# **B1** Portuguese

Individual Online Conversation Classes





At TECH we constantly adapt our language study plans in order to incorporate all governmental and regulatory changes; we prepare students for a global society, characterized by the unstoppable expansion of new markets; extraordinary cultural, social and linguistic diversity, innovation and technology as a source of opportunities; immediacy and proximity; and collaboration and constant change.

We prepare you to join this new reality, by helping you achieve linguistic mastery"





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Language: Portuguese
Course Modality: Online
Duration: 4 months
Credits: 2 ECTS

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Oficcial N° of hours: 40 h.

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# 01 Welcome

The B1 Portuguese Individual Online Conversation Classes are an intensively structured program delivered through online classes that prepare the student to pass the oral test for Level B1 Portuguese of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). This preparation will be led by native university professors, who will teach the student everything necessary to successfully pass this test.

In this way, these classes will seek to help the student to have the necessary oral skills to be able to certify their level and to favor their personal and professional growth by helping them to achieve success in the acquisition of Portuguese.

A unique program, taught in digital format and structured in an intensive way that will undoubtedly be a turning point in students' language skills acquisition.



Presentation video



Don't miss this great opportunity and achieve two goals with a single program: certify your level and acquire new language skills in Portuguese"



# tech 06 | Welcome

### Introduction

The model presented by most language schools and academies when teaching Portuguese has become obsolete because it is only based on repetition and memorization. TECH wants to break down barriers and avoid this ineffective system. For this reason, a personalized method has been implemented in these Language Conversation Classes to stimulate learning by encouraging imagination and learning through sensory exploration, in order to be able to understand and interpret the environment.

This system allows the brain to work and learn a second language in the most natural way possible, just as we learned our own native language. A unique learning methodology, based on the knowledge of native university professors.

Learning a new language not only helps you to get new job opportunities, but also allows you to keep your brain awake and encourage its proper functioning.







Don't miss the opportunity to study with native university professors who will share their knowledge with you through a highly effective methodology"

# A unique and stimulating experience



# Flexible and Tailored

Take the best Portuguese conversation program, at your pace and according to your availability and schedule.



# **Acquire Skills and Abilities**

With our method you will practice and consolidate the oral communication skills required at this level.



# Networking

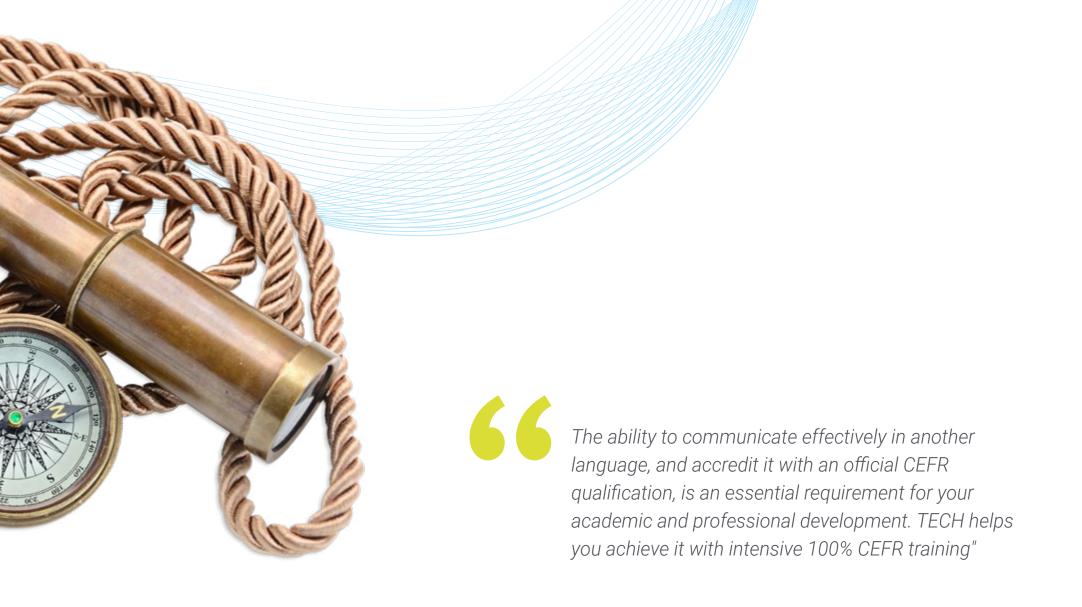
Join a large community and exchange knowledge and experiences with students from all over the world. 02

Is it Important to Obtain a Language Certificate?

In today's competitive world, speaking other languages is a key part of our modern culture, helping us to expand our knowledge and interact with people from other parts of the world, which helps us to learn about the traditions of other countries, establish friendships or conduct business.

