



Rita Vilela



Writer

Psychologist

Trainer

Story-teller



“A writer who made me believe that reading a good book is the best hobby you can have”

(Gonçalo Leandro - 15 years old reader)

over 200 000 copies printed



50 books published in Portugal

10 books published abroad





book published in **Italy** - 2013
and **Venezuela** - 2014



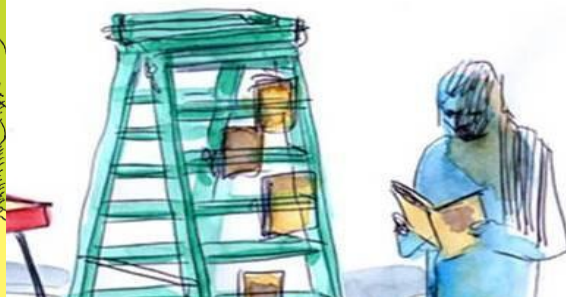
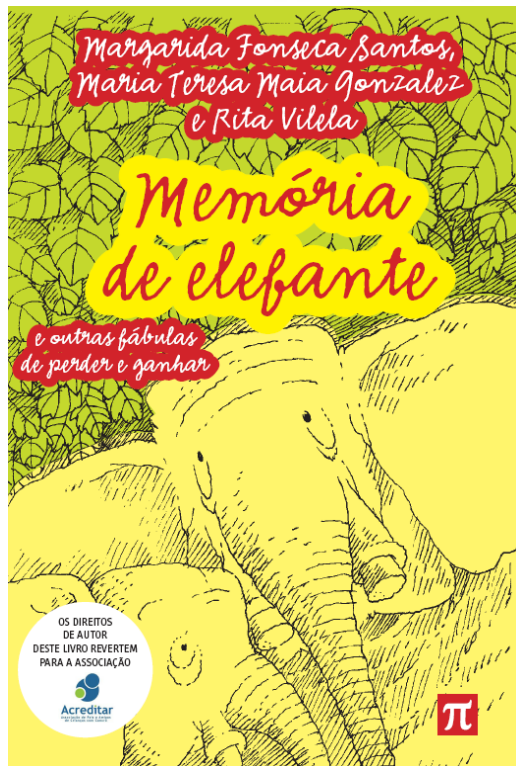


8 books published in **Brazil** – 2016



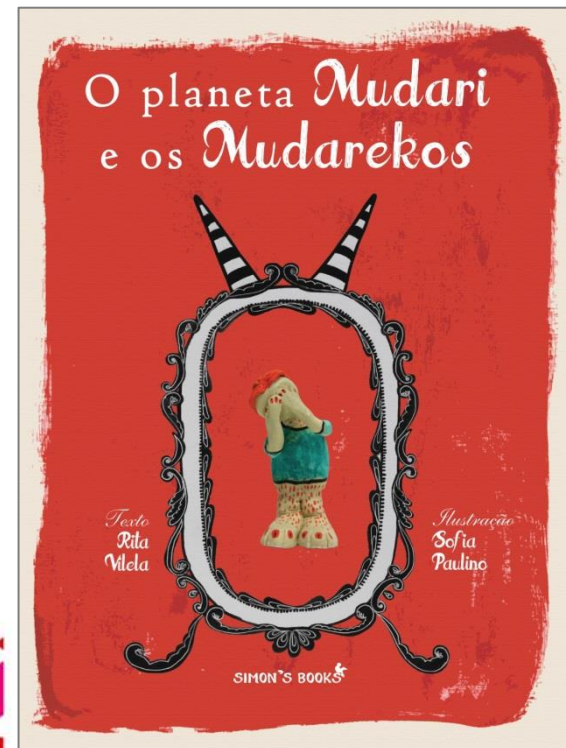
Portugal / Bologna 2012
Bologna Children's Book Fair

Nominated as one of the
100 livros para o futuro
100 books for the future



**BOLOGNA
CHILDREN'S
BOOK FAIR**

26-29 Marzo 2018



Books **selected** by the Portuguese Committee for Books and Libraries
to **represent Portugal** at the **Bologna Fair** (2012 and 2018)

INSPIRE!

TORONTO INTERNATIONAL BOOK FAIR

TD Children's Stage

HOSTED BY



Happie Testa



Ana Paula Ribeiro



Camões Presents: RITA VILELA



Participation in the **INSPIRE** Toronto International Book Fair. Initiatives to promote reading in **Canada** (2014) and **Switzerland** (2019) with the **Camões Institute**.

Social media



Television

- Portugal no Coração – RTP
- Mundo das Mulheres – Sic Mulher
- FPTV – Canada

Radio

- Radio Renascença, Antena 1, Antena 2, TSF, and local radio stations
- International radio stations – Switzerland, Canada, São Tomé and Príncipe, Cape Verde, Mozambique, South Africa and USA

Escritora Rita Vilela promove

Começou a escrever em 2008 e já editou sete livros. É este o percurso f...

exclusivo das livrarias do grupo Modelo/Con...

14 de Dezembro de 2012

Conversa com Rita Vilela

... Mendes

ranque "a sério" deu-se muito mais tarde, em 2003, com a escrita do meu primeiro livro, "As 7 Cores de Oniris", de fan-

fez escolher o curso de psicologia e esse mesmo interesse que me fornece inspiração para aquilo que escrevo. No livro "As 7 Cores de Oniris", por exemplo, as personagens habitam Oniris e a sua vida é uma ficção, com que bases...

Rita: Não é fácil explicar a qualidade de uma obra, de facto. A minha experiência é que é uma árdua tarefa, onde é difícil sermos objectivos e que a riqueza...

LÊ-SE ASSIM

Rita Vilela

Livros

"Alterava o final de todos os romances que acabam mal. Gosto de finais felizes"

Qual foi o primeiro livro que leu? O que recorda dele? Não me lembro nada dele, nem sequer do título.

