

**44 PORTLAND PLACE, LONDON W1B 1NE**

## **Central Club Course Outline:**

### **Arabic: beginners (a)**

The following is meant as an outline guide to the course. The tutor may at her/his discretion make alterations to the content and order of the course. Please ask the Course Administration Staff for guidance if you are in any doubt about the suitability of the level of the course.

#### **Course description**

The course is designed for complete beginners wishing to learn Modern Standard Arabic. At this stage, there will be much focus on structure and grammar.

#### **What will the course cover?**

- The Arabic alphabet along with vowelisation characters.
- Construction of basic phrases and sentences.
- Learning names of family members and some professions.
- Basic grammatical rules.
- Numbers 1 to 10.

#### **Should I have experience for the course?**

No. This course is designed for complete beginners starting from scratch.

#### **What can I expect to learn?**

- Introduce yourself, your family and your country.
- Learn basic greeting phrases.
- Read and write elementary Arabic.
- Learn fundamental grammatical rules required for producing new sentences & conversing in Arabic.
- Learn how to ask Yes/No questions.
- Recognise difference in gender between nouns.
- Describe things using a limited number of qualities.

#### **What should I bring to the course?**

A notebook and a pen would be very handy, be prepared to do homework.

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#### **By post**

Please complete the enclosed enrolment form and send it with a cheque (for the full amount), made payable to the YWCA Central Club OR fill in your Mastercard/Visa or debit card details. Please do not send cash. If you wish to apply for a concessionary fee, you will need to send a photocopy of your current evidence of entitlement to reserve your place and then take the original to reception on your first day.

#### **By phone**

Payments by Mastercard/Visa and debit card are accepted. Please have details of your credit card and the course title and course code ready. Call 020 7079 2855