

Programa | Course Description 2020/2021

Unidade Curricular | *Course Unit*

O Estudo da Linguagem Humana | The Study of Human Language

ECTS | *Credits*

6 ECTS

Ciclo de Estudos | *Degree*

1.º Ciclo | Undergraduate

Semestre | *Semester*

1.º Semestre | Autumn Semester, 2.º Semestre | Spring Semester

Docente(s) | *Faculty*

Marina Vigário

Língua de ensino | *Language of instruction*

Inglês | English

Programa (na língua de ensino) | *Course description (in the language of instruction)*

1. Language as a biologic property of human species. 2. Characterizing speakers' linguistic knowledge. 2.1. The sounds and melodies of language. 2.2. Words and their meaningful parts. 2.3. The organization of words into sentences. 2.4. Meaning. 3. Language acquisition. 4. Language variation and change. 5. Language modalities: Spoken languages and sign languages. 6. Areas of applied linguistics.

Avaliação (na língua de ensino) | *Grading and Assessment (in the language of instruction)*

2 written tests (representing 40% of the final score each); quality and amount of work done/reflected in class (in presence or teleconference) (representing 20% of the final score).

Bibliografia (selection) | *Bibliography (selection)*

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Mateus, Maria Helena, Ana Maria Brito, Inês Duarte, Isabel Hub Faria, Sónia Frota, Gabriela Matos, Fátima Oliveira, Marina Vigário & Alina Villalva (2003) Gramática da Língua Portuguesa. 6º ed. Lisboa: Caminho.

Fromkin, Victoria, Robert Rodman, Nina M. Hyams (2014) An Introduction to Language. 10th ed. Boston: Thomson.