

Contribution of some Sicilian teachers and students

Claudio Pardini gives the floor to the teachers and students from some Sicilian schools who have been working within the PP&S Project and the LS OSA Project since their beginning.

Mr Miceli, who teaches in a school in Modica, underlines the importance of sharing experiences and materials on the platform with colleagues of other Italian schools, which has led him to improve his knowledge and professional skills; moreover, thanks to the laboratory activities, his students seem to be more involved and enthusiastic.

Salvatore Borgia, a student from Ragusa, states that from practical experiments in the laboratories innovative ideas have arisen.

Mrs Platania, who teaches in Augusta near Siracusa, thanks the Ministry of Education for the PP&S Project which has been fundamental for the innovation in the teaching of Mathematics. In particular, the e-learning platform allows teachers and students to focus on the problem solution, rather than on calculation.

Elena Lombardo, who is a student in her final fifth year, thinks that the two Italian projects have shown her that Mathematics and Physics can be found in everyday life and are no longer abstract notions.