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EPAVDRV is the vocational school in farming and country development of Vagos. It is a secondary school – from 7th form to 12th form. Nowadays it is a state school but it was firstly established as a private school in September

1990. It is situated in a pleasant place, surrounded by a leafy pine wood forest. This school has got modern structures available not only for the education community but also for the region of Vagos. It is 10 ha length.





- A school campus
- Modern school rooms with computers and audiovisual aids
- 2 computer rooms

- Digital summary software
- Interactive boards
- A library
- Wireless Internet
- An auditorium

- A laboratory
- A dorm

## 2 COMPUTER ROOMS



2 computer rooms with wireless lan and interactive boards.



eSGE  
Digital summary software

## LIBRARY



## AUDITORIUM





## LABORATORY



A laboratory where tests, samples and experiments are done and wine, milk, cheese, yogurt and butter are analysed.



## RESIDENCE



A dorm (residence building) because this is also a boarding school for students who come from far away places. It accommodates 40 students, it has got central heating and wireless software.





## KITCHEN/CANTEEN/BAR

The three in one room – Bar, Canteen and Multipurpose room where meetings, exhibitions are held.



## SIGE CARD

The SIGE card (that pays services and other materials by charging it, it also gives you information and it is a way of controlling).





## TEACHERS LOUNGE/OFFICES

Modern school rooms with computers and audiovisual aids.



## PRINT OFFICE



This is the place where the students can print their essays. This room is connected to all the others by wireless lan.



## ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

These services perform their activities in a large, modern, colourful and well-equipped room. They support all the school activities in several aspects such as financial, accounts, academics and so on.



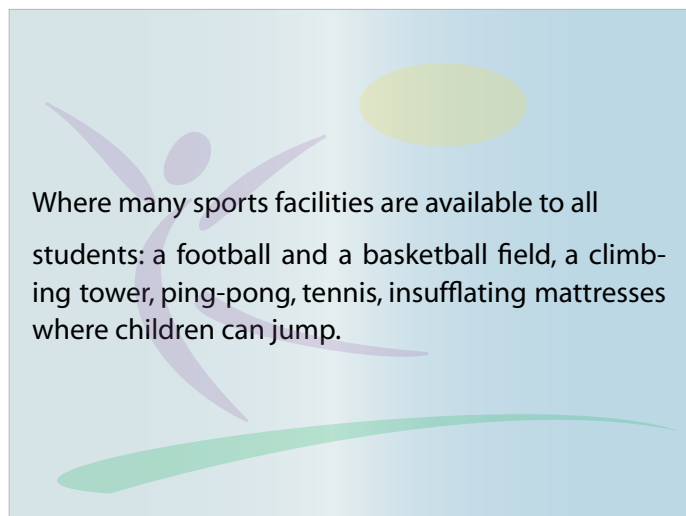
## THE FIRST AID WARD

This room is equipped with several appliances which allow the school to provide first aid whenever it is necessary.





## SPORTS PARK



Where many sports facilities are available to all students: a football and a basketball field, a climbing tower, ping-pong, tennis, insufflating mattresses where children can jump.





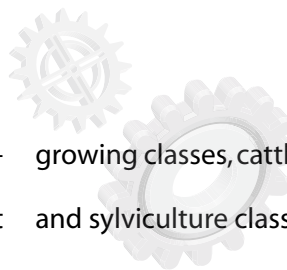
## STORE SALES

Where the farming products and others are sold.





## MACHINERY WHAREHOUSE



There is a 1040 m2 indoor machinery park with classrooms and a store room. In this zone students have got farming mechanization classes, horticulture and fruit

growing classes, cattle breeding classes, crop production and sylviculture classes.



## DAIRY CATTLE ZONE



There is a horse-riding centre, a dairy cattle zone (a cow-shed) with 35 milk-cows and 35 rearing cows, a modern milking room with an automatic cleaning system, a computer system inside, a sewage treatment station, silos and classrooms.

