

REGENERATION IN EDUCATION

Nautiluz Education Powered by Lumiar



Creating space for the spark of learning to ignite!

The Nautiluz Learning Centre is a growing, bilingual (English/Portuguese), learning environment for kids aged 4 -11, based in nature near Lagos in the Western Algarve. Focusing on project based learning, we empower the next generations to access their unique brilliance and learning potential by cultivating connection to their inner truth, and stoking their curiosity and innate ability to learn, through our passionate, skilled and dedicated community of educators and subject specialists.

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4 - 7 years

PRE-SCHOOL + 1ST YEAR HOMESCHOOLING SUPPORT



We offer project based learning and support for Pre-school and 1st year Homeschooled students on weekdays from 9.30am - 3.30pm, during term time.

Each day is planned in collaboration with the children by our trained preschool educators and will present meaningful projects for all children to develop well-rounded skills and autonomy. The pedagogical approach will prepare children for the Lumiar Methodology focusing on Competency and Project Based Learning. There will be plenty of opportunities for your child to have fun in our garden, but also an indoor space for rest, and calming activities. Our Learning center is a bilingual learning environment in English and Português.

There are a maximum of 15 learners in each group.

Children bring their own water, snack, and packed lunch everyday.

'I feel home, i feel cosy, i learn and it makes me happy'

-Preschool student



7-10 years

ELEMENTARY HOMESCHOOLING SUPPORT

2nd - 4th year



We offer project based learning and support for 2nd, 3rd and 4th year students of Homeschooling 9.30am - 3.30pm, Monday to Friday, during term time.

Our project based learning schedule uses the Lumiar mosaic which allows us to work synergistically with both projects and the parts of the curriculum we engage. Our tutors are trained and experienced educators who will facilitate a bilingual learning environment (English & Português). Our tutors, and the land itself, provide the conditions in which our learners will get the chance to actively manage their own process, with guidance, and this gives them the space to unfold naturally into their passion for learning. There is more than enough space on our beautiful land to play and be curious and the children will be given many opportunities to move freely and use their bodies as is natural for them.

There are a maximum of 15 learners in each group.

Our 2nd, 3rd and 4th year students bring their own water and packed lunch everyday.

"If we want our children to move mountains, we have to first let them get out of their chairs"

- Nicolette Sowder



10-12 years

MIDDLE YEARS HOMESCHOOLING SUPPORT

5th + 6th year



We offer project based learning and support for 5th and 6th year students of Homeschooling 9.30am - 3.30pm, Monday to Friday, during term time.

Through interdisciplinary projects designed together with the students, we will weave together different areas of the curriculum to deepen student's curiosity and build a holistic understanding of our world. Students will practice key skills for personal well-being and for increasing their autonomy, as well as skills for collaboration and teamwork through a diversity of activities, ranging from academic work to art, games, and field trips. We aim for Middle Years students to learn to value themselves and each other, accepting their changing selves and increasing confidence in their ability to overcome challenges.

Our tutors are trained and experienced educators and will facilitate a bilingual learning environment (English & Português).

There is a maximum of 15 learners in each group.

Our 5th and 6th year students bring their own water and packed lunch everyday.

"The answer is not to standardize education, but to personalize and customize it to the needs of each child and community.

There is no alternative.

There never was."

- Sir Ken Robinson





POWERED BY LUMIAR OUR PEDICALOGICAL FOUNDATIONS



Our pedagogical foundation is "powered by Lumiar": The aim of the Lumiar Methodology is to offer a modern form of education that fosters autonomy, and integrated, contextualized learning, competency development and a strong connection to real life. It aims to create an environment where the learners need to take action and some responsibility for their own learning. The projects will be based both on the children's interests, and on the requirements of their homeschooling curriculum, through a collaborative planning process guided by their Tutor. We believe that when students are interested in something, their learning can become a joyful adventure, and students start to enjoy challenging themselves to learn and do more. Projects stimulate the children into thinking, researching and creating, as well as providing plenty of opportunities for problem solving. Through group-projects and collaborations, the children will have to practice teamwork skills, communication and both intellectual and emotional expression. There will also be individual projects where the children get to practice working independently.

Tutors are responsible for planning learning cycles -- with an eye to ensuring the mastery of essential understanding -- with the children and organizing visits from specialists in certain project areas: in the Lumiar model, these specialists are referred to as Masters. For example: when we are learning about foods, we might invite a farmer, or a head chef! The children will get to meet people who come to share their knowledge and skills in different areas, to inspire and provide inputs into the children's exciting learning journey.



FEE SCHEDULE

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| Admission Fees | Euros € |
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| Admin fee including land guided visit (non-refundable) | 25 € |
| Application Fee deposit to secure your place for Sept 2023 (non-refundable) | 300 € |
| Monthly Fee | |
| Payable Sept-August (12 months) | 600 € |
| Siblings discount aplicable | contact us |
| Special offers availbale before July 31st | contact us |

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If you are interested in applying for Nautiluz for September 2023, please fill in the application form on our website under the Apply heading here:

https://www.nautiluz.pt/enrolment

From there you will receive an email where we will arrange a call to begin your application enquiry.

We look forward to receiving your application.

With love, The Nautiluz team