



TURIN INSTITUTE FOR THE DEAF

Istituto dei Sordi di Torino

Pianezza, ITALY



WHERE WE ARE: in Torino, North-West of Italy

## WHO WE ARE

We are a no profit foundation (charity) established in 1814 by the King of Savoy, providing a complete range of services for d/Deaf people, regardless of age, gender, religion, ethnicity.



From the very beginning the institution provided both

- educational programm for Deaf and hard-of-hearing students
- training for future teachers of Deaf students

The old building in Turin,  
Via Assarotti n. 12





WHAT ARE WE DOING TODAY

# 1. Educational services supporting mainstream schools where a d/Deaf students are enrolled

- 240 students from kindergarden to University supported on demand of the Local school districts
- The pedagogic supervisor observes the d/Deaf student in the classroom and makes recommendations for designing the school programm adaptations and manages training for the teachers
- Consulting services include support to the classroom with an educator/teacher specialized in d/Deaf education (8-10 hours per week, in addition to the Special Aid Teacher provided by the government)

## 2. Vocational training for young Deaf, taking care of the transition from high school to the job world (cooking classes)



# 3. Language classes

- Italian for d/Deaf foreigners and refugees
- Italian for d/Deaf university students
- English (for d/Deaf)
- Italian Sign Language (for all)
- American Sign Language (for all)
- Afternoon classes for d/Deaf students



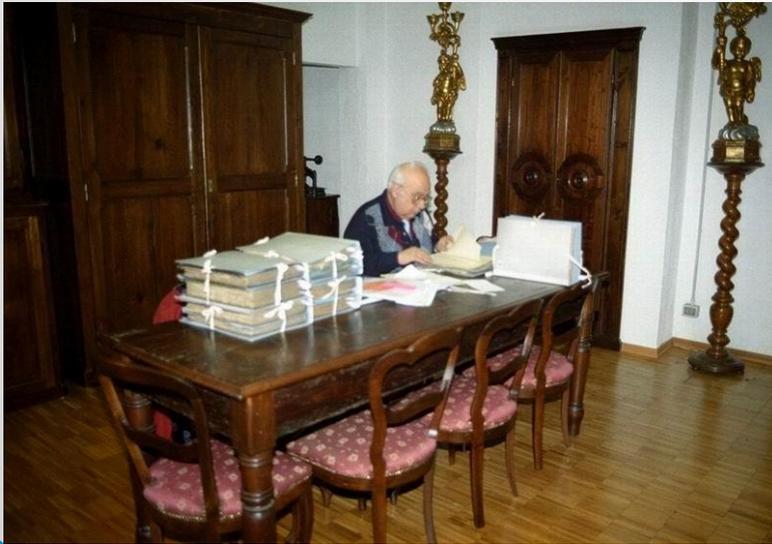
# 4. Social housing

Two social housing apartments for d/Deaf adults with additional problems (socio-economic; multi-impairment, ecc.)



# 5. Specialized library

- We have a Library that contain about 4.500 books and a wide variety of magazine specialized in Deaf Studies and an historical archive, open 5 days per week, providing informations to researchers, teachers and families.



# 6. Accessibility of cultural places

OUR COLLABORATIONS/PROJECTS IN PIEMONTE AND AOSTA VALLEY

Castello di Rivoli



MAV



GAM



Casa Cavassa





Il Castello di Rivoli si trova all'entrata della Valle di Susa, è un edificio imponente e domina la Valle.

The YouTube logo, consisting of the word "You" in black and "Tube" in white inside a red rounded rectangle.

<https://youtu.be/2ojSPgiEbLA>



Quest'opera d'arte rappresenta un'installazione che protegge e allo stesso tempo svela l'anima.



# Other services

1. Counselling to the Public Employment Services and support to the d/Deaf workers in the placement period
2. Training for future teacher for Deaf pupils
3. Speech therapy
4. Kindergarten for hearing and d/Deaf students
5. European and other research projects





## OUR CONTACTS

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