

REGIONE
ABRUZZO



Regione Abruzzo Energy Department

Regional contest

"Energiochi 7"

School year 2011-2012

"Notice"

Art. 1 Object

Regione Abruzzo, Energy Department and **ARAEN** (Regional Energy Agency), in collaboration with the Education Ministry, Regional Education Office, **L'Aquila** university, **Science of Education Faculty** and **Enea**, signed an "Agreement" for a scientific collaboration for all the schools of the region with the aim to raise awareness on Energy matters, the environment and sustainable development. They promote the 7th edition of the regional contest of "Energiochi 7" inviting students to express their views on possible solutions relating to energy efficiency through the development of an elaborate, according to the criteria established in Article 2.

The goal of the contest is to spread the knowledge of the criteria for energy saving and renewable energy sources and the development of a critical consciousness with respect to environmental issues and the ability to gather and process information from the environment for responsible consumption of energy resources.

Thanks to this great education project, "Energiochi" was awarded in Paris during the second regional conference on Energy at Ile de France and it was acknowledged at Campidoglio in Rome, as "Best practise" on energy. The careful and very valuable educational activity conducted in several years and with great skill by the teachers of the school body, in previous editions of "Energiochi", contributes to the achievement of the objectives of the European Union by 20/20/20, or achieve in 2020 the reduction of energy consumption by 20% and development of renewable energy sources by 20%. These objectives are enshrined in the Covenant of Mayors initiative on sustainability and efficiency of European energy policy at local and regional level, signed by the European Commission with all the towns in Abruzzo, supported by the provinces and the region itself. Also this year an "agreement" between Regione Abruzzo and

the County of Avila (Spain) and the regional Marramures (Romania) was signed for the exchange of experiences between Regione Abruzzo and the Energy Agency of Avila and Marramures, guided tours with them through the exchange of experiences between students enrolled in the respective Contest "Energiochi" - "Energgame". "Energiochi" has finally received recognition by the European Commission for joining the campaign Sustainable Energy Europe. The prize-giving event held in the last edition "Energiochi 6" has been recognized as an Energy Day in direct connection via video conference with members of the DG ENERGY of the European Commission in Brussels, with members of FEDARENE (Association of European agencies and regions for energy and the environment), and Denmark.

Art. 2 Participation criteria

Kindergartens	A	1) Drawing	Education project
Elementary schools		2) Dancing	
Middle schools	B	3) Singing	
High schools	C	4) Drama	
		Technical practical Project	
		Experimental technical Project	

Depending on the type of school, students must compulsory submit the elaborate accompanied by the didactic project

What it is meant by:

A₁ Drawing: Pupils can choose to prepare a free drawing using any technique, a collage, a painting, using any type of material cardboard, canvas, plywood, cardboard canvas, glass, plastic, wood, etc.. with crayons or markers, or waxes or tempera or acrylic, oil, or materials, or waste materials, natural, etc.. The dimensions and materials are completely free.

A₂ Dancing: Pupils can choose to compose a dance, but with the explicit demonstration of the concept of "Energy" (source, use, waste, processing, etc.), using a backing track or voice. The representation must not exceed 5 minutes.

A₃ Singing: Pupils can choose to prepare a song, with or without music, with the explicit demonstration of the concept of "Energy" (source, use, waste, processing, etc.). The song must not exceed the period of 5 minutes.

A₄ Drama: Pupils can choose to prepare a play, with or without music, with any material, but with the explicit demonstration of the concept of "Energy" (source, use, waste, processing, etc.). The representation must not exceed 8 minutes

B Technical Practical Project: Pupils of middle school must create a project/model that represents ENERGY (source, use, waste, transformation, etc...), they are free to use any material.

C Experimental tecnica project: Pupils of high school must create a project/model that represents ENERGY IN THE FUTURE (source, use, waste, transformation, etc...), they are free to use any material

Didactic Project: the teacher must describe, in word format, in a single A4 sheet, the final analysis of the paper, explaining in simple terms what has been promoting the idea and illustrating the various stages of learning and involvement of pupils.

Art. 3 Requirements for admission

All state and private schools of Abruzzo can participate from kindergarten, elementary, middle and high school.

How and when to submit the application

The application for participation in the competition "Energiochi 7" is allowed by filling out the attached form or contact information is <http://energiochi.regione.abruzzo.it>, or by requesting it by telephone at the numbers listed on the last page "Contacts" section of this notice. The application must be sent by postal mail or fax by December 15, 2011.