Nowadays, however, simply knowing foreign languages is not enough. Nowadays, students must have an official qualification that accredits and recognizes their proficiency in a given language. In fact, many schools, universities and companies only accept candidates who have an official qualification based on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).





# tech 10 | Is it Important to Obtain a Language Certificate?

# **TECH Global University**

The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages is the only officially recognized and accredited system for assessing a student's level of proficiency. Although there are other certification systems, these come from private institutions and are, therefore, not officially valid. The CEFR establishes a single criterion to determine the difficulty of the courses and awards certificates that are recognized throughout the European Union.

At TECH we offer you the only intensive program designed to prepare you to obtain your official certificate based 100% on the CEFR, the only official system recognized and accepted throughout Europe.

Finally learn to speak fluent Portuguese and make the most of it by accrediting it with an official qualification based on CEFR.

Other private Language Certificate systems require students to periodically recertify their level of proficiency. TECH's CEFR certificate valid for life.





# 03 What Is Level B1?

Level B1 is part of the Independent User Level, which is divided into two sublevels: First and Second Independent User Level (B1 and B2).

The B1 Level has two main features: the first is the ability to maintain interaction and make oneself understood in a variety of situations, for example: learners generally understand the main ideas of extended discussions around them provided the speech is clearly articulated at a standard language level; the can offer and ask for personal opinions in an informal discussion with friends; clearly express the main idea they want to get across; flexibly use broad, simple language to express much of what they want; they are able to carry on a conversation or discussion, but can sometimes be difficult to understand when trying to say exactly what they mean; express themselves understandably, although pauses for some grammatical and lexical planning and mistake-correcting is evident, especially in long periods language flow.





The second feature is the ability to know how to deal flexibly with everyday problems, such as, for example: coping with less common situations in public transport, the typical situations that often arise when making travel reservations through an agency or when traveling; participates in conversations on usual matters without having anticipated it; being able to raise complaints; taking the initiative in an interview or consultation (e.g., knows how to initiate a new topic), although still being noticeably dependent on the interviewer during the interaction; knowing how to ask someone to clarify or develop what he or she has just said.



In TECH's B1 Portuguese Individual
Online Conversation Classes Program
we prepare you thoroughly to obtain
your B1 Portuguese Certificate"

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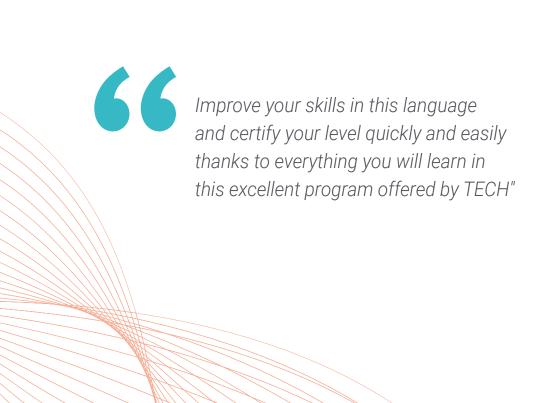
What are the B1 Level Skills?



Can understand the main points of clear, standard-language texts on familiar matters, whether in work, study or leisure situations



Knows how to deal with most of the situations that may arise during a trip in areas where the language is used







Produce simple and coherent texts on topics that are familiar to him/her or in which he/she has a personal interest



Can describe experiences, events, desires and aspirations, as well as briefly justify their opinions or explain their plans



### B1 level Self-Assessment Chart

# What will I be able to do after completing the course?

# Comprehension

# **Listening Comprehension**

- Understand the main ideas when the speech is clear and normal and deals with everyday matters that take place at work, at school, during leisure time, etcetera
- Understands the main idea of many radio or television programs dealing with current affairs or matters of personal or professional interest, when the articulation is relatively slow and clear

## **Speaking**

## **Oral Interaction**

- Get by in almost all situations that arise when traveling to places where the language is spoken
- Can spontaneously engage in conversation on everyday topics of personal interest or that are relevant to daily life (e.g., family, hobbies, work, travel, and current events

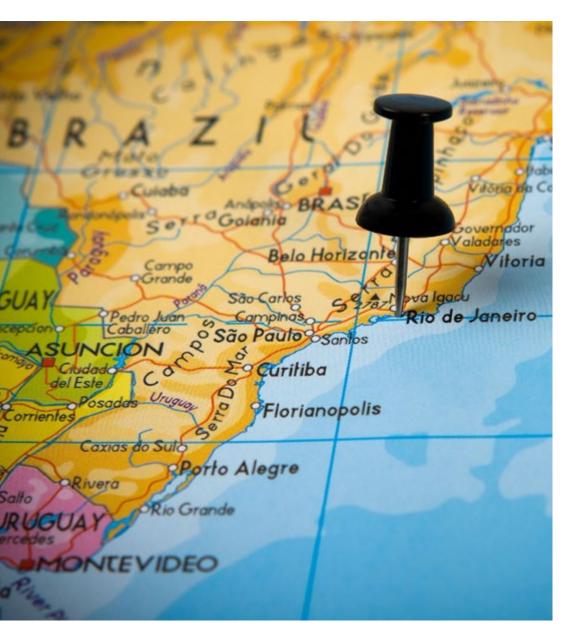
# **Oral Expression**

- Know how to link sentences in a simple way in order to describe experiences and facts, dreams, hopes and ambitions
- Explain and briefly justify opinions and projects
- Narrate a story or tale, the plot of a book or movie, and describe their reactions