Que livro o obrigaram a ler na escola que achou insuportável? Não é bonito dizer mal do trabalho dos meus colegas de profissão, especialmente daqueles que já morreram há muito tempo.

Que obra proibida lhe às escondidas?

Só digo se prometerem não contar a ninguém.

Que livro gostaria de ter escrito? Um bestseller internacional... o tipo de livro que me permitiria dedicar-me à escrita a tempo inteiro.

Qual a obra que releu mais vezes? "As 7 Cores de Oniris". Foi o meu primeiro livro e antes que...



de, posso dizer que gosto bastante destes títulos: "Os Descendentes de Merlin", "As 7 Cores de Oniris", "O Construtor de Futuros", "O da Princesa", "A Vingança da Lua" ou o "Curso de Comem para Meninos com Medo". De que romance alterava o final e porquê? Alterava de todos os que acabam mal... Gosto de finais felizes! Vai parar a uma ilha deserta e encontra o pior livro imaginável. Como se chama? O pior livro imaginável seria uma obra não ilustrada em grego ou no latim. Nam...

ENTREVISTA COM...

RITA VILELA uma "voz" nascida em Paço de Arcos

CURRÍCULO

RITA VILELA (R.V.), uma "voz" que quase vi nascer, surge-nos a todos com um conjunto de livros ora publicados, desde logo, a sua vocação para a escrita - desta vez, ao sector juvenil, mas em que uma vertente mais madura que...



Escritora Rita Vilela partilha experiências com mais de 150 alunos

► Vânia Pereira

O Cine-Teatro João Ribeiro, em Vouzela, recebeu no passado dia 15 de Maio, sexta-feira, um Encontro com a escritora Rita Vilela. Compareceram mais de 150 alunos do 7º e 8º anos da Escola Básica Integrada de Campia e da Escola Secundária de Vouzela, do CEF da Escola Básica Integrada de Campia e do 10º ano da Escola Secundária de Vouzela.

A iniciativa de cerca de 1h30 permitiu a estes alunos curiosos e atentos colocarem perguntas abertas à autora e às quais se seguiu uma sessão de autógrafos.

Rita Vilela explicou como começou a escrever "foi quando me interessei por livros de fantasia e imaginação tive vontade de escrever alguns livros, entre os quais a...



Rita Vilela partilhou histórias e experiências para uma plateia de mais de 150 alunos do concelho de Vouzela

Nasceu em 1964. Depois de concluído o curso de psicologia, começou a trabalhar na formação profissional. Rita Vilela estreou-se como terapeuta ao trabalhar com pessoas. Para relaxar, gosta de ficar na natureza, com o marido, e tentaram canoagem, escalada, espeleologia, rafting e outros. Mas o que mais gosta é de escrever. As histórias, descobrimos, são paisagens do nosso imaginário. Tem paixão por escrever e passar horas a fazê-lo.

J. NICOLAU

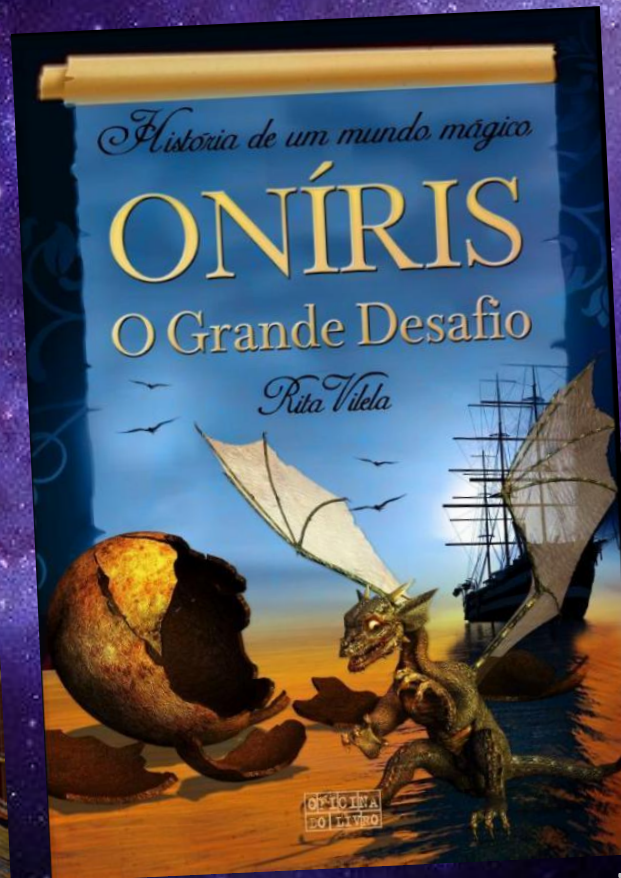
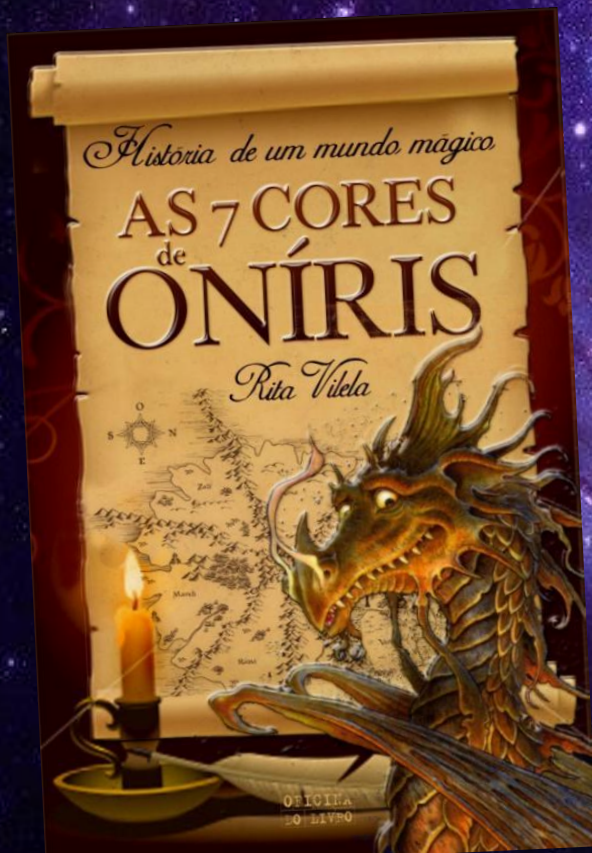


YA Fantasy

Free your imagination, stretching the limits of what is possible.

