Project title: ***The QPA method: new ways to support and motivate iVET students at particular risk of ESL, including students with migrant or Roma backgrounds***

NEWSLETTER 3

This is the third newsletter the of the project and the whole partnership invites all interested parties to follow the implementation phases of the transfer of innovation.
Information on the content of the project, partnership and implementation are on the website www.qpaproject.eu. The project also is on facebook (https://www.facebook.com/qpaproject).

On the project website is also available a reserved area dedicated to virtual collaboration among the partners. We hope this space is used to develop the interaction between the project partners and to exchange experiences, remarks, observations on the phenomena that affect the program's actions, perceptions and feedback from the target groups, literature concerning the issues of the project, suggestions for improvement.

Since the last newsletter, forwarded at the end of the Trainers training session (WP 3), the project had further implementation through pilot action of QPA method transfer.
The pilot transfer was implemented in three partner countries, Belgium, Italy and Spain, and in the following schools:

- ISTITUTO D'ISTRUZIONE SUPERIORE PAOLO BAFFI – FIUMICINO -IT
- INSTITUT SAINT-JEAN-BAPTISTE DE LA SALLE – BRUXELLES – BE
- LA SALLE TARRAGONA – TARRAGONA – ES.

For each school were involved two classes in which the QPA path has been proposed to the students. The QPA path is implemented in three phases:
- Initial administration of the QPA questionnaire;
- Implementation of a path of development of consciousness on their own learning processes, divided into several modules, with a view to inclusion and integration of foreign students of first and second generation, including the Roma;
- Re-administration of the final QPA questionnaire.

To the pilot implementation has been given particular attention to the aspects concerning the methodology, technology (the questionnaires are completed by students online) and documentation (*rectius*, translation of the QPA method tools in EN, ES, FR), in order to better prepare the transfer of the QPA method on a larger scale, starting from October 2014.

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The pilot implementation processes and the partial results will be exposed in the intermediate dissemination seminar which will take place in Barcelona on September the 19th, 2014, whose program will be announced in the next weeks.

Please note, finally, that in Barcelona is also planned the interim coordination seminar on September 18th, 2014, where will participate the core partners, also because of the interim report of the costs to be transmitted to the European Union.

These are the most relevant news. We call once again to follow us on the website and on facebook.
Till the next newsletter, best regards.
Our contact details are on the website www.qpaproject.eu .

P.S. We are happy to inform you that Dr. Lluís Vicent Safont from Enginyeria La Salle - Universitat Ramon Llull, our core partner in Spain, has been co-opted in ***Reial Acadèmia de Doctors***, the most exclusive Scientific Society of Spain. To Dr. Lluís congratulations from all of us and *ad maiora semper*.

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