

## CURRICULAR UNIT FILE

School: Escola Superior de Gestão e Tecnologia de Santarém

Academic Year 2023 / 2024

Code	Scientific Area	ECTS	Compulsory /Elective	Semester	Academic Year
	CSH	3,0	Elective	1st/2nd semester	

### Portuguese Language

Distribution of Contact Hours by type of education						
Total	theoretical	theoretical / practical	practical and Laboratory	Field Work	seminar	Tutorial
30h		30h				

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Learning outcomes of the curricular unit:

The objectives of this course unit are:

- Based on a communication approach, this Unit is focused on the one hand, on grammar acquisition, as the students do not have enough knowledge of the Portuguese language to maintain a fluent conversation; on the other hand, on lexical and functional acquisition. Basic structures will be presented in a simple way, so that the ability to communicate is not affected by more complex structures. The learning contents were selected based on their utility to the students, given the fact that, in most cases, this is their first contact with the Portuguese Language.
- To prepare the students for the different skills of the Portuguese language – speaking, writing, listening, and reading, thus improving their ability to communicate in Portuguese.
- To help students to perform their daily activities, developing their language skills that will be necessary for their academic or informal life.

#### Syllabus:

- Personal Identification
- Describing people and things
- Greetings
- Daily routine
- Family relationships and housing
- Public services
- Shopping
- Food and lodging
- Offering and asking for help
- Understanding instructions

#### Grammar:

- Pronouns (personal; interrogative; possessive; demonstrative; reflexive; indefinite)
- Articles (definite and indefinite)
- Nouns
- Adjectives
- Prepositions (time and movement)
- Prepositional phrases
- Adverbs
- Verbs and verbal structures
- Expressions of courtesy
- Time expressions

#### Demonstration of the syllabus coherence with the curricular unit's objectives

The contents of this Curricular Unit aim at providing the students with the skills to deal appropriately with day-to-day situations in which the use of the Portuguese Language is required. To achieve these results, students will do reading and listening exercises with relevant texts to facilitate the acquisition of words and expressions necessary for everyday situations. They will also produce oral and written texts to consolidate their knowledge of grammar and enhance their Portuguese Language skills for day-to-day life.

#### Teaching methodologies:

The methods used in this curricular unit will be student-centered and task-based presenting a progressive development of the difficulty of the exercises applied to encourage the development of active listening and speaking skills, as well as proficient reading and writing activities appropriate for their level. Thus, students will participate in spontaneous individual and group oral activities to encourage fluency.

## EVALUATION:

- Written Test: 75%
- Classwork: 25%

Demonstration of the coherence between the teaching methodologies and the learning outcomes

The production of oral and written exercises and the ability to understand what is said in a foreign language, considering a specific context, will be the methodology adequate for the development of the abilities of language acquisition. Writing, reading, understanding, and speaking skills, developed during the course, will help the learners to use a language other than their own and be able to solve language situations they may face in their daily lives. The classes, with a strong practical character, will function as the support needed for the development of language skills to be used in a personal or academic environment.

Bibliografia Principal/ Bibliography:

Grammar:

- <http://www.fnac.pt/Gramatica-do-Portugues-Actual-Jose-de-Almeida-Moura/a68227>
- Dicionário da Língua Portuguesa da Porto Editora - com Acordo Ortográfico
- Grande Dicionário da Língua Portuguesa. Lisboa, José Pedro Machado, Circulo de Leitores

Web Resources:

<https://www.linguee.com/english-portuguese>

<http://www.infopedia.pt/lingua-portuguesa/>

Instituto Camões <http://www.instituto-camoes.pt/>

Books:

OLIVEIRA, Carla; COELHO, Luísa; BALLMANN, Maria José. *Aprender Português – Português para Estrangeiros*. Texto Editores, Lda., 2006