

# Italy

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY LICEO BROCCHI!

Liceo Ginnasio Statale G.B. Brocchi was founded in 1819, and it is currently celebrating its 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary with lots of events that have involved the school community and the whole town.

Situated in Bassano del Grappa, in the north-east of Italy not far from Venice, it is attended this year by 2330 students, a number which makes it one of the largest schools in Italy. Students attend 6 different courses: classical studies, scientific and applied science courses, social studies, modern languages and socio-economics.

Developing personal, social and citizenship competences has always been a priority at Liceo Brocchi. Various projects have been run so far, both curricular and extracurricular (e.g. Social Day, MEP, YPAC, European projects, once called 'Comenius' and 'Leonardo', now 'Erasmus+'). Moreover, courses to get language certifications in English, German, French and Spanish are organized annually.

Because we at Brocchi are aware that now more than ever it is of fundamental importance to promote in young generations the culture of shared values like equality, respect of diversity, participation and inclusion, we are so glad to offer our students the opportunity of joining the European Youth Forum at Trogen.

