REDESCOLAS

Schools that promote a culture of integrity

4th Edition 2024/25

























REGULATIONS



1. INTRODUCTORY NOTE

The **RedEscolas Anti-Corruption Program – 4th Edition** (hereinafter the "Program") is an initiative of **All4Integrity**¹ (hereinafter the "Program promoter") created as a result of the recognised need to involve Portuguese civil society in preventing and combating corruption.

The Program's mission is to promote greater proximity between the school public and local and central government institutions, as well as a more in-depth knowledge of the issues surrounding corruption and, consequently, greater civic participation in promoting transparency, integrity, and ethics in the public and private spheres.

The Program also aims to certify the school and its educational community involved in the proposed activities by awarding a *Digital Seal* and an "*Anti-Corruption Ambassador School" Certificate*.

2. ABOUT THE PROGRAM

2.1. Recipients

The Program, which will run for the third time in the 2024/2025 school year, is aimed at students in the 3rd cycle of basic education and secondary education.

The Program aims to promote the implementation of school projects related to the anchor theme of combating corruption and all the others inherent to it (lobbying, conflict of interest, influence peddling, bribery, ethics, transparency, integrity, other adjacent themes). Its interdisciplinary and flexible nature will allow for the development of numerous transversal competences.

2.2. School promoters

In each school, the Program can be proposed and implemented in the classroom by any educational agent, recognizing the decisive role of teachers, especially head teachers, in promoting the proposed activities.

2.3. Places of action

The Program was created to be developed in the school context, in an open and direct relationship with the surrounding environment, namely with local and central government institutions.

¹ Non-partisan association created from an initiative by author, professor and social entrepreneur André Corrêa d'Almeida, Columbia University, from New York on October 5, 2020, under the name #libertemomeupaísdacorrupção. All4Integrity has become the first Portuguese association and global network to promote a culture of integrity in the country and exists to help Portugal become a world reference in the fight against corruption and related crimes, however far-fetched such a possibility may seem today. The talent, commitment and social capital of dozens of collaborators quickly made it an incubator for initiatives and Programs to prevent/combat corruption and promote a culture of integrity in Portugal.



2.4. Implementation of the Program

The 4th Edition of the Program is designed to be applied throughout the 2024/2025 school year and consists of two phases:

Phase 1 - from September 9 to December 13, 2024

Phase 2 - from January 6 to April 30, 2025

At the beginning of the school year, each school expresses its interest by submitting a form (see Item 3 of these Regulations) to participate only in the 1st Phase AND/OR in the 2nd Phase of the Program.

In the week of **December 9, 2024 - International Anti-Corruption Day -** there will be a public presentation of the work carried out by the school community during Phase 1 of the Program.

Between April 22 and 30, 2025, and within the framework of the International **World Day of the Book and Copyright**, celebrated on **April 23, 2025**, each school must publicly present the work developed during the 2nd Phase of the Program.

Each school may select only part of the days indicated for the public presentation of their work.

At the end of each phase (see Item 4 of these Regulations), the schools submit evidence of the work carried out for the Jury's validation.

'Evidence' means the detailed planning of the actions carried out during each phase of the Program and a powerpoint presentation with photos, videos, etc. whose templates and characteristics will be provided in due course by the RedEscolas team.

2.5. Certification

On June 10, 2025, and after all the evidence of the Program's application by the different Schools has been submitted and analyzed, the All4Integrity Association will award:

- The 'Anti-Corruption Ambassador School' certificate to all schools that have joined the program and have provided evidence in line with the objectives described in the program's action plan.
- The 'Gold Digital Seal' and the 'Silver Digital Seal' according to the criteria set out in point 3. of these regulations.

The Digital Seal aims to promote and certify the projects developed by schools in the area of anti-corruption. The award of the Digital Seal to a school will allow the use of the 'Anti-Corruption Ambassador School' logo on their websites and official documents.



