

Program 1 - Portuguese as an Additional Language - A1.1

Teachers:

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Language

Portuguese

Level

A1.1

Days of the week

Monday / Wednesday

Time slot in Brasília Time (BRT):

08:00 - 09:40 (BRT)

Start date of teaching period: September 30th, 2024

End date of teaching period (including assessment): December 18th, 2024

Teaching modality

Online synchronous (40 hours) and online asynchronous (20 hours)

Number of ECTS credits: 60 hours

Short course description (max. 150 words)

Development of proficiency in Portuguese as an additional language for speakers of distant languages, based on the elementary level of the Certificate of Proficiency in Portuguese for Foreigners (Celpe-Bras) or level A1.1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). The course focuses on familiarizing students with Portuguese and raising awareness about the sociocultural diversity of Brazil compared to the students' home countries, while exploring pragmatic and cultural aspects present in daily interactions. Students will develop the ability to understand and produce simple oral, written, and multimodal discourse genres, enabling their participation in familiar everyday situations. The course will also work on



building basic Brazilian Portuguese lexical and grammatical repertoires necessary for daily interaction.

Requirement: No prior knowledge of Portuguese is required. The participant must have a minimum B1 level in English.

Contact of the course responsible (institutional email address): proficiencia@dri.ufmg.br

Number of places available:

25