Check your level.
Assess yourself.
More than 100
different activities
to improve your
fluency, expression,
comprehension
and pronunciation.



TECH helps students to obtain their qualification with an intensive training program that is based 100% on the CEFR"



Qualitative aspects of spoken language usage for Level B1 (According to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages)

What is expected to be achieved with this level?

# Scope

 Possess a large enough linguistic repertoire to get by and an adequate vocabulary to express themselves, albeit hesitantly and with circumlocutions, on topics such as their family, hobbies and interests, work, travel and current

### Correction

 Use with reasonable accuracy a repertoire of commonly used formulas and structures associated with predictable situations

# **Fluency**

 Continue to speak in a comprehensible manner, although pauses for grammatical, lexical planning and correction are evident, especially during long periods of free speech

### Interaction

- Initiate, maintain and end simple face-toface conversations on everyday topics of personal interest
- Repeat part of what someone has said to confirm mutual understanding

### Coherence

 Link a series of short, distinct and simple elements to enable a linear sequence of related ideas

Download and practice vocabulary: more than 50 pages of lexical cards and glossaries.

# 04 Why TECH?

At TECH we offer you the leading program for preparing oral communication skills based 100% on acquiring the skills established by the Council of Europe for the teaching of foreign languages. We work with the latest methodological approaches: the action-oriented approach and the skill-based approach in order to prepare you for the official level certification exams. For this purpose, we work with the best native teachers with whom you can interact from your portable device or computer and practice your oral skills.

We thoroughly prepare you to obtain your B1 Portuguese certificate.





Qualifications from language schools are valid in the country of origin, they are neither valid in Europe, nor in the rest of the world.

That is why you need a CEFR title with TECH: It's valid worldwide!"



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# What makes us unique



## **Mission**

Our mission is to stimulate the professional and personal development of our students, promoting their skills and abilities so that they are able to adapt to a real and constructive multicultural environment.



# **Vision**

TECH's vision is to be an innovative, academically thorough learning environment of international reference, capable of transmitting values that inspire the transformation of language learning to creative and socially responsible models.

- Innovation and creativity
- Excellence
- Spirit of self-improvement
- Social commitment
- Exclusivity and leadership
- Passion



# **TECH Global University**



We offer you the most innovative, creative and distinctive proposal in a dynamic, talented and internationally recognized school.

Practice with native teachers and improve your pronunciation and comprehension on a daily basis.



We make it easy for you to combine your training with your professional and family activities in a 100% online school that adapts to your needs.

You will have a structured itinerary programmed on a daily basis.



We support you at all times thanks to an involved and committed teaching staff. Our teaching team is native and works on the language approach in a real, lively and dynamic context.

TECH is the only institution that is committed to answering your questions in less than 24 hours.



The most comprehensive syllabus, based 100% on the CEFR.

The syllabus reviews the objectives and key competencies specific to CEFR Level B1.



An intensive preparation program based on real-time interaction with expert native teachers in online seminars and conferences, in small groups, according to your availability and schedule"

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Advantages of the preparation of the Oral Communicative Competence of Portuguese level B1



Practice the oral skills and competencies required by the B1 CEFR with guarantees.

100+

exercises based on interaction and oral expression skills and with a 100% CEFR-oriented syllabus



Use of a pedagogical approach based on Relearning.

Our B1 CEFR preparation course is the only one on the market licensed to use the Relearning method, which enhances learning by optimizing the effort/ result ratio.



Study wherever and however you want.

We conduct daily sessions at many different times, select the session that appeals to you, we are waiting for you!



Only TECH includes the complete downloadable content of each unit in PDF format.

400+ pages (



Our platform is the only one that allows you to study from your tablet, PC or Smartphone.

TECH offers you the only Program to prepare you for Level B1 Portuguese Oral Communicative Competence in which you can attend class from your cell phone or tablet with the same functionalities and without losing quality.



Can't attend a class?

Don't worry, use your voucher when you want, at your own pace, and if you can't attend, we'll save it for you.



You will only find native teachers with extensive teaching experience and great knowledge of the CEFR.

100+

native teachers at your service



We help you with your oral expression.