The 7 Colours of Oniris

In a world inhabited by 7 human races, the fate of the gods is in the hands of mankind



fantasy and adventure

I would love to wake up in Oniris one day and live all its **adventures** (Francisco)

I love them. They might just be books, but they've really **changed my life** because I've started to see things differently! (Inês Margarida - 15 years old)

Thanks to you, I'm now an avid 24-year-old fan of fantasy books. It's never too late to start to **enjoy reading** (Pesco)

Nowadays, whenever I read "A divided world" I find that the **child** I once was is still inside me (Dulce Pacheco)

Merlin's Descendants

The History we've learned... the legends we're told... it's all connected!



historical fantasy

I love this series, and although I haven't been alive for very long yet, I think this is one of the **best series I've ever read**... and I read a lot!!! (André Vieira)

It's almost impossible to put down because of the suspense it creates! It's a **fascinating book**! (Vasco Moreira)

Please don't end this series yet because I'm not ready to say goodbye (...) especially to Lina, because whenever I've faced a difficult situation, **I've thought of her** and the decisions she had to make
(Rita - Escola Medas - 13 years old)



Andosia's Heroes

A strange nightmare and a broken bed mark the beginning of the adventure...

Sometimes, the heroes are the most improbable ones

fantasy and adventure

A catchy and light reading, aimed primarily to the youngest, but yet capable of providing **a good adventure for readers of all ages**. Light, simple and quite interesting, a good story. (Carla Ribeiro - blog "As leituras do corvo")

I loved the book. **I fell in love with the story** (...) and can't wait to read more. I really, really liked it. The idea of a "parallel world" we go to in our sleep... it's fascinating! I know it's not quite that easy, and that not everyone gets the chance to go to Andosia, but I love the idea that we have a whole other life when we fall asleep (Maria Ramos - 15 years old)



Special World

A computer game ruled by gods capable of destroying the world

Three young people with useless superpowers are the mankind's only hope.

fantasy and adventure



TLE Writing

Therapeutic and Learning Effect

Metaphorical writing which leads readers to reflect upon and assimilate the messages communicated, facilitating the processes of learning and change.

For: children, youth and adults



Children's books

Books that **help children!**

An important tool for parents and educators.



I love Rita's books !!!!
(Laura - 7 years old)

The books deal with essential issues when it comes to bringing up children, they instil values, (society-appropriate) behaviours and are an excellent tool for everyone, from parents and educators to the aunts of little princesses :-) (Carla Santos)

For problems related to...

Valuing
what's
important

Emotions

A desire for revenge

Feelings

Lies

Shouting

Self-esteem
and self-image

Courtesy and respect
for each other

Also published in **Brazil**

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... (7)



Questions seeking answers

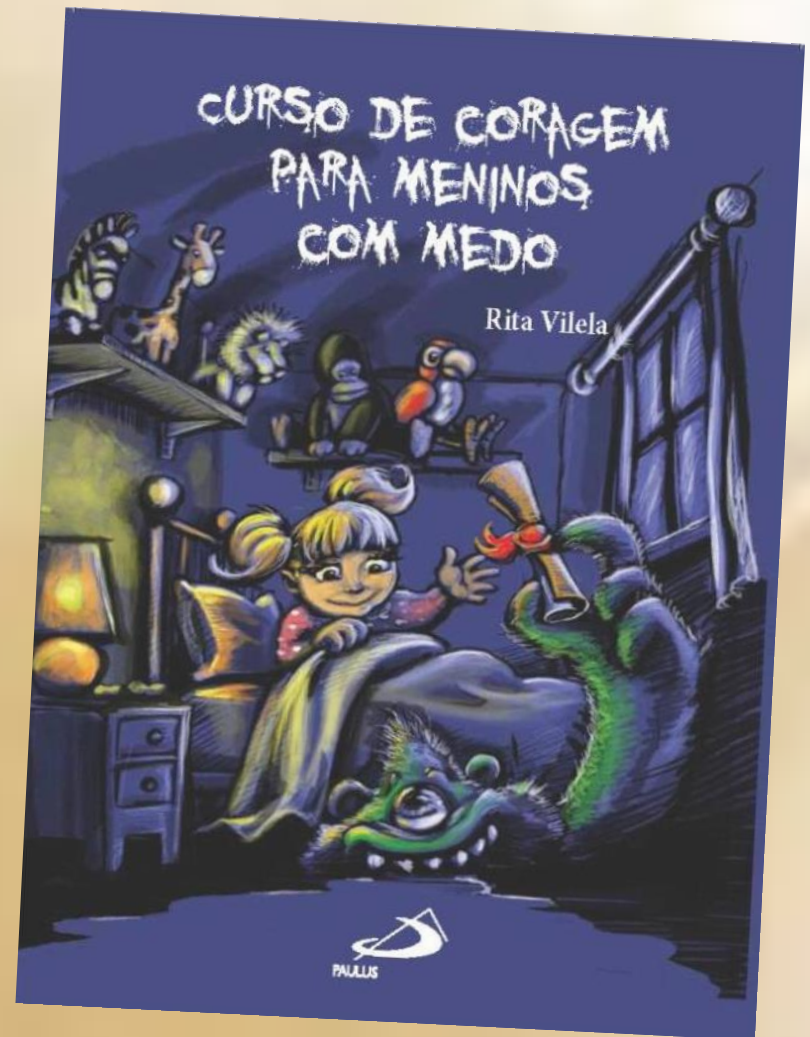


Captivating, fun stories that deal with questions to help readers think and grow

When **being afraid** is a problem...