The herd of this school consists of 5 full-blooded bred milk-cows, such as: Holstein-Frisian, Jersey, Montbeliard, Norman and others.





EPAVDRV has received many awards from all sorts of competitions.

- Vitela Campeã Regional Agrovoaga 2007
- Melhor Conjunto Regional Agrovoaga 2007
- Vaca Jovem Vice-campeã Nacional Agrovoaga 2007
- Vaca Campeã Intermédia Feira da Trofa 2007
- Melhor Úbere Nacional no XXVIIº Concurso Nacional da Raça Holstein Frísia
- Vitela Campeã Agrovoaga 2006
- Vitela Campeã Agrovoaga 2005
- Vaca Campeã Agrovoaga 2005
- Vaca Campeã Leicar 2005
- Vaca Campeã Regional Agrovoaga 2004
- Vaca Campeã Arazede 2004
- Vaca Campeã Nacional 2004
- Vaca Jovem Campeã Nacional 2004
- Melhor Exploração Nacional 2004



Champion Cow



Calves



Sewage Treatment Station



Silos



## EQUESTRIAN CENTRE



★★★★

The Equestrian Centre – a 800 m<sup>2</sup> indoor area with a gallery, 18 boxes, 4 stalls with automatic horse-trough and classrooms.

There is also a 2400 m<sup>2</sup> outdoor area for equestrian competitions (show jumping, horse-racing and other activities).

Every year the Equestrian Centre organizes the Steeplechase contest.

This Equestrian Centre was awarded the four star ranking by the Portuguese Equestrian Federation and the Portuguese Sports Institute.

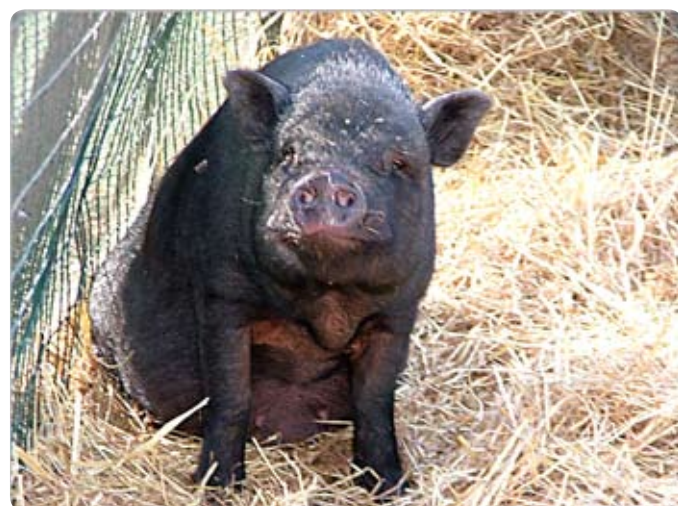




## PARK PEDAGOGICAL



Every year the Pedagogical Park is visited by many children in nursery and elementary schools. This park attracts many children and their families, too. There are animals, many species of birds and breeds, ducks, pigs, geese, goats, sheep, ostrich, pheasants, turkey-cocks and of course "Caloiro" the dog.





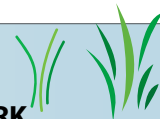
## - FARMING



A 1200 m2 covered area with greenhouses.  
A 1500 m2 open air area.



## - BIOLOGICAL/ORGANIC FARMING PARK



A 3000 m2 biological /organic farming park.



An aromatic/medicinal little garden



## - THE APIARY



For the production of honey.





## THE SPO - THE PSYCHOLOGY/ VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE OFFICE

- It selects applicant students; It provides guidance and support not only for those who are entering the university but also for the less experienced and handicapped students; It helps students with specific problems and learning problems; it gives psycho-pedagogic support.

## GAP - VOCATIONAL CABINET



The GAP – the Vocational Cabinet – professional advice for students on career planning by giving them training posts and job supplies.