40+

intensive speaking practice sessions.



We use an efficient and user-friendly platform that is easy to access.

Practice your speaking skills "face to face" with your native teacher through a modern and easy-to-use system.

# And, in addition:

- Our classes are 100% based on the syllabus proposed by the CEFR.
- We facilitate social, dynamic and interactive learning.
- Learn in real time, ask questions, review your vocabulary and pronunciation every day.
- Enjoy a system with the best audio and sound quality.
- Acquire the skills you need to pass your B1 level certificate.
- You will have a specialized itinerary programmed day by day



We prepare you thoroughly to pass the official B1 Oral Test Certificate"

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# Features of the B1 Portuguese Online Conversation Classes

### **An Intensive Course**

B1 Portuguese Individual Online Conversation Classes is an Intensive Program that prepares you for Level B1 in Portuguese of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). You will attend 40 60-minute sessions to improve your oral proficiency and practice under the best guidance and supervision.

# **The Most Comprehensive Syllabus**

We work with the broadest and most complete syllabus with all the topics required by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

## **Accessible**

Our system allows you to study from your tablet, PC or Smartphone.

## **Accredited**

The only training on the market that, in addition to preparing you to pass your level test, provides you with a university certificate.

# **Dedicated**

You will have a native teacher with expertise in teaching speaking skills to guide you in your learning process.



# Features of the Intensive B1 Preparation Course | 25 tech



# **Study Material**

After a complex production process, we transform the best content into high-quality educational and audiovisual multimedia. We select the best syllabus and make it available to you. Everything you need to acquire in-depth knowledge of a discipline, from A to Z. Lessons written and selected by expert native teachers. This is the only training program on the market that includes the complete course content in downloadable format:

- Grammar PDF: you will have access to more than 100 downloadable and printable grammar worksheets to study wherever and however you want.
- Lexical cards and glossaries: you will find 50 pages of lexical cards and glossaries to download and practice your vocabulary.

# **Quick and Intuitive Platform**

Forget about cumbersome registrations and problems connecting or following the class. One device and an internet connection is enough. Connect with a single click and work whenever and wherever you want.

# **Cancellation Policy**

In order to cancel a previously scheduled or agreed upon class, at least 48 hours notice must be given. If 48 hours notice is not given, the class will be counted. The class will not be counted if the student has medical or any other proof issued by the competent authority.

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### **Skills-Based Practice**

If the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages establishes the consolidation of a language through the acquisition of skills and bases its official tests on these skills, why don't most of the online preparation courses for the level certificate work according to skills? In TECH you will work on all the oral skills established by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages in each of the subjects through an innovative method that is 100% adapted to European guidelines. In this training we work by competencies with more than 100 different activities and prepare you to obtain your B1 Portuguese certificate.

# **Simulated Learning Scenarios**

At TECH, we believe in the importance of linguistic immersion to lay the foundations of a language as well as in *storytelling* to favor identification and first-person learning. Therefore, we present you with real and everyday situations with people like you who will face a new language and have to overcome all different kinds of problems. In this training we will expose you to real dialogues and conversation exercises designed and presented by experts and native speakers.

# **Testing & Retesting**

We periodically evaluate and re-evaluate your knowledge throughout the entire B1 Level Portuguese preparation course.

- We will work with more than 100 activities for different oral skills
- We will subject you to real conversation situations with native speakers
- We will work on mock exams so that you are 100% prepared

# Features of the Intensive B1 Preparation Course | 27 tech



# **Specific Virtual Classes for CEFR B1**

Are you ready for the exam? Our native teachers will explain to you all the tips and tricks you can use to pass the course with total guarantee of success, as well as the subjects you need to prepare better, the exercises that appear most frequently, mistakes to avoid, resources that can help you in certain situations, etc. All this prepared on video for you to consult when and as you wish.

Take the sessions with you on your cell phone and view them wherever you want!

Do you want to revisit the class afterwards and review where you made mistakes or how a word was pronounced? Download the recorded session and watch it again.

An interactive chat to share queries, expressions, complex words, etc. in writing.

### In addition:

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The student will be provided with the following interaction and communication tools, which will be combined throughout the course to obtain the desired level of skills at the level in question.

- These are:
- Internal messaging tools with teachers and tutors
- Chat tools for written interaction
- Discussion forums for the development of written expression and interaction skills
- Telephone assistance to resolve technical questions or incidents
- Technical services contact e-mail

# 06 Our Methodology

During this B1 Portuguese Individual Online Conversation Classes the student will enjoy intensive work sessions that will prepare the student to certify their Portuguese B1 level based 100% on the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). For this purpose, TECH use a method of oral proficiency practice in which the student works intensively and repeatedly on all the contents required by the Framework, providing them with extensive preparation to pass the test.



