



A Platform for Road Safety Education in Schools

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Towards a European road safety area: policy orientations on road safety 2011-2020

TARGET:

- 50% Road Traffic Deaths by 2020

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

- 1) Improve education and training of road users
 - 2) Increase enforcement of road rules
 - 3) Safer road infrastructures
 - 4) Safer vehicles
 - 5) Promote the use of modern technology to increase road safety
 - 6) Improve emergency and post-injuries services
 - 7) Protect vulnerable road users

"The Commission proposes to promote a wider approach and view education and training as an overall process, a lifelong 'educational continuum'. Interactive methods and the acquisition of autonomy should be encouraged, while taking duly into account the need to keep the cost of the licence at a reasonable level."

Communication of the European Commission, COM(2010) 389 final





POLICY ORIENTATIONS ON ROAD SAFETY 2011-2020







National Road Safety Plan, Horizon 2020

Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport

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dipartimento per i trasporti, la navigazione ed i sistemi informativi e statistic DIREZIONE GENERALE PER LA SICUREZZA STRADALE



- 100% Child road deaths
- 50% Motorcycle deaths
- 60% Cyclist deaths
- 60% Pedestrian deaths
- 50% Work-related traffic deaths

STRATEGIC LINES:

1) Improve education and training of road users

PNSS ORIZZONTE 2020



174.539 road accidents3.428 deaths246.920 injured persons





Source: ISTAT-ACI "Incidenti Stradali – Anno 2015"

Road users most at risk:

Vulnerable road users



Youths



The most frequent driving misbehaviours:

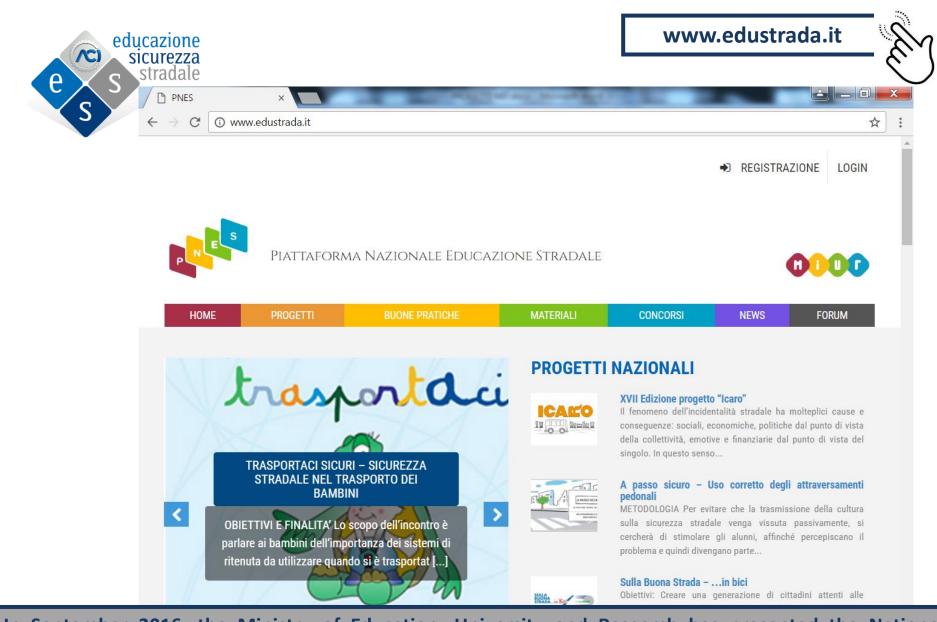
Distraction



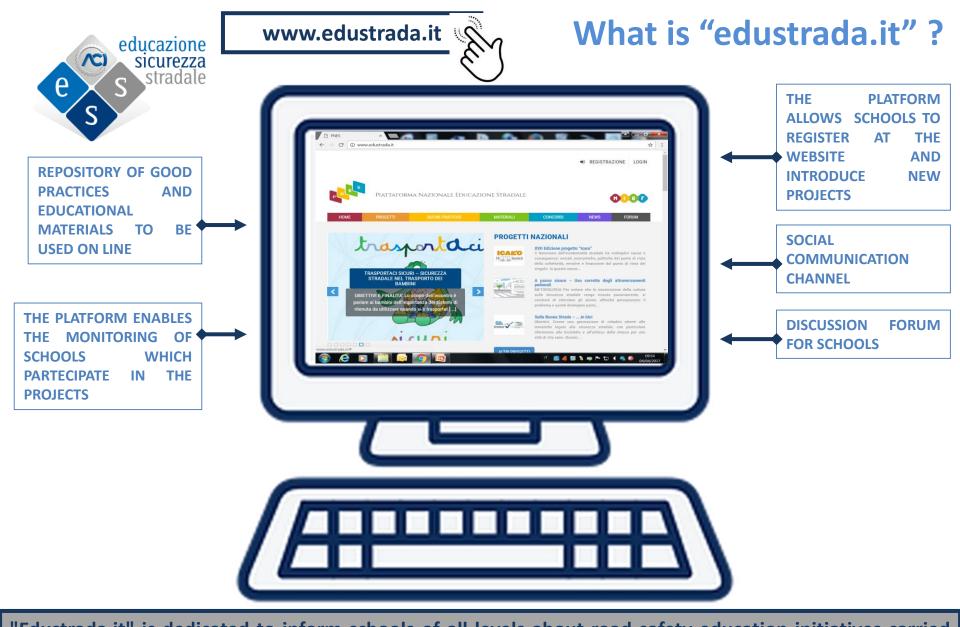
High speed







In September 2016, the Ministry of Education, University and Research has presented the National Platform for Road Safety Education, an online portal (www.edustrada.it) - developed in collaboration with other bodies, including the Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport and the Automobile Club d'Italia (ACI) - aimed at improving road safety education in schools



