



The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes

Italian Vocabulary Lists

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Chapter I – *A Scandal in Bohemia*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
scandalo	scandal, disgrace
dedurre	to deduce, to infer
compromettere	to compromise, to endanger
ricatto	blackmail, extortion
travestimento	disguise, costume
osservare	to observe, to watch
prova	evidence, proof
risolvere	to solve, to resolve
discrezione	discretion, tact
sospetto	suspicion, doubt

Chapter II – *The Red-Headed League*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
lega	league, association
pelrosso	red-haired, ginger
assurdo	absurd, ridiculous
inganno	deception, trickery
scavare	to dig, to excavate
cantina	basement, cellar
conspirazione	conspiracy, plot
scoprire	to discover, to uncover
ricompensa	reward, compensation
tunnel	tunnel, passage

Chapter III – *A Case of Identity*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
identità	identity, individuality
impostore	impostor, fraud
fingere	to pretend, to feign
eredità	inheritance, legacy
fidanzamento	engagement, commitment
ingannare	to deceive, to trick
corrispondenza	correspondence, letters
rivelare	to reveal, to disclose

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
pentimento	repentance, remorse
assenza	absence, lack

Chapter IV – *The Boscombe Valley Mystery*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
omicidio	murder, killing
sospetto	suspicious, suspect
testimone	witness, observer
valle	valley, dale
confessione	confession, admission
inseguimento	pursuit, chase
innocente	innocent, guiltless
colpevole	guilty, responsible
assolvere	to acquit, to absolve
prova	evidence, proof

Chapter V – *The Five Orange Pips*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
minaccia	threat, menace
misterioso	mysterious, strange
avvertimento	warning, caution
spedizione	delivery, shipment
vendetta	revenge, retaliation
inseguire	to pursue, to chase
scomparire	to disappear, to vanish
documento	document, paper
fatale	fatal, deadly
indagare	to investigate, to inquire

Chapter VI – *The Man with the Twisted Lip*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
mendicante	beggar, vagrant
deformato	deformed, twisted
identità	identity, persona
scomparire	to disappear, to go missing

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
frode	deception, fraud
apparente	apparent, seeming
miseria	misery, poverty
finzione	pretense, act
recuperare	to recover, to retrieve
segreto	secret, hidden

Chapter VII – *The Blue Carbuncle*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
gioiello	jewel, gem
carbonchio	carbuncle, gemstone
furto	theft, robbery
sospetto	suspect, suspicious
rintracciare	to trace, to track
prova	evidence, proof
interrogatorio	interrogation, questioning
perdonare	to forgive, to pardon
colpevolezza	guilt, blame
risolvere	to solve, to settle

Chapter VIII – *The Speckled Band*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
banda	band, group
veleno	poison, toxin
stanza	room, chamber
fischiare	to whistle, to hiss
pericolo	danger, risk
patrigno	stepfather, guardian
eredità	inheritance, estate
mortale	deadly, fatal
attaccare	to attack, to assault
terrore	terror, fear

Chapter IX – *The Engineer's Thumb*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
ingegnere	engineer, technician
pollice	thumb, digit
macchinario	machinery, equipment
incidente	accident, mishap
sospetto	suspicion, doubt
violenza	violence, force
fuggire	to escape, to get away
denunciare	to report, to accuse
trappola	trap, snare
pericoloso	dangerous, hazardous

Chapter X – *The Noble Bachelor*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
nobile	nobleman, aristocrat
scomparsa	disappearance, vanishing
matrimonio	marriage, wedding
inganno	deception, deceit
indagare	to investigate, to examine
rivelare	to reveal, to expose
identità	identity, true self
fortuna	fortune, wealth
abbandonare	to abandon, to leave
chiarire	to resolve, to clear up

Chapter XI – *The Beryl Coronet*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
corona	coronet, crown
berillo	beryl, gemstone
furto	theft, stealing
sospetto	suspect, suspicious
tradimento	betrayal, treachery
accusare	to accuse, to charge
innocenza	innocence, blamelessness
rimorso	remorse, regret
proteggere	to protect, to guard
verità	truth, reality

Chapter XII – *The Copper Beeches*

Italian Word	English Meaning(s)
villa	mansion, estate
rapimento	abduction, kidnapping
prigioniero	prisoner, captive
segreto	secret, hidden matter
sorvegliare	to watch, to guard
scoprire	to discover, to uncover
minaccia	threat, danger
salvataggio	rescue, liberation
inganno	deception, trick
giustizia	justice, fairness