



**Sdg-Able Schools  
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Scuola Secondaria di I° grado “Maurizio  
Quadrio”  
Piazza Senatore Libero della Briotta  
Ponte in Valtellina  
Sondrio Italy



# Our school



Our school is located in Ponte in Valtellina, a small village in the Alps.

# The history of our school

Our school is unique and special because it has an ancient history. It was a very prestigious gymnasium managed by Jesuit monks in the 15th century.

Now it's a secondary school with more than 250 students. There are also many extracurricular activities (about which we will talk later).

Then, the place where we live has unique natural landscapes.



**These are  
some of the  
best spots of  
our town**



# What is equality?

Equality is an ideal which consists in giving everyone the same opportunities and treat everyone in the same way (respectfully and with dignity).



# Equality

About equality: goals n. 5 and n. 10 of Agenda 2030.



**Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls.**



**Reduce inequality within and among countries**

# Right to equality

Equality is one of the most important human rights.



The Universal Declaration of Human Rights says: *“Every individual has all rights and freedoms without distinction”*... (art. 2)

Our constitution says: *“All citizens have equal dignity and are equal before the law without distinction”*... (art. 3)



# Equality

- **accept diversity**
- **freedom of expression**
- **mutual support**
- **inclusion**





# Accept diversity

Each of us is unique, each of us is different, we don't have to be scared of what is different.



# Freedom of expression

Everyone must have the opportunity to express their opinion.



# Mutual support

Each of us has so much to teach others and so much to learn from other people. Helping each other is essential to live well with those around us.



# Inclusion

To promote inclusion, in our opinion, we must:

Accept



Support



Understand



Listen

Respect

Help

Learn





**Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all**

## 4th goal

An education that promotes different proposals and initiatives favors open-mindedness and the construction of critical thinking, as well as giving many possibilities that otherwise could not be given.



# What our school does

We think that students must have the possibility to express themselves, their hobbies and their talents. For this reason our school provides the opportunity for students to participate in numerous activities, including:

- Extracurricular activities
- Week of laboratories
- Instrument courses



# Extracurricular courses

Our school organizes afternoon courses where students can enhance or recover skills in subjects such as Italian, Maths, English and German.

Or attend courses where you can do sports or art activities (Tennis, photography, graphics, illustration and carving).



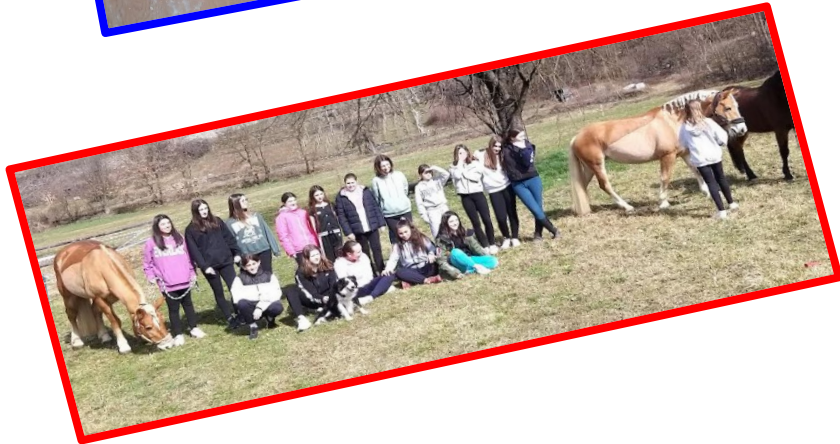
# Week of laboratories

Our school, every year, organizes a week when students don't use books to learn, but participate to practical courses. The students have the possibility to learn sports, manual activities, art and much more.





These are some of the activities of the week of laboratories of this year



# Instrument courses

Our school organizes afternoon courses where students have the possibility to learn how to play an instrument such as the Piano, the Violin, the Flute and the Guitar.



students during an exhibition



This year our school organized, for the students of the instrument courses, a trip to the theatre “Alla Scala” in Milan. That’s the most important theatre in Italy.



# The day of kindness

Kindness is a fundamental behavior for personal relationships.

Without kindness it is difficult to collaborate with others.

Sometimes we forget it, that's why the day of Kindness is important.

*"With kindness, you  
can shake the world"*

Gandhi



Kindness is not a kind of weakness: it's, instead, a sort of hidden power.



# The day of kindness in our school

For the day of kindness our school organizes some activities about solidarity, equality and helping each other.



# “Olimpiadi di Cittadinanza” Prize

( citizenship olympics)

Last week our school came third in a national contest about the fundamental principles of Civic Education.



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION**



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