





## Welcome to Escola Secundária Frei Rosa Viterbol



Escola Secundária Frei Rosa Viterbo (ESFROV) is part of the AGRUPAMENTO DE ESCOLAS DE SÁTÃO since school year 2010-2011, which includes several local primary schools and kindergardens. ESFROV has as its patron Frei Joaquim de Santa Rosa de Viterbo,, who was the author of the ELUCIDÁRIO DAS PALAVRAS, TERMOS E FRASES. This book was about words, terms and phrases used in Portugal in the 18<sup>th</sup> century and is still essential to understand the most rare and precious documents we still have among us.

Our patron was born on the  $13^{\text{th}}$  of May 1744 in a town called Aguiar da Beira. His main task was searching for

documents and monuments, which he knew were the basis of history.

Escola Secundária Frei Rosa Viterbo was built on the 2nd December 1982 under the name Escola Secundária de Sátão. On the 26<sup>th</sup> December 1999 the school was renamed to the designation it has currently. About 72 teachers work in this institution and 549 pupils attend this school.

The school is well equipped in terms of technology. There are two computer rooms with 14 computers to be used by students in their classes. In each room there is a computer and a projector that can be used by teachers. Every member of the community has got an



institutional e-mail address, access to the school's computers and Networks. It is also possible to access all the services through wireless LAN. There are also laptop and desktop computers to be used by teachers and pupils in their professional/personal activities and everybody is able to access the Internet.

One of the missions of our school is to enhance personal, social and interpersonal competencies by developing



extra-curricular activities. ESFRoV encourages physical activity, arts, nature protection and health care and European citizenship. Our European Club has been in charge of the promotion of the European Dimension of education. In 2010, LOA (Learning from One Another) eTwinning project (partnership with schools from Blatna (Czech Republic), Bojano (Italy) and Jeziorani (Poland) was awarded the European label for its innovative methodology in teaching foreign languages as well as eTwinning European Quality label.

Since then the school has coordinated a multilateral Comenius Projet "ICT4" during school years 2009-2011 which gave birth to new

eTwinning projets which were awarded eTwinning European Quality Label in recognition of students' and teachers' collaborative work and quality of results. These awards represent an encouragement for the students and teachers involved in our current Comenius/eTwinning project. Let's keep up the excellent work and international collaboration! Welcome to you all!