How can I write the Portuguese accents on my computer?

Many students have asked how to create Portuguese symbols and accented letters on their computers. If you are using Windows XP and do not want to re-configure your keyboard, this is one method:

1. Press and hold down the ALT key while you type the following four number code on the side number pad.

2. Release the ALT key and the Portuguese symbol or letter appears. For example, press and hold the ALT key while you type 0225, release the ALT and you have á.

Continue the same process for the following Portuguese accented letters.

Key + # = Symbol Alt 0199 Ç 0231 ç 0192 À Alt 0224 à Alt 0193 Á 0225 á 0195 Ã 0227 ã Alt 0201 É 0233 é Alt 0202 Ê 0234 ê Alt Alt 0205 Í 0237 í Alt 0211 Ó 0243 ó 0213 Õ 0245 õ Alt 0218 Ú 0250 ú Alt