GENERAL OBJECTIVE

Develop basic skills in the use of Portuguese - verbal and written.

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

At the end of training, students should be able to:

• Develop of speaking, listening, reading and writing skills; acquire, expand and use new vocabulary, grammatical structures and language functions.
• Use language skills, so that they are able to express their ideas and opinions about situations in a simple, clear and coherent way.
• Create communicative situations in order to use Portuguese in professional and every day contexts.

CONTENTS

• Greetings and salutations
• Giving personal information
• Distinguishing between formal and informal language
• Talking about work and routines
• Describing people and things
• Inviting, accepting and declining
• Asking and giving direction
• Expressing tastes and preferences
• Talking about different situations and experiences in the past
• Talking about leisure activities
• Simulation of daily experiences
• Acquisition of knowledge about the Portuguese culture

METHODOLOGY

"Communicative Approach" – Approach based in the active role of students in the entire learning process, and most particularly in classroom activities, with the constant supervision and support of the teacher.

DIAGNOSTIC TEST

Diagnostic test is mandatory (24th September 2018).
Assessment

Student continuous assessment’s with a final exam in order to evaluate learning outcomes. Our level system, based on the Common European Framework, puts into practice the European's Council proposal for a common level system throughout the EU. Please note that regular attendance is required. In order to have the certificate the student must have a minimum attendance of 70%.

Fees

100€ - Catholic University of Portugal – Porto Exchange Students
150€ - Catholic University of Portugal – Porto International and Visiting Students
150€ - Other Students
(The diagnostic test is included)

Payment is due by 14th September 2018, at the Cashiers Office. There will be no refund in case of cancellation/quit.

Registration

Porto Exchange and visiting students
- Were previously registered by the International Office
- Must pay in person, at the Cashiers Office, by the 14th September 2018
  Opening time:
  Foz Campus: 9:45-11:45 am | 2:15-4:15 pm | 6-8 pm Monday to Friday
  Asprela Campus: 10:30-12:30 am | 14h30-17h15 pm
  The lack of payment after this date will be considered an automatic withdrawal
- Will receive a confirmation by the 18th September 2018

Other students: registration by email to formacao.avancada@porto.ucp.pt, before 10th September 2018. Please attach a copy of your Identification Document/Passport or submit the Identification data form and indicate your contacts and the class you wish to attend.

Accreditation:

  Level: A1 or A2 (based on the Common European Framework)

  Credits ECTS: 2,5

  Contact hours: 54
Schedule | Timetable | Room

24th September 2018 – Diagnostic Test

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Class 1 - 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. | Monday - room EC008; Wednesday – room EC011

Class 2 - 6.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. | Monday – room EC014; Wednesday – room EC013