How to be brave for children who are **afraid**

a book that teaches readers
how to manage their fears



Also published in **Italy** and **Venezuela**

When the aim is to reduce **risky behaviours** when dealing with food...

How to protect
against evil
bacteria

Learning what we can
do to avoid getting ill



When you want to **manage your money**
better...

How to manage my money

Helping little ones gain
financial awareness



O curioso JOGO do DR. ALBERTO

Rita Vilela

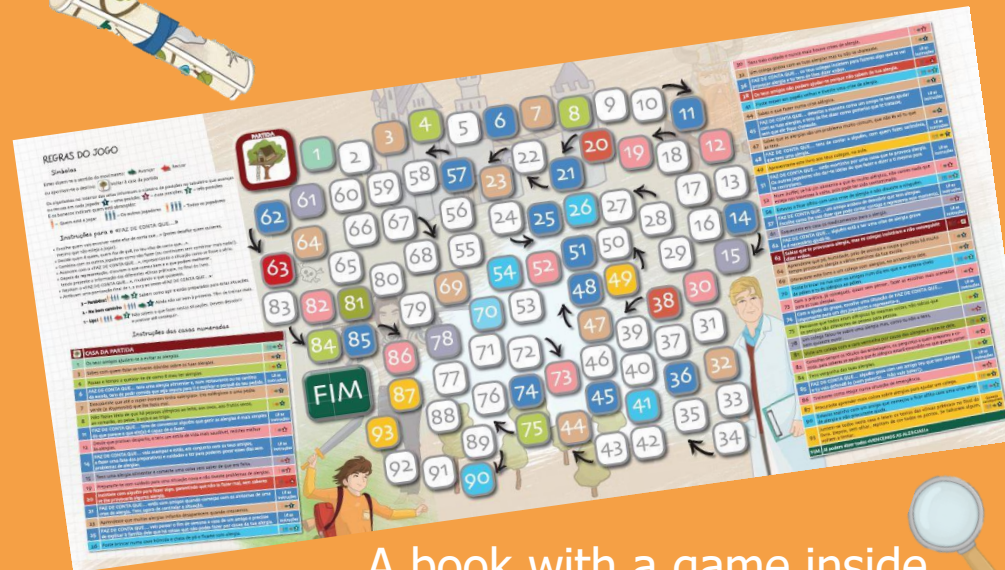
Atreves-te
a jogar?

Planeta Junior

When the problem is
allergies

Dr Alberto's curious game

Because allergies don't have
to be the end of the world...
they can be a challenge!



A book with a game inside

O planeta Mudari e os Mudarekos

Texto
Rita
Vilela



Ilustração
Sofia
Paulino

SIMON'S BOOKS

Planet *Change*
and the
changiers

To work the anger
and the tantrums



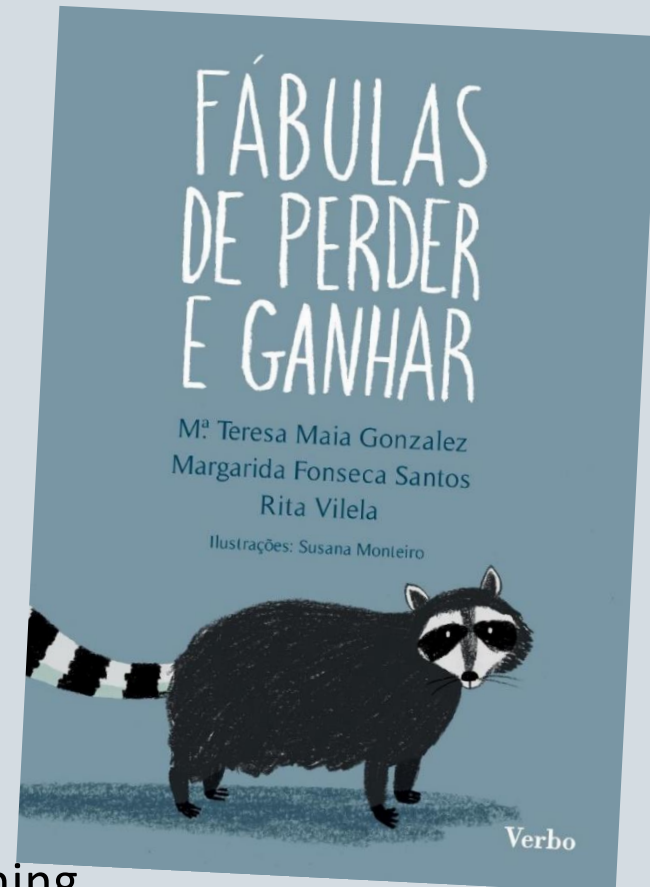
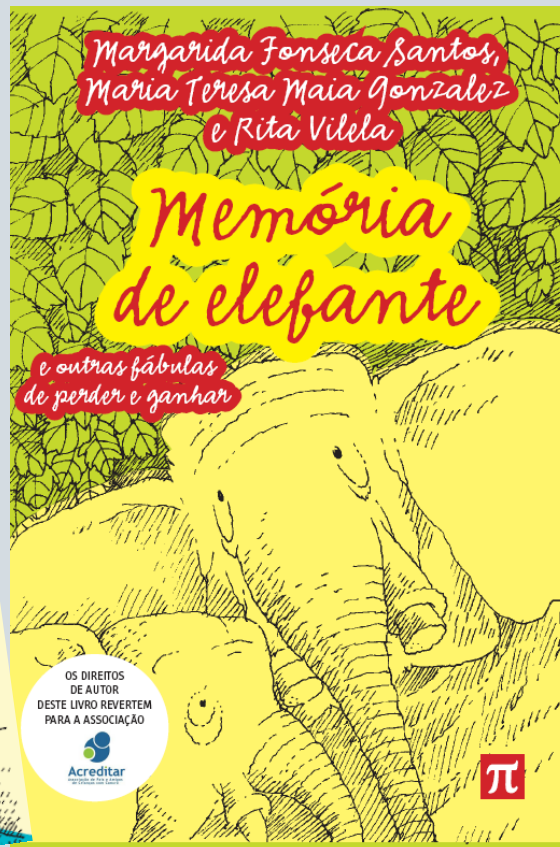
THREE-HANDED FABLES

