



**Activity "Pupils' voice"**  
**(Visit to Italy)**

**Nowadays, thanks to modern teaching methods, we are increasingly aware that students learn better if they actively participate in lessons.**

**The "flipped classroom " method, that makes students teachers to pass on their knowledge to their peers, is proof of that.**

**Pupils are protagonists, they express their ideas and their "voice" in a real teaching and learning tool.**

**During the visit to Italy, thanks to the "Pupils ' voice" activity organized in the Council Chamber of the Municipality of Camporotondo Etneo, Italian and Welsh pupils talked and compared their own local Youth Councils.**



**The Italian baby mayor explained how, thanks to the baby council, students have the opportunity to meet, talk, express their ideas and discuss what can be done to improve, not only the school, but the town they live in, too.**



**One of the Welsh students,  
spokesperson for his team,  
showed a PowerPoint and  
explained why their Youth Town  
Council was created and what  
are its purposes.**



**The Welsh Youth Town Council was created as a way for young people to have their say on what needs to be done in Burry Port and Pembrey. The Youth Town Council allows young people to discuss relevant issues, make decisions for themselves and improve the lives of the young people within their community. The overall aim for the Youth Town Council is to improve the facilities and resources in Burry Port and Pembrey for teenagers.**

**After comparing the two Baby/Youth Councils, the Welsh, Italian, Bulgarian and Portuguese pupils, on the occasion of the celebration of the Italian flag festival, talked and showed Powerpoints on the history of their own flag, giving the opportunity to all the teachers and pupils present in the Council Chamber, to share information and learn about the culture of the partner countries.**





