The Istituto Tecnico Commerciale “Cesare Beccaria”, located in Carbonia, was founded in 1992 as a High School for Commerce and Business Administration. Later, in 2001, Tourism and IT courses were added to the main course.

In 2009 the ITC “C.Beccaria” merged with the Vocational School for Agriculture “Cettolini”, located in the small towns of Santadi and Villamassargia, thus becoming the I.I.S. “C. Beccaria”.

Today our school offers a modern alternative for training in line with the trends for broad integration of computer technology in society, the growing need for language learning and the need for social adaptation in the structures of civil and economic society.

At the moment it offers courses in

- Management, Finance and Marketing
- Business Information Systems
- Tourism
- Development, Production and Marketing of agricultural and agro-industrial products

The school consists of 655 students (aged from 14 to 19) and 70 teachers.

Classes begin at 8.30 a.m. and finish at 1.30 p.m. (at 2.30 p.m. - two days a week).

In our school there are 4 IT laboratories, 1 Physics-Chemistry-Biology laboratory, 1 library, 1 gym and an open-air volleyball field.

The main technical/vocational subjects are Business Studies, Information Technology, Foreign Languages (English, French, Spanish), Law and Political Economy.

The area of the Sulcis Iglesiente, where our schools are active, presents various critical issues both in the economical field (related to the closedown of mining and metallurgical industries, which means a high unemployment rate) and in the social sector (most of the young people are moving to other parts of Italy or to other European countries). Our school, as well as our participation in the Project, tries to meet the needs of a society in constant scientific, technical and structural evolution.