

Course Content: Modern Standard Arabic 2 (MSA 2)

Course duration: 12 sessions x 2.5 hours

Course Objective	Vocabulary Build-Up	Grammar Build-Up
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To ensure a proper and balanced approach for the student in learning the Arabic language, covering both interactive in-class activities and systematic grammar build-up. After focusing on the present tense (الفعل المضارع) in MSA 1, the student will be taught to conjugate the command verb (الفعل الأمر) in Arabic. This will help them in asking/instructing an act to be done. To systematically expose the student to the initial stages of conjugating the past tense (الفعل الماضي). To aid the student in proper usage of practical conversations through Vocabulary Build-Up. To promote confidence in using Arabic by creating an atmosphere of frequent interaction in Arabic between student and teacher. By the end of the course, the student should be able to write, speak, and listen to Arabic comfortably, and acquire understanding of short passages and expressive dialogues. 	<p>Vocabulary will be built up through conversations surrounding the following themes:</p> <p>الدراسة Study</p> <p>العمل Work</p> <p>التسوق Shopping</p> <p>الجر Weather</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adjectives Conjugating the Command Verb Changing Present Tense to Past Tense: <i>Thulathi Basith</i> Past Tense + Object Pronouns Prepositions Arabic Phrases <p><i>Note: Present tense (الفعل المضارع) covered in MSA 1 will be revised periodically to maximize retention. Various forms of tenses (past-present-command) will also be used in phrases and dialogues.</i></p>

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