You will study using a unique and highly effective methodology that will prepare you to take the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) B1 level exam"

# tech 30 | Our Methodology

Conventional methods of teaching a second language, such as demonstrative classes or mechanical exercises, slow down learning and seriously affect student motivation, as confirmed by statistical data reflecting the failure of the traditional system and methodology.

TECH's B1 Portuguese Individual Online Conversation Classes Program offers you a method based on interaction and synchronous and direct communication between teacher and student to prepare for the official oral level certification test in a comprehensive way. Our objective is to strengthen your skills in a changing, real, multicultural context and to guarantee your success in passing the test. To this end, we emulate the official test using mock tests throughout the course.

The student will learn through activities, stories and real contexts, the resolution of everyday and basic communication situations in simulated learning environments and will face real mock exams to prepare intensively for the level certification test.

...All of this is enhanced with the best 100% online teaching methodology: Re-learning...

Our school is the first in the world to combine *storytelling* with a 100% online learning system based on repetition, which combines different elements that represent an evolution with respect to the simple study and performance of exercises.

TECH offers you the highest quality and quantity in the academic landscape, with hundreds of exercises and resources for you to keep improving your level step by step. This methodology, at the forefront of world teaching, is called *Re-learning*. Our language school is the first in the world licensed to employ this successful method, having managed in 2015 to improve the overall satisfaction levels (teaching quality, quality of materials, course structure, objectify, etc.) of the students who complete the courses with respect to the indicators of the best language courses on the market

The overall score obtained by our learning system is 8.01, according to the highest international standards.



# tech 32 | Our Methodology

We prevent your motivation from waning and offer you the best learning environment.

TECH's intensive oral proficiency preparation program is based on synchronous communication, in real time, as this type of interaction has been proven to reinforce personal participation, strengthen work interaction, socio-emotional relationships and personal interactions, all of which helps to increase motivation. (Hrastinski, 2008).

...with a personalized and expert-led training itinerary...



In order to promote maximum contact with the Language School, we provide you with a tutor so that you can write essays, receive answers to your questions or get advice on how to study.



Our system will allow you to organize your time and learning pace, adapting it to your schedule, and will also allow you to access the contents from any device with an internet connection (computer, tablet, smartphone)."

According to the latest scientific evidence in the field of neuroscience, not only do we know how to organize information, ideas, images, memories, but we know that the place and context where we have learned something is fundamental for us to be able to remember it and store it in the hippocampus and retain it in our long-term memory. In this way, and in what is called "Neurocognitive context-dependent learning", the different elements of our intensive Portuguese B1 preparation course are connected to the context in which the participant will take their official certification exam in order to guarantee success on the day of the test.

... and all this with teachers at the forefront of technology and education...



# tech 34 | Our Methodology

Study wherever and however you want: connect with your mobile device and learn with the best native teachers.



### Immersion in real situations

We present you with real conversational situations with native speakers with different accents in different contexts.



### **Skills-Based Practice**

At TECH you will work on all the oral skills established by the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.



### **Pronunciation and Phonetic Practice**

At TECH we focus our method on repetition as the best way to consolidate your learning.



At TECH you will



At TECH we offer you different ways to consolidate your vocabulary through practice, conversation, and by consulting downloadable worksheets.



**Grammar and Spelling Practice** 

You will work on grammar without even realizing it, from a practical point of view through activities with native teachers.



Interactive chat

During the sessions you can practice your written skills by interacting in the chat.



find expert teaching staff equipped to prepare you with a high-quality syllabus based 100% on acquiring the oral skills required by the CEFR.



Material prepared by expert native teachers, such as downloadable worksheets and glossaries.



TECH is the only institution with a commitment to answer your questions in less than 24 hours.



# 07 Course Objectives

This B1 Portuguese Individual Online Conversation Classes aims to help students acquire the necessary oral skills to take the exam that will certify their level and to pass it through practice, training, repetition, personalized supervision and the intensity and educational excellence of the TECH method. After the program, students will be able to certify their B1 level and continue to advance in the study of the language. They will do this under the guidance of native speaker university professors who will guide their learning.





