PORTUGUESE FOR FOREIGNERS

[Booklet]



Bem-vindo! (Welcome!)

iTEAM, in partnership with the School of Languages from FEA's Academic Center offers to all foreign students the Course of Portuguese for Foreigners. Our objective is to provide you with the best experience and support you can have in learning our language! We also expect you can enjoy as much as possible all the aspects of the Brazilian culture!







iTEAM

iTEAM is the University of São Paulo's Welcome Club. We are an entity of students interested in international experiences.

Our mission: To motivate foreigners and brazilian students to participate in USP's international environment.

We do this through by offering INTEGRATION, INFORMATION and SUPPORT to all the foreigners in the campus of Ribeirão Preto. Come visit us!





Develop the four linguistic competencies (speaking, listening, reading and writing), according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (A1, A2, B1, B2, C1, C2)

Improve the students knowledge in Portuguese language in order to facilitate their **integration**, **academic life** and their **daily activities in Brazil**;

Offer a dynamic course based on realistic and relevant materials and situations;

Stimulate and empower students to enjoy the most of the Brazilian culture and context with a **clear understanding about the Portuguese Language**.

Courses Offered in 2013-2

Course (1x per week)	
Basic 1	Monday 13:30 – 15:10
Basic 2	Monday 15:30 – 17:10
Basic for Spanish speakers	Wednesday 13:30 – 15:10
Intermediate	Wednesday 15:30 – 17:10

+ 60' of weekly conversation practice

Minimum of **4 students per class** Length: **4 months 4x R\$ 80,00** (Total: R\$ 320,00) Courses designed based on the European Framework of Reference for language

Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

A1: Breakthrough or beginner

- Can understand and use familiar everyday expressions and very basic phrases aimed at the satisfaction of needs of a concrete type.
 - Can introduce him/herself and others and can ask and answer questions about personal details such as where he/she lives, people he/she knows and things he/she has.
 - Can interact in a simple way provided the other person talks slowly and clearly and is prepared to help.

A2: Waystage or elementary

- Can understand sentences and frequently used expressions related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.g. very basic personal and family information, shopping, local geography, employment).
- Can communicate in simple and routine tasks requiring a simple and direct exchange of information on familiar and routine matters;
 - Can describe in simple terms aspects of his/her background, immediate environment and matters in areas of immediate need

B1: Threshold or intermediate

- Can understand the main points of clear standard input on familiar matters regularly encountered in work, school, leisure;
 - Can deal with most situations likely to arise whilst travelling in an area where the language is spoken;
- Can produce simple connected text on topics that are familiar or of personal interest;
- Can describe experiences and events, dreams, hopes & ambitions and briefly give reasons and explanations for opinions and plans.

B2: Vantage or upper intermediate

- Can understand the main ideas of complex text on both concrete and abstract topics, including technical discussions in his/her field of specialization;
 - Can interact with a degree of fluency and spontaneity that makes regular interaction with native speakers quite possible without strain for either party;
- Can produce clear, detailed text on a wide range of subjects and explain a viewpoint on a topical issue giving the advantages and disadvantages of various options.

Intensive course for CELPE BRAS

CELPE BRAS

Tuesdays and Thursdays 13:30 – 15:10

The intensive course for CELPE BRAS was designed specially for those who are interested in taking the Brazilian Portuguese Proficiency Test. Exams will happen from **22 to 24 of october**.

> Minimum of **4 students** per class Length: **3 months 3x R\$ 160,00** (Total: R\$ 480,00)

Get to Know Your Teacher!



Lilian Carvalho

- Graduation in English/Portuguese Languages and respective Literatures from Unesp
- Master degree in Linguistics from UFSCar
- Portuguese Teacher for missionaries at Centro de Integração Cultural – Missão Batista do Sul do Brasil
- English and Portuguese teacher to 6th 11th graders and youth and adults at Prefeitura Municipal de Ribeirão preto
- ETS TOEIC Certification (Test of English for International Communication)



Placement Test

Monday 05/08 14:00

Introduction to the Course
Contracts and doubts about the course
Placement test: written and oral

The student will be placed in one of the courses described before according to the placement test score

Where: Faculdade de Economia, Adminsitração e Contabilidade de Ribeirão Preto/ USP, Block B-1, **Room 8.**

Please fill the subscription form for the placement test!

http://bit.ly/portugueseusp







NOS VEMOS LÁ! (See you there!)

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