

MODULE DESCRIPTION

Module Information					
Module Title	Arabic language		Module Delivery		
Module Type	B		☒ Theory ☒ Lecture ☐ Lab ☐ Tutorial ☐ Practical ☐ Seminar		
Module Code	UOB201				
ECTS Credits	2				
SWL (hr/sem)	50 H/Sem.				
Module Level		2	Semester of Delivery		3
Administering Department		Petroleum Engineering	College	College of Engineering	
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Relation with other Modules			
Prerequisite module		Semester	
Co-requisites module		Semester	

Module Aims, Learning Outcomes and Indicative Contents	
Module Objectives	Fundamental Spelling Rules – Poetic Texts – Oratory and Impromptu Speech – Punctuation Marks – Simile and Its Types – Rational and Conventional Metaphor – Stylistic Distinctions Between Prose and Poetry – Šād and Ṭā – Medial Hamza – Final Hamza – Hamzat al-Wasl and Hamzat al-Qaṭ' – Abbasid Era Poem – Semantic and Ethical Values in Texts – Modern Era Poetic Texts.



Module Learning Outcomes	Knowledge	A6	A6.1: understand grammatical rules, and writing skills. A6.2: apply Arabic language rules and their relevance to engineering studies.	
		B1	B1.1: The ability to develop a lifelong self-learning culture.	
	Ethics	C1	C1.2: Demonstrating diversity in their commitment to ethical responsibilities.	
Indicative Contents	Unit 1: Introduction to the Arabic Language and Its Significance			
	- Definition of the Arabic language and its status among other languages. - The importance of Arabic in scientific, cultural, and religious communication. <i>(6 hours)</i>			
	Unit 2: Linguistic and Grammatical Structure			
	- Basic spelling rules - Hamzas (glottal stops) - Tanween (nunation) - Writing Şād and Ṭā' correctly - Punctuation marks <i>(6 hours)</i>			
	Unit 3: Linguistic and Rhetorical Styles			
	- Simile and its types - Rational (intellectual) and conventional (figurative) metaphor <i>(6 hours)</i>			
	Unit 4: Literary Texts			
	- Reading and analyzing selected texts from poetry and prose - Studying aesthetic and intellectual values in Arabic texts - Discussing modern texts that reflect societal and identity issues <i>(6 hours)</i>			
Learning and Teaching Strategies				
Strategies	- Classroom discussions - Reading and analysis - Brainstorming - Research and report preparation - Linguistic exercises and workshops - Assessment through reports and discussions			
Student Workload (SWL)				
Structured SWL (h/sem)	33	Structured SWL (h/w)	2.2	
Unstructured SWL (h/sem)	17	Unstructured SWL (h/w)	1.1	

Total SWL (h/sem)	50
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Delivery Plan (Weekly Syllabus)		
المنهاج الاسبوعي النظري		
	Material Covered	LOs
Week 1	An introductory overview of the Arabic language and the importance of spelling in linguistic structure.	
Week 2	Basic Spelling Rules (Hamzas, Tanween, Open Tā', and Tā' Marbūṭa).	A6, B1, C1
Week 3	Writing Ṣād and Ṭā', Medial Hamza, Final Hamza, and Writing Hamzat al-Wasl and Hamzat al-Qaṭ'.	A6, B1, C1
Week 4	Study of a Pre-Islamic Poetic Text / Excerpt from Antarah's Mu'allaqa.	A6, B1, C1
Week 5	Aesthetic Elements in Literary Texts: Expanding Imagination and Creativity.	A6, B1, C1
Week 6	Study of a Poetic Text from the Islamic Era / Excerpt from Ka'b ibn Zuhayr's Poem.	A6, B1, C1
Week 7	Meanings and Moral Values in Texts / Analyzing Literary Texts Conveying an Educational Message.	A6, B1, C1
Week 8	Study of a Poem from the Abbasid Era / Excerpt from a Poem by Abu al-Tayyib al-Mutanabbi.	A6, B1, C1
Week 9	Practice in oratory and impromptu speech, organizing ideas and presenting them clearly.	A6, B1, C1
Week 10	Study of a modern-era poetic text – Badr Shakir al-Sayyab	A6, B1, C1
Week 11	Punctuation marks and their impact on text clarity.	A6, B1, C1
Week 12	Simile and its types in the Qur'an and Arabic poetry.	A6, B1, C1
Week 13	Rational (intellectual) and conventional (figurative) metaphor.	A6, B1, C1
Week 14	Stylistic distinctions between prose and poetry.	A6, B1, C1

Week 15	How to write a research paper and correctly apply punctuation marks.	A6, B1, C1
Week 16	Preparatory week before the exam.	A6, B1, C1

Delivery Plan (Weekly Lab. Syllabus) المنهاج الاسبوعي للمختبر	
	Material Covered
Week 1	
Week 2	
Week 3	
Week 4	
Week 5	
Week 6	
Week 7	

Learning and Teaching Resources مصادر التعلم والتدريس		
	Text	Available in the Library?
Required Texts	The Holy Qur'an, Comprehensive Arabic Lessons, Arabic Grammar Books.	نعم
Recommended Texts	Ibn Aqil's Commentary on Ibn Malik's Alfiyyah (Chapter on Nominative and Accusative Cases) Diwan of Antarah, Diwan of Ka'b ibn Zuhayr, Diwan of Al-Mutanabbi, Diwan of Badr Shakir al-Sayyab.	نعم
Websites	https://eng.alayen.edu.iq/colleges/e/42	

Grading Scheme مخطط الدرجات				
Group	Grade	التقدير	Marks (%)	Definition
Success Group (50 - 100)	A - Excellent	امتياز	90 - 100	Outstanding Performance
	B - Very Good	جيد جدا	80 - 89	Above average with some errors
	C - Good	جيد	70 - 79	Sound work with notable errors
	D - Satisfactory	متوسط	60 - 69	Fair but with major shortcomings

	E - Sufficient	مقبول	50 - 59	Work meets minimum criteria
Fail Group (0 – 49)	FX – Fail	راسب (قيد المعالجة)	(45-49)	More work required but credit awarded
	F – Fail	راسب	(0-44)	Considerable amount of work required

Note: Marks Decimal places above or below 0.5 will be rounded to the higher or lower full mark (for example a mark of 54.5 will be rounded to 55, whereas a mark of 54.4 will be rounded to 54. The University has a policy NOT to condone "near-pass fails" so the only adjustment to marks awarded by the original marker(s) will be the automatic rounding outlined above.