If your goal is to successfully certify B1 level Portuguese, these individual classes are undoubtedly for you"



# tech 38 | Course Objectives

# **General Objectives**

01

Solve simple communicative tasks and perform the basic functions of these tasks

02

Use the language being learned as a means of communication and personal expression, both in the classroom and in a wide range of face-to-face and virtual situations and on both concrete and abstract topics, including cultural ones

03

Understand, interact and express themselves in these situations, orally in an adequate, reasonably flexible, precise and correct way

04

Describe the sociocultural aspects related to the usual situations, as well as those related to one's own field, and use the appropriate social formulas, gestures, register and treatment in those situations

05

Internalize the appropriate and necessary linguistic resources for the planned communicative activities, through functional and formal practice

06

Encourage and diversify the use of strategies that speed up communication and facilitate learning

07

Manage tools to evaluate and improve one's own learning and use of the language



# **Specific Objectives**



# **Oral Comprehension**

- Understand concrete everyday or work-related information , and identify both the general message and specific details as long as the speech is clearly articulated and with a normal accent
- Understand the main ideas of clear, standard speech on everyday topics related to work, school or leisure time, including short narratives.
- Generally follow the main ideas of a long discussion going on around them, provided that the discourse is clearly articulated at a standard language level
- Understand, in general terms, simple and short speeches on everyday topics provided they are delivered with standard and clear pronunciation.
- Understand a lecture or talk that deals with their area of expertise, provided that the subject matter is familiar and the presentation is simple and clearly structured
- Understand simple technical information, such as operating instructions for frequently used appliances, as well as follow detailed instructions
- Understand the main ideas of radio news and other simpler recorded material dealing with everyday topics delivered relatively slowly and clearly.
- Understand the information content of most recorded or broadcast material related to topics of personal interest with clear standard pronunciation

# Course Objectives | 39 tech



# **Oral Expression**

- Carry out, with a reasonable degree of fluency, a simple description of a variety of topics that are of interest to them, presenting them as a linear sequence of elements
- Give simple descriptions on a variety of common topics within your specialty
- Give simple narratives or descriptions with a reasonable degree of fluency following a linear sequence of elements
- Make detailed accounts of experiences describing feelings and reactions.
- Report the details of unpredictable events, such as, for example, an accident
- Relate book or movie plots and describe your reactions to them
- Describe dreams, hopes and ambitions
- Describe real or imagined events. Tell stories
- Provide brief rationales and explanations for opinions, plans and actions.
- Develop arguments well enough so that they can be understood without difficulty most of the time.
- Make short rehearsed statements on a relevant topic within their specialty, which are clearly intelligible despite being accompanied by an unmistakably foreign accent and intonation
- Deliver a brief, prepared presentation on a topic within their specialty, with sufficient clarity to be followed without difficulty most of the time and whose main ideas are explained with reasonable accuracy. Can also answer supplemental questions, but may have to ask for repetition if spoken quickly

# tech 40 | Course Objectives

# **Specific Objectives**



# Sociocultural and Sociolinguistic Competence

- Broaden and diversify the knowledge of sociocultural aspects related to situations, even those that are less usual and those of one's own professional field; to successfully adapt their behavior, reactions and linguistic performance to different situations
- Use in a flexible way the language and formulas of the exchanges and texts that are handled, as well as the usual forms of treatment and expressions of courtesy, within a wide standard register of formality and informality, with degrees of distance or closeness
- Use expressions that nuance disagreement or negative evaluations if the situation so requires
- Understand behaviors and values different from one's own that underlie common sociocultural traits, and recognize aspects and expressions that are offensive or taboo in the other culture

# **Linguistic Competence**

- Broaden and diversify the knowledge of sociocultural aspects related to situations, even those that are less usual and those of one's own professional field; to successfully adapt their behavior, reactions and linguistic performance to different situations
- Use in a flexible way the language and formulas of the exchanges and texts that are handled, as well as the usual forms of treatment and expressions of courtesy, within a wide standard register of formality and informality, with degrees of distance or closeness
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# Course Objectives | 41 tech





In order to consolidate all these competencies you will have 40 sessions designed by expert teachers and based 100% on the CEFR"



Course Structure and Content

One of the best ways to make rapid progress in the mastery of a language is to practice it continuously. Therefore, this university program offers a completely personalized tutoring, adapted to the student's own objectives and interests. Together with a team of native-speaking teachers, the student will go through the main everyday situations they may encounter, such as conversations about sports or nature.





# Where, When and How is it Taught?

This course takes place over 4 months and consists of 40 60-minute live sessions taught by native-speaking teachers.

#### Each session is structured as follows:

- Practice of oral interaction skills
- Practice of oral expression skills
- Simulation of real situations
- Tips and tricks to prepare for the test
- Summary and closing
- Download printable sheets



You will improve your communication skills thanks to a personalized attention, with a native teacher dedicated to your own goals"