"Edustrada.it" is dedicated to inform schools of all levels about road safety education initiatives carried out by public institutions and by other organizations working in this field. The platform enables the collection and exchange between schools of information and educational contents with regard to road safety, accident prevention, respect of road traffic regulations and sustainable mobility

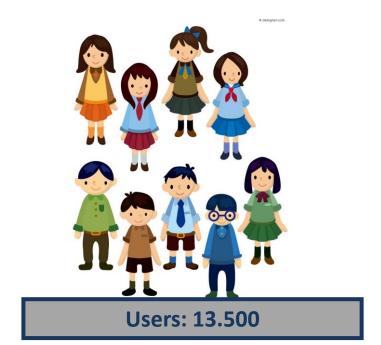
Monitoring







Schools registered: 1.113





Registered Users in the Forum: 1.117





Automobile Club d'Italia

- A NON PROFIT PUBLIC BODY
- A FEDERATION OF 106 LOCAL AUTOMOBILE CLUBS
- ACI REPRESENTS AND PROTECTS THE INTERESTS OF ITALIAN MOTORISM, PROMOTING ITS DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE DIFFUSION OF A NEW CULTURE OF MOBILITY
- A GROUP OF CONTROLLED / ASSOCIATED COMPANIES

ACI STATUTORY TASKS:

 To study motoring issues, advance proposals and give advice on request from the Authorities aiming at the promotion and development of motoring

- To spread a car culture in line with the principles of environmental protection, a sustainable development, and safety
- To cooperate with the Authorities to the development and organisation of the mobility of persons and goods, to develop and improve the road network, the road signs system and road assistance services
- To promote and foster development of internal and international motor tourism
- To promote and organise motor sport activities
- To promote the education of car drivers and road users aiming at road safety
- To devise assistance schemes to facilitate the use of motor vehicles

The Road safety education is the mission of ACI.

Since the years '50 ACI has carried out many publications on the issue of road safety, addressed to schoolchildren of all levels.

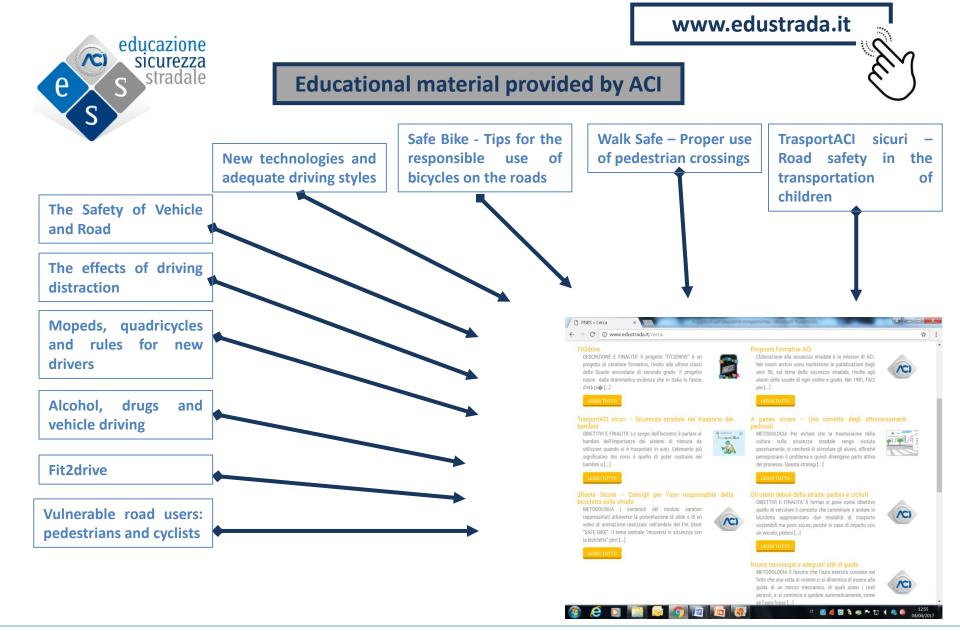
In 1981, ACI tested some pilot projects (with the approval of the Ministries of Education and Public Works) for the introduction of road safety education in schools.

In 1982, ACI proposed a popular initiative law aimed at teaching road safety education in schools of all levels.

Since 1993, when the new Highway Code imposed the introduction of road safety education in all schools, ACI has started to collaborate with the Ministry of Education in the set up of the road safety education programs, predisposing appropriate programs and texts for teachers.

The cooperation between ACI and the Ministry of Education it is confirmed by the recent memorandum of understanding in which the Parties agree that the Ministry of Education will make use of the ACI for the provision of appropriate programs to be carried out as compulsory work in schools of all levels. For this activity, ACI uses the local Automobile Clubs.

Teachers can contact the Automobile Clubs and requesto the implementation of joint initiatives.







Road safety education means to increase young people's awareness of the dangers of misbehavior.

Educators, parents and institutions have the task of giving young people the TOOLS needed to develop a strong civic consciousness, leading to RESPECT the rules and IMPROVE AWARENESS of their limitations.







Thanks for your attention



