

Items Needed for the
IAMLA
ITALIAN AMERICAN MUSEUM OF LOS ANGELES

Photographs

Including portraits, school pictures, videos, films, albums

Personal Belongings

Clothing, accessories, grooming tools, personal memorabilia, books, diaries, school papers, yearbooks

Legal Records

Census papers, immigration and naturalization documents, alien registration cards, property titles, tax records, probate records, bank records, patents, church records, maps

Personal Records

Birth, baptismal, death and marriage certificates, passports, tickets, citizenship papers, diplomas and certificates, ration books, report cards

Oral Histories and Biographies

Journals, diaries, letters, voice and video recordings

Homemaking Items

Cookbooks, utensils, recipes, crafts, cleaning tools, clothing patterns, appliances

Art and Music

Composition books, musical instruments, art supplies, works of art, musical recording, music sheets

Motion Pictures/Theatre

Costumes, wigs, scripts, programs, fan letters, announcements, posters, props

Military Experience

Uniforms, medals, induction and discharge papers, stamps

Sports and Amusement

Toys, sports equipment, period bicycles, trophies

Club and Organizations

Membership/organizational documents and records, newsletters, ceremonial regalia, membership cards, badges, plaques, banners

Religion and Culture

Religious artifacts, mementos, photos of feast day celebrations such as St. Joseph Table

Labor, Business and Professions

Business records, invoices, business cards and records, payroll records, uniforms, union materials, political propaganda, medical instruments, advertisements, lunch boxes,

This is only a brief list. Should you be interested in donating an item that does not appear on the above list or have any questions, please call (213) 485-8432 or email Marianna@italianhall.org.