(WRITTEN WITH MARGARIDA FONSECA SANTOS
AND MARIA TERESA MAIA GONZALES)



For when we need to face losses...

and overcome
difficulties...



Because losing may also be a way of winning

Hats with stories

The power and magic
of stories



Alice



Develop affections
and relationships





Books for young adults
and adults

A book that will inspire readers to **make a difference** in someone else's life

The builder of futures

A creative man committed to improving the lives of those who cross his path.

Agostinho da Cultura Award
In the “new readers” category
Brazil



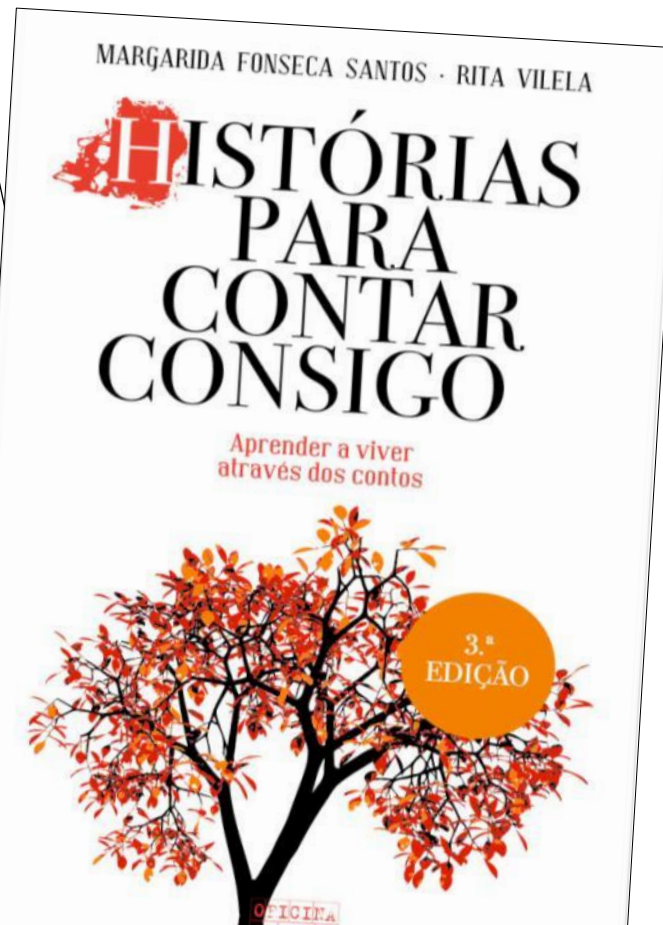
The builder of Futures deserves to be read, digested and, above all, deserves to have a ripple effect on our lives! This story is sure to strike a chord with anyone who reads it! (Prof. Dália Santos)

Magic for our minds – Beautifully designed and an excellent therapeutic tool... Recommended reading, capable of providing interesting moments and bringing change to our lives (Jreis – about Stories to tell yourself)

This book has been therapeutic for me. I'm learning to look inside myself for what I need, for what completes and scares me. I'll take these stories with me because I know I can count on them in hard times (Pérola – about Stories to tell yourself)

For a range of **problems...**

Stories to tell yourself
Playing with serious things



The pleasure of
reading
combined with
the power to
transform

Books of Metaphorical tales

(written with Margarida Fonseca Santos)

Is it a book or a game?

Each reader's choices will lead them down
a unique reading path

Learning how to live
through fairy tales



When **attitudes** make life difficult...

