

The FPCBP is pleased to announce its 6th annual essay contest with the theme:

***“Para mim, ser Português-Canadiano é...” or
“To me, being Portuguese-Canadian
means...”***

Prizes of **\$500** will be awarded to the students with the top English and Portuguese essays in the following categories:

Junior (Gr. 7 and 8)

Intermediate (Gr. 9 and 10)

Senior (Gr. 11 and 12)

Students must include a cover page with the following information:

- Name
- Age
- Address
- Phone number
- School and grade
- Teacher's name



This contest is open to all Ontario Students of Portuguese descent who are in grades 7-12. Entries must be based on the topic “Para mim, ser Português-Canadiano é...” or “To me, being Portuguese-Canadian means...” to be written in either Portuguese or English. Essays must be between 300-500 words in length (1-2 pages), typed and double spaced. Students may submit one essay in each language but can only win one prize.

Please email entries to essaycontest@fpcbp.com or ensure they reach the FPCBP office by mail, courier or personal delivery before the deadline. Winners will be contacted by June 6, 2009. Please note that all submissions become property of the FPCBP upon their receipt. For more information please contact us at (416) 537-8874.

**Deadline for submissions is:
May 29, 2009 at 5 p.m.**

**Celebration to be held on June 9, 2009 at the Consulado Geral de Portugal
in Toronto at 5:30 p.m.**