# Speaking Italian

Grades 9-12, Italian Language class

| Objectives | Students will learn how to more authentically speak Italian  
| | Students will widen their vocabulary  
| | Students will attempt to comprehend as much Italian as possible spoken by native Italians. |

| Materials | Paper  
| | Pencil  
| | Computer with internet capabilities to use Ustream. |

| Instructions | 1) Students will use Ustream to look up videos of news shows, talk shows, etc. from Italy.  
| | 2) Afterwards, write a short summary of what they understood from the clip.  
| | 3) Students write down 10 vocabulary words that they didn’t know, find the definition, and write a sentence in Italian using the word in the sentence. |

| Assessment | Content of the summary (20 points)  
| | Quality of vocab words and sentences (20 points) |

This assignment addresses Standard 2 of the ISTE NETS-T because it incorporates the use of digital technology into the students’ work.