made less $150, including the $50 non-refundable application fee, plus any non-refundable deposits paid either by a student or by AIFS on the student’s behalf. *See complete detail: http://www.aifspartnerships.com/scfc/Florence_winter/refund.asp

REGISTRATION FOR CLASSES
Florence course registration instructions will be sent to all students who have submitted an AIFS Florence application and deposit. Be sure the email address you list on your application is one you check regularly.

FLORENCE ORIENTATION - SATURDAY DECEMBER 3 at 10 a.m.
Florence student orientation will be held at Citrus College in the Center for Innovation, Rm. 159 (CI 159), for all students participating in the Florence program. Florence instructors and AIFS FLORENCE student services representatives will attend. Family members are welcome.

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