3. HOW TO PARTICIPATE

Interested schools (hereinafter the "Participants") must complete and submit, **between 9 September and 25 October 2024**, the Program Adherence Form, which will appear on the RedEscolas Anti-Corruption website, and the respective Consent for processing personal text and image data for GDPR purposes. These documents must be signed and stamped by the school/group management.

By 15 November 2024, each school must send a table (in Excel format) identifying all the teachers and students who will be directly involved in the 4th edition of the Program, as well as their email contacts.

3.1. Framework and validation of submissions

It will be the responsibility of the *RedEscolas AntiCorruption* team to validate the data provided by each school, namely the data relating to the educational institution, as well as the educational agents who will be responsible for coordinating the Program.

3.2. Selection

An independent jury, appointed by *RedEscolas AntiCorruption* especially for this purpose, made up of experts from the most diverse areas of society, will validate the evidence of the work presented by the schools. One of the jury members will be appointed President of the Jury. Each member of the jury is responsible for validating a limited number of schools (to be defined by *RedEscolas AntiCorruption*). The President of the Jury will validate the work of all the Schools, in order to guarantee homogeneity and equity in the validations.

The jury may also decide not to award the *Anti-Corruption Ambassador School certificate*, the respective digital seal and the *RedEscolas Anti-Corruption Ambassadors Board* to the school(s) that have not submitted evidence or whose work does not meet the objectives of the Program.

3.3. Evaluation Criteria and Awarding of Seals

The jury will analyze all the evidence submitted by the schools and validate it according to the following criteria, on a scale of zero (0) to four (4), for a total of 20 points in each of the validation phases:

- Activities developed in accordance with the themes and objectives of the Program defined in the pedagogical narrative;
- Interdisciplinarity of the pedagogical plans implemented;
- Capacity to involve students and the school community;
- Openness to dialog with the community;
- Originality of the work carried out.

Each validation criterion will consider the analysis of the evidence submitted by the schools, i.e:

- the project plans developed by each school in the different phases of the Program;
- the powerpoint presentation.



Once the validations have been completed, the Jury will decide whether to award the Digital Seals, according to the following criteria:

- **Gold Digital Seal** awarded to schools that have developed the entire pedagogical narrative of the Program (1st and 2nd Phase) and have obtained a final score of more than 20 points.
- Silver Digital Seal awarded to schools that have only developed the 1st Phase of the Program's pedagogical narrative and have obtained a final score of more than 10 points OR to school(s) that, despite having participated in both phases of the Program, have obtained a score of less than 20 points.
- No Seal for schools that have not provided evidence and/or have provided evidence
 that does not meet the objectives of the Program, having obtained a score of 5 points or
 less for schools that participated only in Phase 1, and a score of 9 points or less for
 schools that participated in both phases of the Program.

3.4. Communication on the Digital Seal and Certificates

On June 10, 2025, the *RedEscolas AntiCorruption* team will publicly announce the schools that have received the Gold Digital Seal and the Silver Digital Seal.

Participating schools will be contacted directly by the *RedEscolas AntiCorruption* team to hand over the 'AntiCorruption Ambassador School' certificates.

The certificates will be delivered via postal service on June 11, 2025.

The 'Digital Seal' will be sent by email to the school management from June 11, 2025.

4. CALENDARISATION

Without prejudice to changes being made to the Pedagogical Roadmap 2023-2024, here is a timetable of activities:

- **between September 9 and October 25, 2024** submission of the 'Participation Adhesion Form';
- **between December 9 and December 13, 2024** public presentation of the work carried out during the 1st Phase of the program;
- **between December 16 and 27, 2024** submission of the planning and evidence relating to the activities carried out during the 1st Phase of the program;
- **between January 13 and February 14, 2024** validation by the jury of the evidence submitted by the schools regarding the 1st Phase of the program;
- **between April 22 and 30**, **2025** public presentation of the work carried out in the 2nd Phase of the RedEscolas program;
- **between April 28 and May 9, 2025** submission of the planning and evidence relating to the activities carried out during the 2nd Phase of the program;
- **between May 12 and June 6, 2025** validation by the jury of the evidence submitted by the schools regarding the 2nd Phase of the program;



• **June 10, 2025** - Public presentation of the Digital Seal awarded to each participating school.