# tech 44 | Course Structure and Content

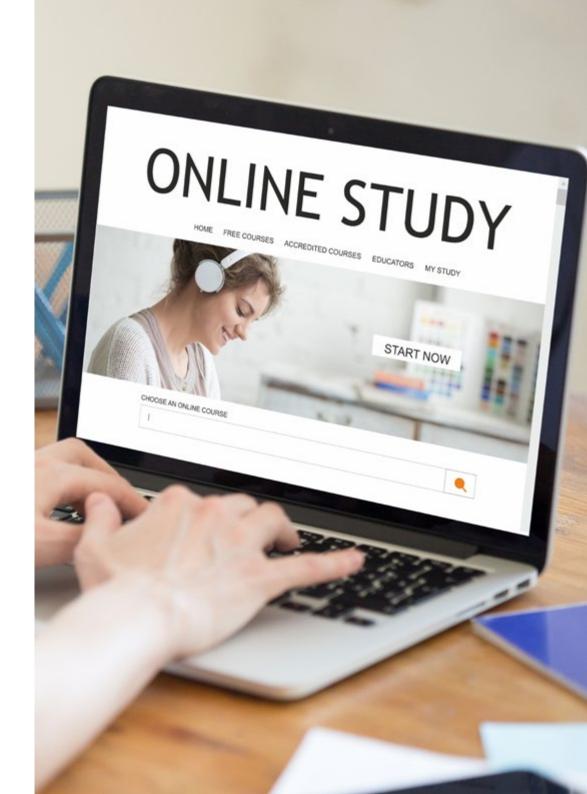
# **B1 Level Learning Objectives**

In each program, native teachers prepare a series of assignments that the student must pass in order to satisfactorily achieve the goals of the course. Thanks to personalized tutoring, all the proposed objectives can be achieved in the shortest time possible, thanks to effective and efficient teaching.

- · Advance to an intermediate level of language proficiency
- Familiarize with new words and more advanced common grammar
- Develop listening, reading, writing and speaking skills to cope in a multitude of situations.
- Speak with some fluency about sports, nature, music and life goals or personal aspirations



You will noticeably improve your fluency in a multitude of more advanced everyday situations, being able to function more naturally"



# Course Structure and Content | 45 tech



"I can't believe that after years of trying to improve my level of Portuguese, I have now achieved it with only 40 personalized TECH classes. Now, in addition to being B1 certified, I can speak fluently with my family in Portugal. They themselves notice my progress and have been pleasantly surprised"

# Mariana Hidalgo

A student from Argentina



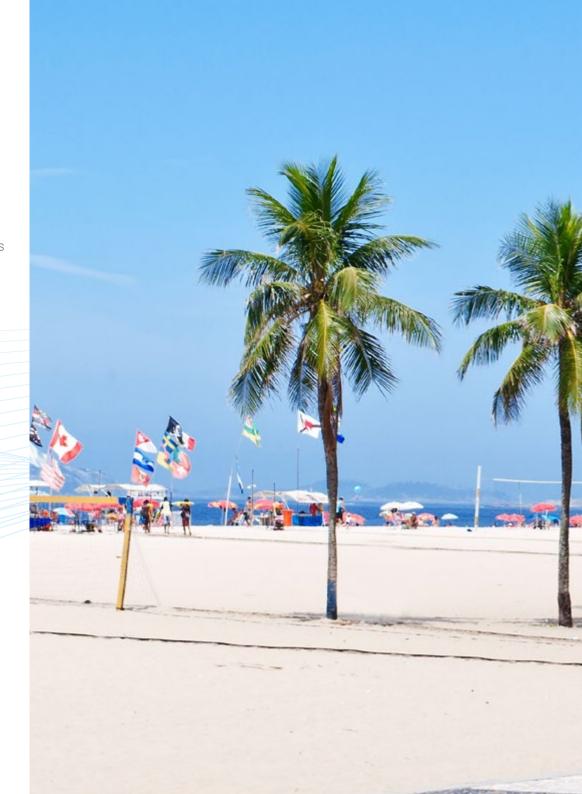
"After studying in several language academies I can confirm that this is the most effective learning methodology I have found in the market. Talking session by session with native teachers is a real gift, and allows learning to be more complete and effective. I plan to study English as well, so I have no doubt that I will choose TECH"

# Alberto Martín Sánchez

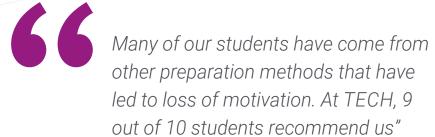
A student from Colombia

# Our Students' Profiles

We know that learning a language isn't easy. Many of us have tried, and failed, for years to consolidate our knowledge and acquire the skills to required to obtain qualifications that demonstrate what we have learned. Level exams are complex tests that must be prepared thoroughly and with good expert guidance.









# tech 48 | Our Students' Profiles

# Years of unsuccessful attempts to learn the language

# 1-3 years 35% 5+ years 25% years on average 3-5 years 30%

# Courses taken before enrolling on ours



Don't lose motivation! TECH includes a personalized monitoring and tutoring service.



# Interest in learning the language

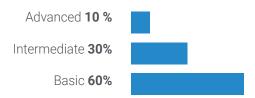
Personal 42%





**58%** Professional

# IT skills



80% of our students pass the B1 level exam.