## THE X SPACE



- It supports students in different ways;  
- It promotes debates, conferences about sexuality, drug addiction, premature pregnancy, bullying, violence.



## MATHS GAME



it promotes competitions among other vocational schools to encourage the love of Maths.

## SCHOOL RADIO PROGRAMME

“2 dedos de conversa” school radio programme – it broadcasts the school activities and other news.

## HEMICYCLE GAME



It promotes the feeling of citizenship among youth.



## ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB

The Environmental Club – it raises environmental issues, helped our school to become an Eco(logical)-School and promotes other environmental engagements.



Our school - EPADRV - is also a kind of continuation school for students who have been excluded from regular school for academic or disciplinary reasons and social problems. Thus it is an inclusive school. It helps students to find their vocational way and aims.

It is also a night school by offering evening classes in continuing education for older students/adults unemployed or employed during day. With CNO (New Opportunities Department) and EFA courses (vocational courses) adults are given a degree to learn a job and other competences/qualifications.

## “ESCOLÍADAS”

The “Escolíadas” – a kind of school Olympic Games, a cultural and entertaining contest among secondary schools nearby (There is theatre, dance, painting, singing and music).



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## CET's

CET ~ TECHNOLOGY BASED SPECIALIZATIONS

access conditions ~ 12° grade

(1) (with partnership ESA Ponte de Lima)

(2) (with partnership ISCA – Aveiro)

**Rural and Environmental Tourism(1)**

**Health and Safety in Food (1)**

**Watering Cultures (1)**

**Banking and Insurance (2)**

## VOCATIONAL COURSES

compared to 12° grade - dual certification

(professional and academic)

access conditions ~ 9° grade

**Agricultures/Farming Technician**

Options ~ animal and vegetable

**Industrial Maintenance Technician**

Options ~ electromechanics and mecatronics

**Rural and Environmental Tourism Technician**

**Hospitality Management Technician**

Options ~ cooking/pastry and bartender

**Buildings Construction Technician**

Options ~ construction site management/topography

**Business Management Technician**

## EFA's

EFA ~ EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING FOR ADULTS

(TARGETED FOR UNEMPLOYED ADULTS OVER 18 WITH 6° GRADE)

SCHOLARSHIP | INSURANCE

**Cattle and Farming Technician**

**Cooking (B2 + B3)**

**Elderly People Caregiver**

FOR ADULTS OVER 23 WITH 9° GRADE

**Health and Safety Technician**

**Molds and Template Technician**

**Systems and Computers Technician**

EFA ~ EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING FOR ADULTS

(TARGETED FOR EMPLOYED ADULTS OVER 18 WITH 6° GRADE - AFTER WORKING HOURS - COMPARED TO 9° GRADE - PROFESSIONAL LEVEL 2)

**Social and Family Assistant**

**Administrative**

(TARGETED FOR EMPLOYED ADULTS OVER 18 WITH 9° GRADE - AFTER WORKING HOURS - COMPARED TO 12° GRADE - PROFESSIONAL LEVEL 3)

**Administrative Technician**

**Students Assistance Technician**

## CEF's

CEF ~ EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING COURSES

Teenagers over 15, with learning difficulties and about to drop out of school.

Level 2 ~ Type 2

Access with 6°, 7° or 8° attendance | 2 years | compared to 9° grade

**Landscape and Gardening**

**Horse Caretaker**

**Business Assistant**

Level 2 ~ Type 3

Access with 8° or 9° attendance | 1 year | compared to 9° grade

**Administrative Assistant**

## SHORT TERM TRAINING ACTIONS

AFTER WORKING HOURS | 25 OR 50 HRS

**Personal Development**

**Foreign Languages and Literatures**

**Computers**

**Secretariat and Management**

**Law**

## RVCC

SKILLS RECOGNITION, VALIDATION AND CERTIFICATION

**PRIMARY AND SECUNDARY**