Dreaming with K

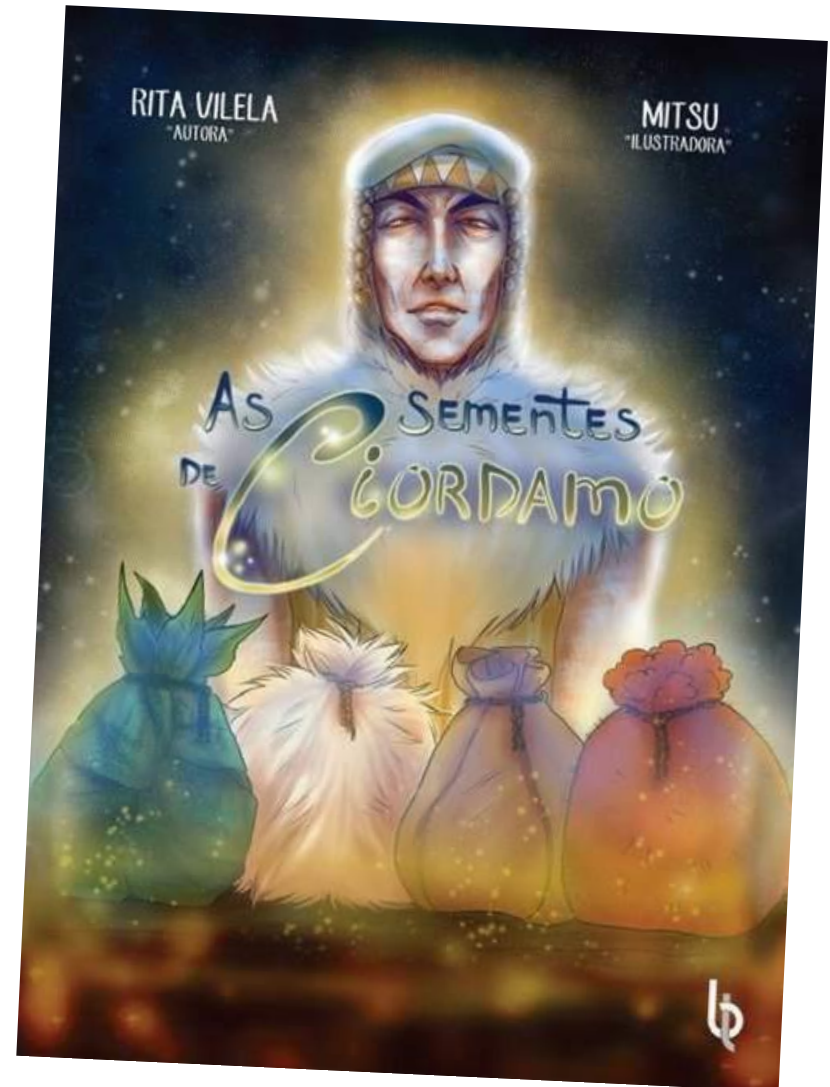
A book that can help
young people lead
happier lives