Thanks to our performance measurement tool you will be able to track your progress at all times"



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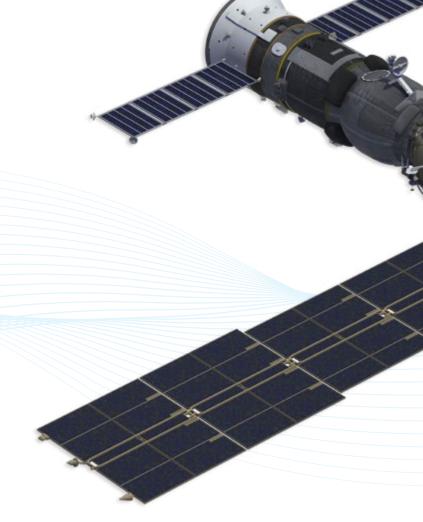
The Professional Benefits of Portuguese

With approximately 220 million speakers, Portuguese is the sixth and the third most spoken language in the world using the Latin alphabet, after Spanish and English.

Portuguese is the official language of Portugal, where it is spoken by about 10 million people, and of Brazil (Brazilian). It is also the language of administration in Angola, Mozambique, Guinea-Bissau, Cape Verde and Sao Tome and Principe. Other Portuguese enclaves include Goa, East Timor and Macau. It is also spoken in areas of China and India that were colonies of Portugal, as well as in border areas of Argentina, Uruguay and Paraguay.

Portuguese is an emerging language, thanks, among other reasons, to the great economic development of Brazil, where the first language is Portuguese. Brazil is an emerging and very powerful economic power in Latin America, whose position in the world is likely to prosper even more in the coming years.

Starting an international expansion into Brazil may be a possible task for someone who does not know the language, but it is not going to be as fast or as effective compared to someone who is fluent in the language. Brazil represents a market of 190 million inhabitants. Its GDP is almost twice that of Mexico, five times that of Venezuela or Argentina, ten times that of Chile and twelve times that of Peru. The country is also part of the BRIC group (Brazil, Russia, India, China) and is considered the seventh largest economy in the world.





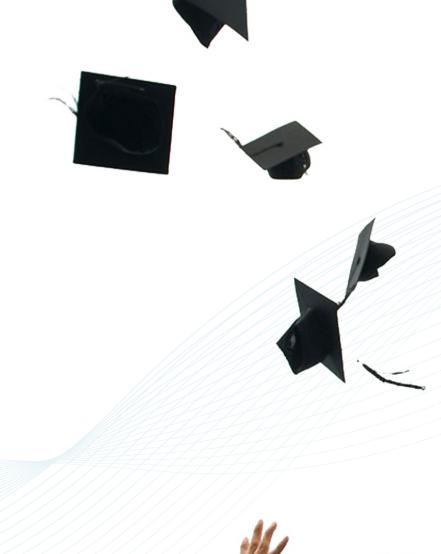
Learning the language is one of the keys to developing trust and long-term relationships, which can then materialize in the development of economic or other projects. Any company that aspires to do business in the South American giant will need to have a top executive fluent in Portuguese."

# 11 Assessment and Certification

The main evaluation objective in TECH is that the student consolidates what they have learned and is aware of their progress. For this reason, after completing each block, the student is shown a report of the results, which visually indicates the skills that they should strengthen.



TECH'S B1 level oral communication skills preparation program is the only one that also awards you with a university certificate"





# Certification

Upon completion of the course, the student will receive a certificate of recognition that will guarantee their preparation to obtain, if the student wishes, the certification of that level.



This document hereby certifies that

has successfully passed and accredited the following

### Online Language Class (individual) for B1 Portuguese

acquiring the linguistic and communicative skills and abilities outlined in the CEFR.

This is an accredited qualification awarded by this University and is equivalent to 2 ECTS and 50 hours, with a start date of \_\_/\_\_/ and an end date of \_\_/\_\_/\_\_.





Course	Level	ECTS	<b>Total Hours</b>
Online Language Class (individual) for	B1 Portuguese	2	50
Skills according to CEFR	Descriptors		
Oral production and interaction	<ul> <li>Can cope in almost all situations encountered when traveling in a country where the language is spoken.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Can spontaneously participate in a conversation on everyday topics of personal interest or relevant to daily life (family, hobbies, work, travel, etc.).</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Can link sentences in a simple way in order to describe experiences and events, their dreams, hopes and ambitions.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Can briefly explain and justify their opinions and projects. Can narrate a story, the plot of a book or film and describe their reactions.</li> </ul>		



Issued in Certificate date





# B1 Portuguese Individual Online Conversation Classes

Language: Portuguese Course Modality: Online Duration: 4 months Credits: 2 ECTS

Oficcial N° of hours: 40 h.



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