



LICEO STATALE  
“Publio Virgilio Marone”  
AVELLINO

The High School was named after the famous Latin poet Publio Virgilio Marone not by chance. The choice was made on purpose to highlight the humanistic inspiration of the school.

The Latin poet is the highest representative of the Italian classical culture of the past and an authoritative source of information because he mentioned very ancient places in the province of Irpinia in his long poem The Aeneid, identifying them with the door to hell

The serene and successful upbringing of the pupils during their adolescence is the main objective of the school. Helping them to become active citizens is the focus of the various activities of the school.

Since 2010 the school has been awarded as Ambassador of UNICEF and gained the title of School for Children and Youth because the Virgil is in full harmony with the fundamental principles of the Convention on the Rights of the Child for the attentive listening to the training needs of the child, the respect for inclusion, non-discrimination and equal opportunities, with great attention to the problems of the territory. The school provides also plenty of courses to help the pupils to develop the skills required by the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

## **A brush stroke to violence!**

The High School Publio Virgilio Marone took part in national day against violence on women.

Pupils painted this red bench so as to send an extremely important message to raise awareness on this topic and also to be active against any form of discrimination