Art. 4 Sending of the elaborates

**THE ENVELOPE WITH CD or DVD containing the works,
MUST BE SHIPPED WITHIN AND NO LATER THAN March 31, 2012**

The drawings should be photographed and placed along with the didactic project (Word format) on a CD or DVD, and sent in a sealed envelope. Envelope must be included in the covering letter, on which state: the school and the class, the number of pupils and the teacher who carried out the elaborate.

The Dance, the Song and the play must be recorded with the video / audio camera with the didactic project (Word format) on a DVD, and sent in a sealed envelope. Envelope must be included in the covering letter, on which it is stated: the school and the class, the number of pupils and the teacher who carried out the elaborate.

The Technical Project and the practical experimental Project, should be photographed throughout their creation. The photographs should be put on CD or DVD and sent in a sealed envelope. Envelope must be included in the covering letter, on which it is stated: the school and the class, the number of pupils and the teacher who carried out the elaborate.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The originals must be absolutely at the School. Send the envelope containing the CD or DVD to:

Regione Abruzzo/ARAEN
Servizio Politica Energetica
Via Passolanciano n. 75-65124 Pescara

Writing on the envelope: "Elaborate Energiochi 7 Competition".

The "elaborate" must be developed by the entire class or forming a group with other classes. We do not accept the elaborates developed by subgroups of class. Only one elaborate per class or group will be accepted. In the event that more elaborates prepared by the same class or subgroups are received, they will be automatically excluded from the competition.

Art. 5 Methods of evaluation and ranking

The basic requirements for evaluation are:

1. The relevance of the subject matter of competition
2. The compliance with the directions
3. Procedures and use of the materials used;
4. Originality and experimentation;
5. The effectiveness of communication;

The "elaborates" will be evaluated according to the basic requirements established. If the evaluation does not reach the sufficiency, the elaborate will not be considered for the award of the first three prizes, but only for the award of special prizes.

Art. 6 Competition commission

The works are evaluated by the commission whose decisions are unappealable, made of 5 members:

- ♥ A representative of the Education Ministry, Regional School Office
- ♥ A representative of L'Aquila university, Faculty of Training Science
- ♥ A representative of Regione Abruzzo, Energy Department
- ♥ A representative of ARAEN
- ♥ A representative of the "Teatro Stabile d'Abruzzo"
- ♥ An expert of ENEA for the tecnica projects of high schools

The works of Secondary Schools, as well as being assessed by the Competition Commission Energiochi will be assessed by the European

Commission made up of technicians as well as national experts from Europe, in addition to receiving recognition as a European "School Project for Sustainable Energy Europe".

The award of the special European prize will be published on the institutional site of Region Abruzzo, on the European site "EEA" and on Enea site.

Art. 7 Awards

The first three classified for each level of education will be awarded as follows:

1° prize = € 800,00 2° prize = € 600,00 3° prize = € 400,00

The Commission has the right to assign special awards of different types but never higher than the second prize, moreover, only one class of secondary school per province will be awarded by the European Commission with a prize of € 1.000,00.

Art. 8 Results

The final results will be published on the website of Region Abruzzo, at <http://energiochi.regione.abruzzo.it> before **April 20th, 2012**. Furthermore, this communication will be sent to the Education Department where the school belongs. These publications replace for all purposes of law the winner's notice.

Art. 9 Awards

The winners will be invited to participate free of charge at the awards ceremony, which will take place by the end of the school year, in one of the 4 provinces of Abruzzo. How and when this event will be carried out will be communicated directly to the winning schools.

Art. 10 Available resources

Upon written request, Regione Abruzzo will make available:

- ARAEN technical staff, Energy Department of Region Abruzzo and Faculty of Education university teachers, for direct interventions in the participating classes, to study the issues that are the subject of the competition;
- study visits at plants producing energy from renewable sources, located on the territory of Abruzzo, depending on availability of these facilities;
- reimbursement of expenses incurred (max. € 500,00 for Management Education) for the preparation of the papers.

Art. 11 Use of elaborates and processing of personal data

The organizers of the contest may include promotional initiatives, in times and modes to be determined, including the publication of a collection of elaborates received in an official CD. Participants in the competition, through the application, without further written release, but remaining the legitimate owners of the copyrights, agree that their "elaborates" are being taken by the publisher of the official edition Energiochi; they further agree not to have any claims to any title or right, with respect to any such initiatives. Participants decline the right to request any photographic, phonographic, TV and radio rights, their performance is to be considered free.

Participation in the competition "Energiochi 7" implies acceptance of all items contained in this announcement. The non-acceptance of even one of them, cancel the participation in the Competition.

According to D. Decree 196/03, all personal data of which will be in possession of Regione Abruzzo, will be used only as regards the competition and activities related to it. The data collected will not be in any way communicated or disclosed to third parties for purposes other than those of the competition.

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