

## **Analyzing and influencing policies**

Financed by the Baltic American Partnership Programme in 2001 and 2002 we dealt with the educational policy issues related to Civics. Using the previous achievements of our activities and the international relations of the Centre we developed conceptual principles for fostering Civics. The idea of the principles is to consider Civics to be not only as one of the compulsory school subjects, but much more broadly as a specific educational area in the life of the society. The results of the project we performed at the meeting of education specialists in summer 2002 in Rapla county in Estonia. The outcomes of the project were formulated in the final document available in Estonian.