

TYPE

Educational game

TOPIC

Guidance, soft skills, job discovery, promoting self awareness and knowledge of the Italian labour market, promoting the use of technology.

OBJECTIVES

Help students discover professions, skills and soft skills necessary to perform in the professional field.

BENEFICIARIES

Lower secondary school students.

CITTÀ DEI MESTIERI CARD GAME – ITALIAN VERSION

► DESCRIPTION

The educational cards game "Città dei Mestieri" is aiming to help young people understand in a playful way the work environment, through the discovery of thirty professions. Each player's goal is to complete a card related to a specific profession. They have to pass tests necessary to acquire the training and skills required for the professions on their card. For example, among the professions offered to be explored there are: engineer, car mechanic, business consultant, web designer, carpenter, policeman and veterinarian.

The game is also designed to fight professional and gender stereotypes that lead to a distorted knowledge of the professions, thus influencing educational and professional choices.

The participants learn about new professions, expand their knowledge of others already known and learn about necessary skills to perform certain jobs. The player who completes their profession card by winning the six necessary elements (1 training/certificate, 3 specific skills, 2 transversal skills) has to pass different kind of tests, such as general knowledge questions, skill tests related to individual professions, creativity tests, communication, precision.

► KEY FIGURES

- More than 500 games produced
- More than 1000 students involved in the game

► RESULTS AND IMPACT

The game turns out to be a fun tool that involves all the participants. Through this activity, students have the opportunity to think about the characteristics and skills needed to be able to better face a specific profession.



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