When you want a better management of **money**
and **resources**

Ciordamo's Seeds

Comic Book

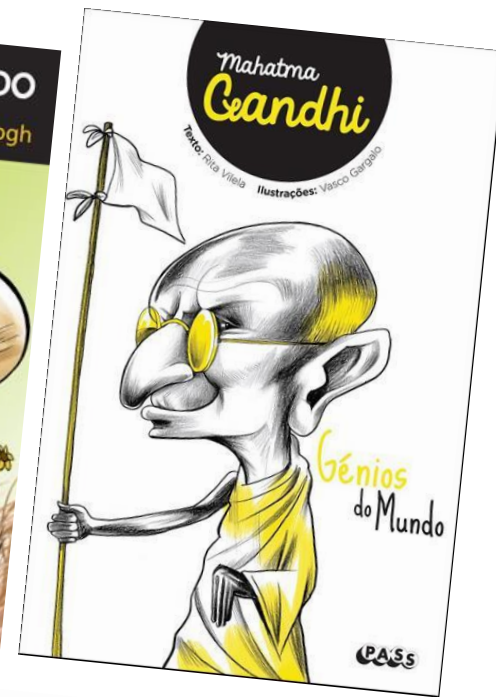


World Geniuses Collection

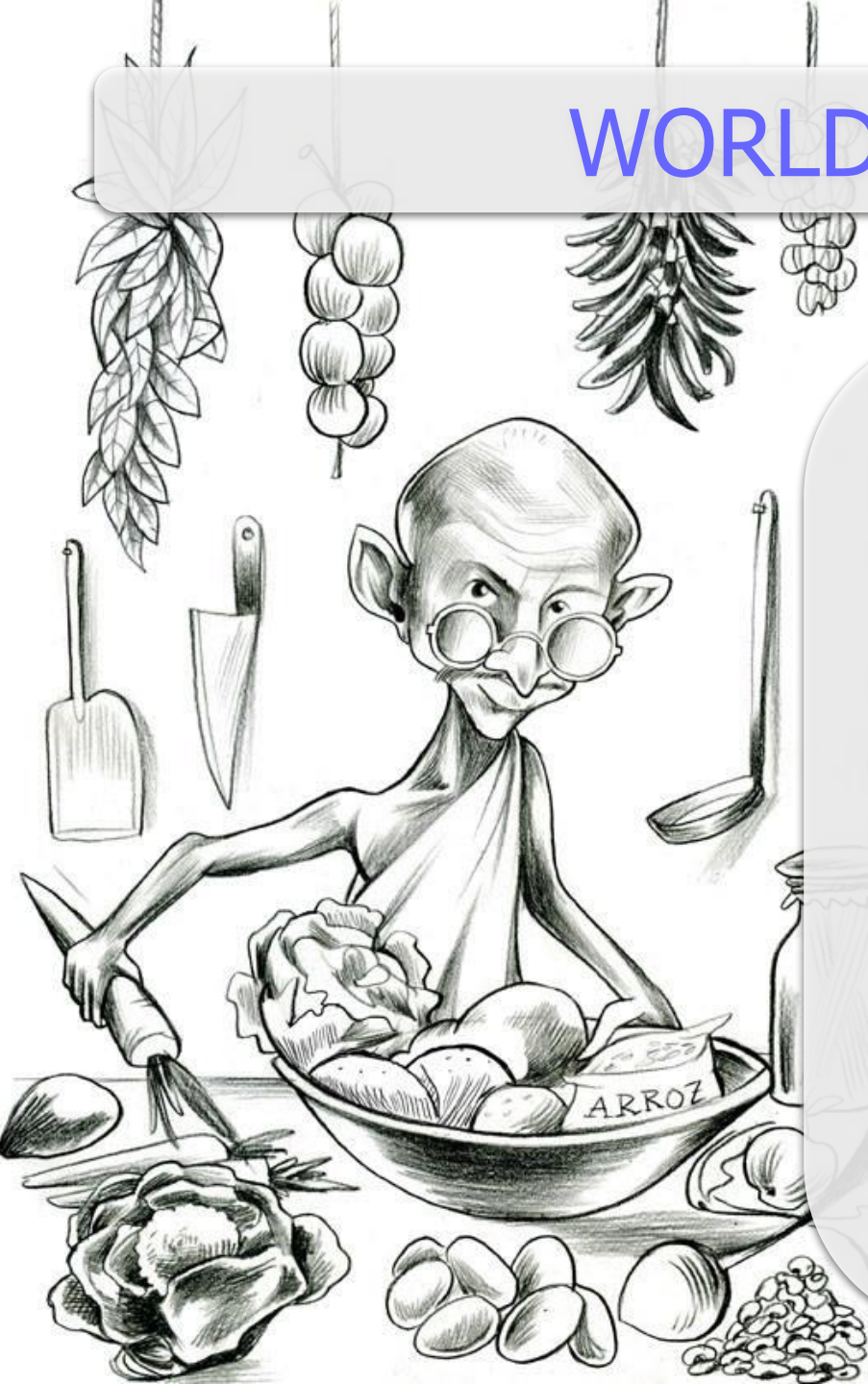
Da Vinci - Gandhi

Mozart - Van Gogh

The fun of delving into the lives and achievements of great world geniuses



WORLD GENIUSES



What is the connection between **Leonardo Da Vinci** and teenage issues?

Could **Gandhi** help save an injured boy?

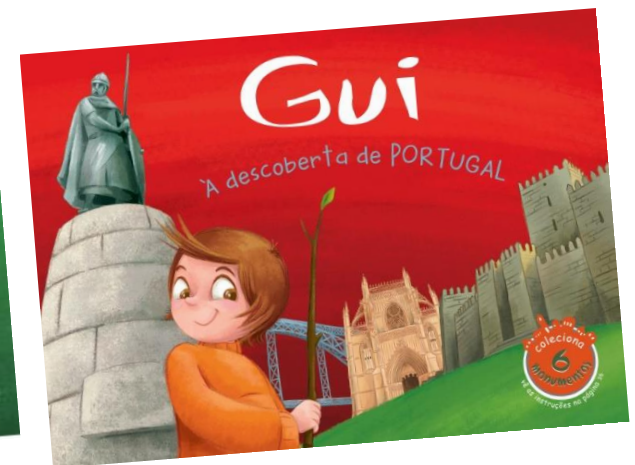
Can being nosy enough to read other people's letters help us find out more about **Van Gogh**?

Will three siblings be able to find **Mozart** in Lisbon?