5. COMMUNICATION

The Program's official institutional communication will be carried out via email redescolas@all4integrity.org.

RedEscolas AntiCorrupção reserves the right to appoint a Spokesperson for the Program, who will be the official representative of the initiative for everything related to it, such as representation in Schools, Town Halls, Parish Councils, Libraries.

6. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Each school can submit an unlimited number of projects each year.

Schools wishing to participate with students from years other than those mentioned in point 2.1. of these *Regulations* must notify the *RedEscolas AntiCorruption team* of their intention to do so, so that they can be analysed.

The promoter of the Program is not responsible for the submission of untimely or faulty applications.

By submitting the Program application form and accepting these Terms and Conditions, participants authorise the Program promoter to use the data collected to publicise the Program, the results and other activities related to the promotion, under the applicable legal terms and in accordance with the *General Data Protection Regulation* (see annex to this *Regulation*).

Participants declare that they own all intellectual property rights to the content and materials submitted during the application of the Program and may dispose of them under the legal terms. In the event of a proven infringement of intellectual property rights by any of the Participants, the Program Promoter shall be entitled to compensation from the Participant for any third-party claims in this regard.

Upon request by the Program Promoter, Participants must provide proof of compliance with the provisions of these *Terms and Conditions*.

All personal information contained in the application form for participation in the Program is collected, used and kept exclusively for the purposes of administering *RedEscolas AntiCorruption*.

It is the responsibility of each school to ensure that all evidence submitted (photographs, videos, ...) complies with the *General Data Protection Regulation* (GDPR).

Any questions about the Program or these Regulations should be sent to redescolas@all4integrity.org.

These Terms and Conditions may be freely amended by the entity promoting the Program.



ANEXO 1

CONSENT FOR THE PROCESSING OF PERSONAL INFORMATION AND IMAGE DATA FOR THE PURPOSES OF GDPR

By joining the *RedEscolas AntiCorruption program: Schools that inspire us with a culture of integrity – 3rd Edition*, schools undertake to make this Consent known to parents and students participating in this program, ensuring that they accept, for all legal purposes, consent to the processing of their personal data and grant, free of charge, to All 4 Integrity Association (hereinafter identified as "Association"), as the promoter of this program, the rights to collect, use and preserve their texts and images, as well as the rights of dissemination, publication, use and exploitation of the texts and images of the works carried out by them, under the terms indicated below:

- I Reasoning for the processing of personal data:
 - a) Consent
- II Exclusive purposes of processing personal data:
 - a) The collected personal data are intended exclusively for use in the management of the All4Integrity Association Project – RedEscolas AntiCorruption – 4th Edition, taking place during the 2024/2025 school year;
 - b) Personal data and the work carried out for the project may be used in the production of promotional videos and also reproduced and disseminated at events, on the Association's internal and external communication channels, online and/or offline (namely in the press, email and social networks of the Association: website, Instagram, YouTube, etc.);
 - c) The data will only be used for the purposes for which it is intended, with reference to the authorship of the work carried out by the students always being guaranteed;



- d) Personal data will only be kept as long as they are relevant to the continuity of the project and will be deleted or anonymized when the purpose that motivated the authorization of their processing ceases;
- e) The Privacy Policy available on the Association's website applies to the processing of personal data in question, as well as the national and European legislation in force on the matter, namely the rules of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)
 Regulation EU 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016.
- f) Holders of personal data have the right to request access to the personal data concerning them, their rectification, their erasure, limitation of processing with regard to the data subject, opposition to processing, portability of the data, as well as the withdrawal of consent at any time and without any penalty or complaint to the CNPD (National Data Protection Commission) (if the Association is not processing the data lawfully, in accordance with the provisions of the Law and the Privacy Policy). However, the withdrawal of consent does not compromise the lawfulness of the treatment carried out based on the previously given consent.

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