

Capstone Project: Arabic Parents' Club

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Study plan

Abstract

My capstone project is to teach Arabic alphabet to parents in addition to some expressions related to daily tasks like: introduce yourself, classroom objects rooms in a house, ordering at a restaurant, body parts, animals and plants in the community, weather changes. Also, I aimed at giving an overview about the Arabic and Egyptian cultures during the sessions. There were discussions about cloth, food, traditions in special occasions, educational system and so on. The level was novice.

Schedule

The content was based on one session a week that lasts one hour. The target number of sessions was 22 sessions. I tackled two letters of a alphabet per session and dealt with the shape of the letter at the beginning, middle and end of a word also the pronunciation of each letter with short and long vowels. Sometimes, I had to stop to revise what was done and get feedback, also it was an opportunity to practice some language functions.

Content

The content was mainly worksheets previously prepared, normally two worksheets per learner per sessions. I made use of worksheets prepared by a website to learn Arabic: Pathtoarabic.com

I got authorization from the authors to use their material for free if I keep their logo on the worksheets. I attached samples of the worksheets here in the file and, they are free to use but the logo of the authors should be kept.

Conclusion

The aims of the projects were achieved as I taught all the Arabic alphabet, the targeted language functions and got positive feedback from parents.