# DRAFT PERFORMANCE BANDS

## ITALIAN EXTENSION

The typical performance in this band:

| Band E4 | Formulates a sophisticated argument  
|         | Sustains written and spoken argument with a high level of competence  
|         | Demonstrates a sophisticated and extensive knowledge of vocabulary and language structures  
|         | Uses complex and varied language to develop a range of ideas and opinions  
|         | Responds to and evaluates texts critically and sensitively |
| Band E3 | Formulates a detailed and well-developed argument  
|         | Sustains written and spoken argument with clarity  
|         | Demonstrates substantial knowledge of vocabulary and language structures  
|         | Expresses ideas and opinions effectively  
|         | Responds to and analyses texts effectively |
| Band E2 | Attempts to develop and sustain a coherent written and spoken argument  
|         | Demonstrates an adequate knowledge of vocabulary and language structures  
|         | Expresses a limited range of ideas and opinions  
|         | Responds to and comments on texts with some understanding of their meaning and purpose and the effects of language forms and features |
| Band E1 |