Other books

A solidarity project



Uma iniciativa da Multi Portugal

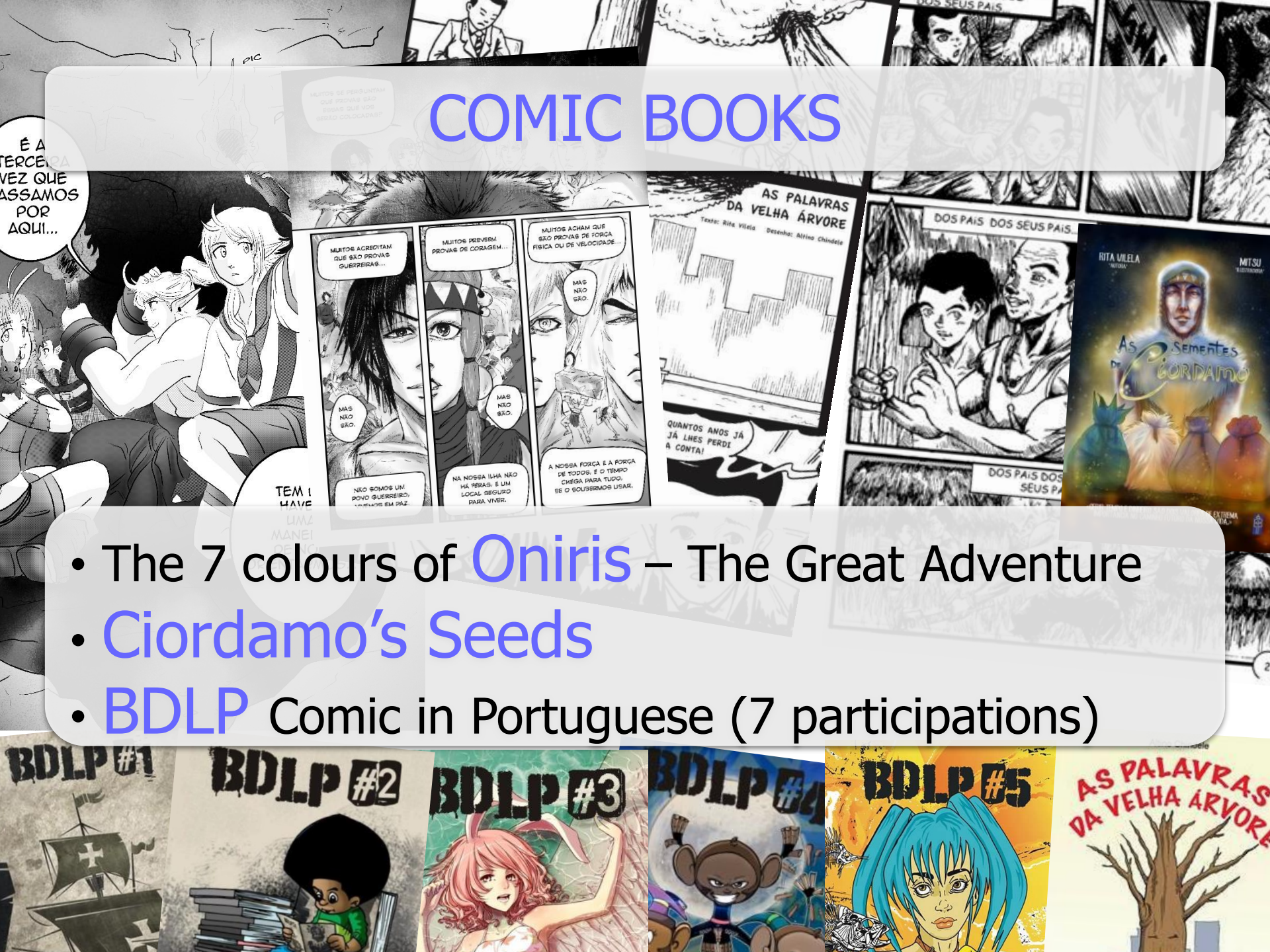
MAYBE 10 IS BETTER



A **love** story...
with a touch of
fantasy



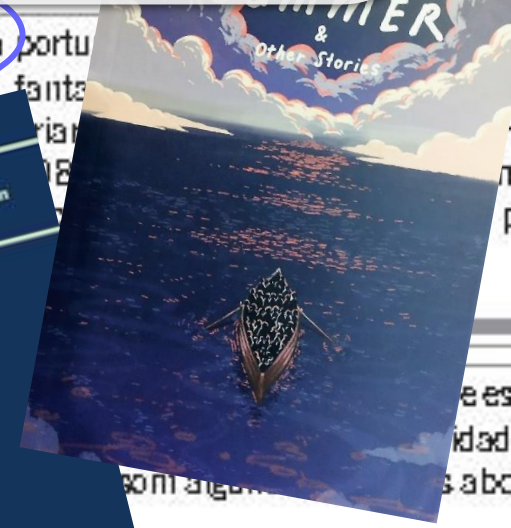
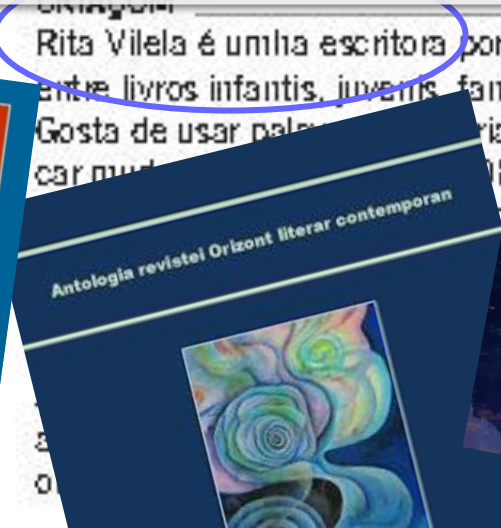
COMIC BOOKS



- The 7 colours of **Oniris** – The Great Adventure
- **Ciordamo's Seeds**
- **BDLP** Comic in Portuguese (7 participations)

CONTRIBUTIONS TO PUBLICATIONS

- **UK** - Anthology *After Summer* - Readon
- **Spain** - Newspaper *Novas da Galiza*
- **Romania** - Orizon Literar Contemporan
- **Portugal** - newspapers, magazines, books





Other projects

Encouraging readers to **find out about** and
protect marine life



Educational script
Sea Life
Oporto Oceanarium

A journey of discovery to find
out more about sea life...
and make a commitment to
protect it!

2010 - Nós na Linha

Encouraging entrepreneurship...



Enterprising Children Workshops Project

AIP / Nós na Linha – 2012

Book and teaching materials, stories and challenges

**"Five Sweet Fingers
The Su Cess company"**

The story of Susan Cess and her chocolate glove company

Changing behaviours...



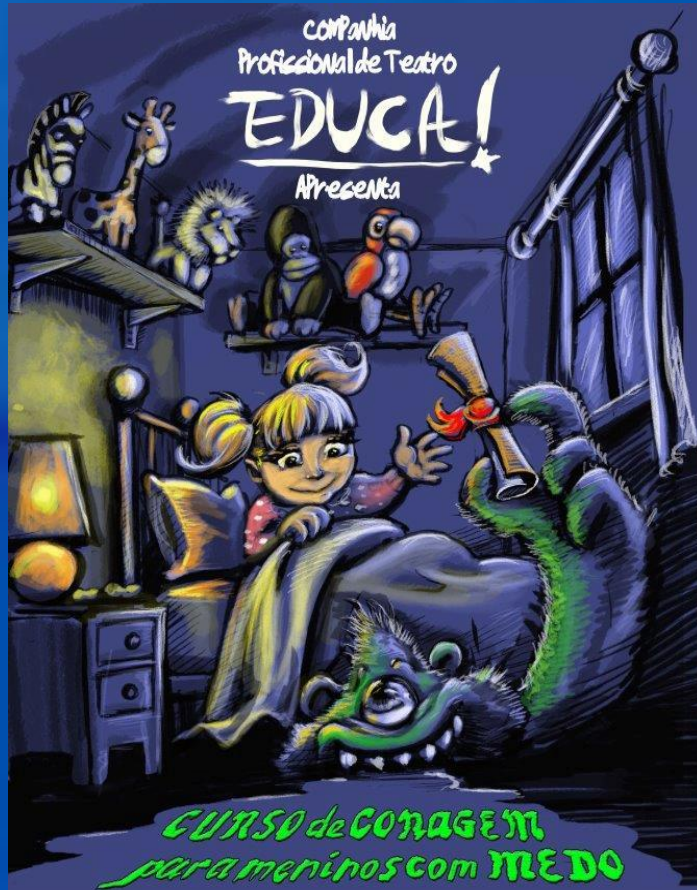
Script for children's video

The story of a boy who
wanted to help a
country

AIP / Nós na Linha
2016

HOW TO BE BRAVE FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE AFRAID

EDUCA Theatre Company
(2012 a 2014)



Books adapted for the theatre



FOLKLORE?! WHAT IS THAT?

Montargil Children and Youth Theatre
Group (2014)



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