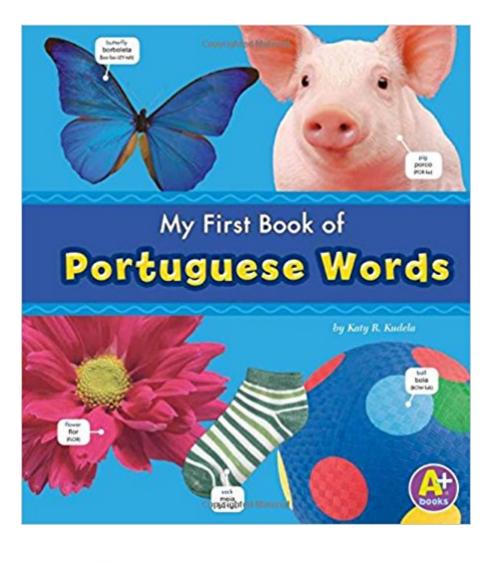


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# My First Book Of Portuguese Words (Bilingual Picture Dictionaries) (Multilingual Edition)





### Synopsis

How do you say hello in Portuguese? Explore the pages of this Portuguese/English picture dictionary to learn new words and phrases. Colorful photographs and simple labels make learning Portuguese easy.

#### **Book Information**

Series: Bilingual Picture Dictionaries Paperback: 32 pages Publisher: Capstone Press; Pap/Psc Bl edition (February 1, 2011) Language: Multilingual ISBN-10: 1429661690 ISBN-13: 978-1429661690 Product Dimensions: 0.2 x 10.2 x 10.2 inches Shipping Weight: 5.6 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 3.7 out of 5 stars 20 customer reviews Best Sellers Rank: #164,219 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #47 in Â Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Reference > Dictionaries #517 inà Â Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Foreign Language Learning #1919 in à Â Books > Reference > **Dictionaries & Thesauruses** Age Range: 4 - 8 years Grade Level: Kindergarten - 2

#### **Customer Reviews**

I bought this book for my daughter and to give as christmas presents for the family children. cute book . JUST ONE DOWN SIDE EVEN THOUGH IT SAYS PORTUGUESE ENGLISH BOOK . THIS BOOK HAS SOME COLLOQUIAL BRAZILIAN WORDS. Should have been specified that the book has this brazilian colloquial words. thanks

I wish they would specify if it were Brazilian or Portuguese from Portugal. And I wish they added more words. I saw several objects in pics they could have added words to.

This book gets one star because it has charming pictures and my daughter loves pointing out the things she knows. That is the only reason. I hate to be a downer, but please note that this book is translated by translations.com(!!!). The language professor in me was horrified when I saw this. We

warn our students very strongly against using these websites because they do not always give accurate translations. In fact there are a few blatant mistranslations in this book that should have been caught by any author or editor before publishing. One example: Estacionamento means park as in a car, Parking, not a park that children play in. The internet doesn't always know what you mean when you type in a word. It needs context. Someone writing and publishing a language book and selling it as educational should know this at a basic level. Shame on them. Also, unless you already speak Portuguese, you are not going to learn correct pronunciations. Their pronunciation guides are based on no system that I can detect, and are pretty difficult to interpret. More importantly, they often give a very different idea from what a word is supposed to sound like. To be fair, languages are far more complex than what can possibly be offered in a book like this, but I feel like it misleading to offer this as a guide when it is giving false and incomplete explanations. Just one unforgivable example in my book: The introduction says that the accents AfA and AfÆ'A A' are used for stress, when actually they change the pronunciation and the entire meaning of the word! I feel bad for beating up a children's book, and like I said, my 1 year old really enjoys the images. However, I am there, as well as my Brazilian husband to give her the correct pronunciation and teach her the words. If you are trying to genuinely learn a few words of Portuguese (or any other language) or teach them to your child, please do not use this book. I send back any paper in which my student has used Google Translate. It is not a person. It cannot translate accurately.

Several of these words are not correct in Portuguese. Using a website to translate a book into another language is shameful, anyone could do that. I am hoping that this is not the case for the other languages, although I doubt it. The least thing the publisher could do is proof read the book using a native speaker of the other language or minimum use a certified translator and not a website (translations.com), might as well use google translate next time.

This is really great, I bought the mini dictionary and was disappointed. This one has phonetics so my child could read the pronunciation and it was very close, very helpful. Really love this book.

My in-laws speak Portuguese, and have taught my kids a few words, but I wanted them to learn more. This book will help them because it shows pictures of the object, the word in English, and the word in Portuguese with pronunciation!

My friend is using this little book to teach her little one of two Portuguese. It is her husband's second

language and he says it's a great book to start with and easy for the child to memorize and learn from.

This is great for the mommy that is learning right along with baby

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