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LEARN ARABIC IN RABAT

WHO WE ARE

Study Arabic in Rabat, Morocco!

From its towering city walls to its breath-taking Atlantic coastline, the Moroccan capital of Rabat will enchant and inspire you.

Its history dates back to pre-Roman times, when the settlement of Chellah was established at the mouth of the Bou regreg river in the third century BCE. The fortress there and its sister fortress the Kasbah of the Oudayas are fantastic reminders of Rabat's grand past.

We teach Classical Arabic in a beautiful and traditional setting. Our intensive curriculum gives our students the opportunity to rapidly acquire Arabic through immersion.

Our school is located in a unique and charming building. Our airconditioned 4,000 square foot facility has 7 classrooms, a library and a cafeteria. The school has a tranquil garden with fountains and plenty of space for quiet study or reflection.



LOCATION - RABAT



OUR SCHOOL

The school building is an architects dream, combining new architectural style with old. Each room offers a different feeling with moroccan mosaics decorating the walls or ceilings, off setting the new hardwood floors and carpets. The school offers AC throughout the building.



- > spacious facility within it's own tranquil garden
- > located in a up scale neighborhood
- > family atmosphere
- > 7 bright and large classrooms
- > small class size, with a maximum of 10 per class
- > computer lab with free high-speed internet access
- > lounge, study rooms, kitchen

We know you will feel at home with us!

For prices, start dates and additional information, please visit

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ARABIC COURSES

- > **Standard Arabic Course** (4 group lessons daily, 20 lessons weekly)
- > **Intensive Arabic Course** (6 group lessons daily, 30 lessons weekly)
- > **Private Arabic Course** (customized to your needs)
- > **Semester Arabic Course** (4 group lessons daily, 12 weeks or more)
- > **Qur'anic Studies**
- > **Other Courses** (Arab women's history - Islamic history - Moroccan cuisine - Arab Poetry - Moroccan Architecture - Calligraphy)

TEACHING METHODS

Emphasis on Communication.

The concept of immersion is based on the idea that we acquire knowledge faster and better when we learn it naturally through comprehension. While "immersion" methodologies are widely considered modern teaching techniques, they are in fact nothing new.

In practice an immersion curriculum does not rely heavily on grammar drills or assignments in translation. Grammar is learned by inference and gentle corrections of speech by the teacher. At the beginning level of our Arabic classes teachers will speak as little English as possible. From the intermediate level onward English will not be spoken at all.

ACCOMMODATION

Host family: Living with a local host family is a great way to become fully immersed in the language and culture. Most families provide two meals per day (breakfast and dinner) and are located within 30 minutes of the school. All families are carefully selected, interviewed and monitored regularly.

Self-catering apartments: Our apartments are usually located within 30 minutes of the school and are shared with other students. Our apartments are shared, however bedrooms are shared with the same gender. No meals are included but kitchen facilities are provided and students can prepare their own meals. (Private or shared rooms available.)

AFTER CLASS

After classes are over for the day, our program allows you plenty of time to discover your new country, culture and everyday life.

Our Arabic courses are supplemented with a wide variety of fascinating opportunities to learn about Arab and Moroccan culture. Students can choose to participate in content-based training courses in the following areas: Arab women's history, Islamic history, Qur'anic studies, Moroccan cuisine, Arab Poetry, Moroccan Architecture & Calligraphy.

The school organizes various activities that could include: Lectures Moroccan or Arab culture, video showings of Arabic films and tours around Rabat, including the Medina and the Kasbah of the Oudaya. These activities are conducted in both Arabic and English.

At the weekend take a train trip to Casablanca (approx \$6 return) or visit one of the Imperial Moroccan capitals which are all within easy reach by bus or train from central Rabat. If you prefer to relax, enjoy a day or the weekend at the beach in Skhirate, only 20 minutes away by train (approx \$3.00 return).

