***01: 810: 201 Portuguese for Native Speakers (4)***

*Prerequites: 01:810:130 or 01:810:135 or permission of department*

***Course learning goals:***

*\* To engage in conversation, express feelings and emotions, and exchange opinion.*

*\*To write sentences in various tenses within the limits of vocabulary and structure presented in class.*

*\*To express both orally and in writing an understanding of reading material*

*\*To explore basic aspects of Brazilian and Portuguese culture, such as, holidays, customs, common foods, as well as common non-verbal responses.*

*\*Students will demonstrate knowledge and application of specific vocabulary. The lessons were conceived to engage student’s interest by applying personal, social, professional and cultural topics.*

*\* Students will use Portuguese as a medium of expression in the classroom.*

*\*Students will demonstrate reading comprehension of passages containing familiar vocabulary and structure.*

*\*Students will demonstrate awareness of Brazilian and Portuguese cultures on topics, such as, typical foods, major holidays, festivals, customs, and historical events.*

***TEXTS:***

*Caroen, Modesto. Resumo de Ana. Companhia de letras****, ISBN 85-7164-784-4***

*Emma Eberlein O. F. Lima. Português via Brasil. Edição Revista e Ampliada.* ***ISBN 85-12-54380-9***

*Preto-Rodas. 40 Historinhas e Cinco Poemas. Florida: University Press of Florida, 1985.****ISBN 0-8130-078905***

*Edwin B. Williams. An Introductory Portuguese Grammar. Dover Publications, Inc. New York,* ***ISBN******0-486-23278***

***\*Texts may change***

***\*Miscellaneous supplementary materials to be distributed by the professor***

***Portuguese-English dictionary:*** [***michaelis.uol.com.br***](http://michaelis.uol.com.br/) ***Brazilian Portuguese dictionary:*** [***aulete.uol.com.br***](http://aulete.uol.com.br/) ***Portuguese verb conjugations:***[***conjuga-me.net***](http://conjuga-me.net/)

***EVALUATION***

*Participation/attendance/homework – 20%*

*Mid-term and Final Exams – 40%*

*Quizzes - written – 15%*

*Oral presentation 10%*

*Compositions– 15%*

***GRADING SYSTEM****: A: 90-100 B+: 85-89 B: 80-84 C+: 75-79 C: 70-4*

*D: 60-65 D+: 66-69 F: 59 and below*