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The main building is composed of 47 classrooms, one library with around 26,000 books, besides laboratories, a toy library, university restaurant, auditorium and theatre. In the second building, called Prédio Arco [Arch building] one can find research laboratories, administrative and academic sectors, teacher's rooms, spaces for students and extramural activities.

At EFLCH, there are many young students of low income, which indicates its commitment with the mission of public education, i.e., universal tertiary education and promotion of social justice.

### ¿Cómo ingresar a la EFLCH?

The student who seeks to enter EFLCH needs to take the National High School Exam (ENEM). After verifying their final result in ENEM, they must enroll in the Unified Selection System (SISU) at <http://sisu.mec.gov> and wait for their selection in the first to sixth call-ups. At EFLCH/Guarulhos Campus, all vacancies are filled via SISU ( <https://sisu.mec.gov.br/> ).

EFLCH is also the home of Cursinho Popular Pimentas/Unifesp [a bridging course preparing students for ENEM] whose classes are on Saturdays and is open to students who are completing/have completed High School and wish to enhance their chances at ENEM and other Tertiary Entrance Examinations.



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# undergraduate courses offered at EFLCH

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## Social Sciences (Bachelor's and Teaching Degrees)

Places: 60 for the afternoon and 60 for the evening

The course aims at providing a sound theoretical-methodological education in the areas that compose this scientific field – Anthropology, Political Sciences and Sociology – so as not only to develop teaching, analytical, interpretive, argumentative and discursive abilities, but to link them to issues of political, social and cultural interests.

## Language and Literature

(Bachelor's and Teaching Degrees in Portuguese, Spanish, French and English)

**Places:** 100 for the afternoon and 100 for the evening, divided among the courses listed above.

Courses stimulate reflection about language and literature, and are organized having in mind students that are interested in the multiple possibilities of oral and written productions in the focused languages. Versatile, the education of this professional allows them to work as editors, proofreaders, translators and language/literature teachers in several educational contexts.

## Arts History

(Bachelors' Degree)

**Places:** 50 in the evening only.

The course investigates visual phenomena in any knowledge field of the world, focusing on painting, sculpture, photography, cinema, besides mechanical, electronic and digital images. The professional who graduates this course can work in museums, art galleries, course for the community, artistic consultancy positions, cultural management, and for any position where an art specialist is required.

## Education

(Teaching Degrees)

Places: 60 for the afternoon and 60 for the evening

The course covers the theoretical and investigative field of education, teaching, learning and other areas of pedagogical work per se. Professional activities include teaching, management of educational processes in school and extra-school environments, as well as the production and promotion of knowledge in the area of education.

## History (Bachelor's and Teaching Degrees)

Places: 60 for the afternoon and 60 for the evening

History aims at studying human beings' actions and relations in time and space – work and the transformation of Nature, the organization of society and its collective representations. The course prepares the professional for teaching and researching in schools, in heritage institutions, and for critically promoting information to broader audiences.

## Philosophy (Bachelor's and Teaching Degrees)

Places: 60 for the afternoon and 60 for the evening

Part of the Humanities field, the course of Philosophy taught at Unifesp is organized so as to offer a theoretical education that allows the professional to philosophically examine cultural, artistic, scientific and technical productions of thought history. The course aims at educating researchers and teachers for High School and Tertiary Education.