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IMMIGRATION SCENARIO IN CALABRIA

Starting in the 1990s, , the position of Southern Italy in the world migratory scenario changed radically. From a region historically characterized by *e-migration* (towards the North of the country and abroad), despite the high unemployment rate and economic stagnation, Southern Italy became a region of *in-migration*, a privileged 'gate' for incoming flows (low-skilled and educated workers from Central and Eastern Europe, the Mediterranean countries, Africa, Asia and Latin America).

Calabria – like Sicily – is invested by the phenomenon of the so-called 'illegal landings', i.e. the arrival of floating boats full of people fleeing war zones and seeking asylum.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ybfzVFrMz6s&t=5s>

(Migrants celebrate arrival in Italy)

The Crotone area hosts the biggest Migrant Centre in Europe, SANT'ANNA REGIONAL HUB, consisting of a Welcome Centre for Immigrants and a Welcome Centre for asylum seekers. It is opposite the airport that shares the same name. Since it was opened, during the time when Kosovan refugees landed in Puglia, in 1999, more than 70 thousand people have passed through the walls of this ex-military base.



In the Hub there are 256 apartments kept for women, children and families.

Two thirds of the “guests” are sent by plane directly from Lampedusa. The rest, mainly Iraqis and Afghans travel to Italy from Greece, hidden on one of the many ferry boats that leave Patra destined to Italy’s Adriatic ports. Then there are the Nigerians, the Somalis, Ghanaians, Eritreans, Ivorians and Togolese, altogether more than 40 nationalities.

Assistance to migrants is also given by Crotona Town Hall and by a network of social cooperatives , offering the following services: linguistic and intercultural mediation, hospitality, orientation and access to the services in the territory, vocational training, integration into the world of work, support in social integration, legal support, psycho-social- health assistance.



On the Road- the Hope's Camper, born in 2010, is a solidarity-based project managed thanks to street volunteers (priests, doctors, teachers, politicians, the Mayor himself and others) who want to help the increasing number of migrants in the Crotona area.

It is a mobile street unit which runs through the streets in Crotona to lend a hand to marginalised people, through the distribution of hot meals for dinner from 19.00 o'clock onward.



EDUCATION AND TRAINING FOR MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES IN CALABRIA

In the Calabria Region a network of CPIAs (CPIAs- PROVINCIAL CENTRES FOR ADULT EDUCATION and TRAINING) supplies services and activities aimed at the education of adults and migrants, this considered as a means for the personal, social, cultural and economic growth of the whole citizenry.

They are in close contact with local autonomous organizations and with the employers present on the territory. They can be considered as an educational laboratory, but also as organizations fostering the integration process, addressing the demands and needs of the territory.



Crotone CPIA offers:

1. Language and social integration courses for foreigners (Italian L2);
2. first instruction cycle final certification (licenza media) for adults and migrants;
3. Programmes aimed at acquiring the first 2 years of upper secondary education;
4. first instruction cycle final certification (licenza media) and Italian language courses for inmates in prison.

The Regional "FAMI" project (Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund)

"CALABRIA FRIENDS"



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The Calabria Region is fostering the integration of Migrants and refugees through the F.A.M.I. Project, **CALABRIA FRIENDS**, in order to constitute an area of freedom, security and justice based on solidarity between Member States.

It aims at supporting actions to contribute to the efficient management of migration flows and the implementation, strengthening and development of a common Union approach to asylum and immigration.

The specific objectives are:

- Improving the migrants' language skills and their knowledge of the Constitutional Settlement of Italy;
- Strengthening the role of CPIAs in Italy as centres for the Italian language learning , for the access to the training credit,as foreseen in the Integration Agreement;
- Extending the training offer for migrants;
- Integrating the project proposal with other interventions with the same objective.



I.I.S. PERTINI-SANTONI'S ROLE IN PROMOTING SOCIAL AND EDUCATIONAL INCLUSION OF MIGRANTS IN EUROPE



I.I.S. "PERTINI-SANTONI" actively promotes the migrants integration through educational projects on migration, such "Europe starts in Lampedusa supported by the Italian Ministry of Education, in collaboration with Comitato 3 Ottobre.

The project goal is to: promote learning opportunities for young European in the framework of intercultural education, foster a culture of reception and solidarity in the struggle against intolerance, racism and discrimination, and to promote inclusion and social integration of migrants.

OUR MOTTO



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