

How Can I Find Arabic Teaching and Curriculum Resources?

One of the greatest challenges for K-12 Arabic educators has been identifying high quality curriculum and supplemental materials that are age-appropriate for this less-commonly-taught language. This page lists a number of resources that schools and teachers may wish to learn more about, including paid and free materials. It is always wise to seek out experienced educators teaching at your level to advise on what the most up-to-date resources are.

- Al-Masdar – QFI has developed Al-Masdar (“The Source”), a clearinghouse for Arabic language and cultural resources. There is a specific page for for Arabic language teaching resources sorted by topic and a page for for Arabic society and culture resources sorted by topic, as well as a general resources search page that can be limited by multiple criteria.

General Resources

- ACTFL “Standards” – The ACTFL World Language Readiness Standards is a collection of content standards for language learning. “The ... Standards ... create a roadmap to guide learners to develop competence to communicate effectively and interact with cultural understanding.” Understanding these Standards and the principles that underlie them is an essential foundation for implementing, adapting, or developing level-appropriate Arabic learning materials.

