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Per un pugno di libri “scientifici”: a divulgation project for high-school students

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This project was proposed for the first time during the European Researchers'Night in November 2020 in Catania. The idea, taken from the famous RAI3 program “Per un pugno di libri”, was adapted to consider books of scientific divulgation and, in that occasion, a competition was organized between two local high schools.

After the edition in Catania, the project in 2021-2022 has been extended and now it involves high schools from Cagliari, Catania, Firenze, and Napoli. The local organizers choose and propose to students a scientific book on which several questions and games are devised, and after a local selection, competitions among schools of the different cities are organized, either online or in presence. In particular, the book chosen by the Napoli group for the local competition was “L'Enigma dei Raggi cosmici” by Alessandro De Angelis, ed. Springer. Given the enthusiastic and positive results by the teachers and the students, we're going to organize the second edition of the project which will start in November 2022.

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