

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

# Lingua Araba III

2021-3-E2001R053-E2001R057M

#### Course title

Arabic Language III

# **Topics and course structure**

Consolidation of the elementary level and start-up of the intermediate level. The course aims to develop listening and oral production skills in everyday situations and to start the student in reading and translating intermediate level texts.

### **Objectives**

At the end of the course, through constant class attendance, the student will be able to:

- understand the essential points of messages (written and oral) on familiar topics;
- talk about topics of personal daily life and practical situations which may occur during visiting an Arabic-speaking country;
- produce texts (written and oral) on topics of personal interest, describing experiences, events and briefly explaining opinios;

- read and translate intermdiate texts.

Furthermore, students are invited to have an active attitude towards language learning.

#### **Methodologies**

In the first semester, grammar lectures and exercises delivered by the native teacher will be held remotely.

Information will be provided for the second semester.

Online and offline teaching materials

Dictionary online: <a href="https://www.almaany.com/en/dict/ar-en/">https://www.almaany.com/en/dict/ar-en/</a>

Texts and exercises sent via e-learning.

Programme and references for attending students

#### **Programme**

The course presents the fundamental elements of Arabic grammar at intermediate level with exercises of writing, reading and translation, and conversation exercises with a native teacher.

The programme also includes the lexicon of the texts and materials sent via e-learning, as well as the names of the Arab countries and their capitals.

In addition, during the year the student will be guided by the native teacher to fill in: 1) a curriculum vitae in Arabic; 2) a report in Arabic on an event (exhibition, conference) relating to Arabic language and / or culture or, alternatively, a report in Arabic on a film, a documentary or a television programme broadcast in Arabic.

#### **Bibliography**

- -Ali Faraj. 2020. Appunti di grammatica araba con esercizi, terzo anno.
- -Salem Alma e Cristina Solimando. 2011. *Imparare l'arabo conversando*. Roma: Carocci (text already in use)
- a dictionary is recommended: Eros Baldissera Compact Arabic Italian-Arabic Arabic-

Italian Dictionary Third edition, Zanichelli.				
Course contents				
The particle ill?				
Quadriliteral verbs and their verbal names				
The use of <i>mi?I</i> ???????				
The preposition ?att???????				
The cardinal numbers The ordinal numbers				
Expressions of time and calendars Irregular verbs				
Doubled verbs (mediae geminatae)				
Derived forms of Doubled verbs				
Hamzated verbs				
Derived forms of Hamzated verbs				
Assimilated verbs				
Hollow verbs				
Derived forms of Hollow verbs				
Defective verbs				
Derived forms of Defective verbs				
Defective nouns				

	Negative particles			
	Verbal noun syntax			
	Verbal roots			
	Imperfect jussive			
	Imperfect jussive of Hollow verbs			
	The passive of derived verbs			
	Verbal noun of derived verbs			
	The ??/ construction ???????			
	The accusative of specification ???????			
	Adverbial accusative of specification			
	????????? ???????????			
	Adverbial accusative of cause or reason			
			kilt? kil? and ??????????	
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	jussive		in conditional, (apocopate).	
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Programme and references for non-attending students

The program and the bibliography for those not attending are the same as those for attending students.

Assessment methods

The final exam is divided in two parts:

1- a written test of grammar, comprehension of the text and translation from Arabic into Italian and vice versa:

2- an

oral test of reading and conversation.

To be admitted to the oral test, students must pass the written test.

The criteria for the oral evaluation are:

1) correct pronunciation,
2) ability to spontaneously interact with an interlocutor,
3) ability to understand and answer questions,
4) ability to read texts.

To pass the exam, it is necessary to obtain sufficient marks in both tests.

Both parts (written and oral) must be carried out during the same exam session. The student can refuse the final mark of the exam, not only the written or oral vote. In the event that the student refuses the final grade, he will have to take all the tests again.

Students must register for both the written and oral exam.

Office hours

Contact the professor by sending an e-mail to the address: ali.faraj@unimib.it

**Programme validity** 

The programme is valid for the current academic year.

# **Course tutors and assistants**

This year, a tutor will be supported, whose name will be communicated, together with the hours of intervention, as soon as he is informed of his appointment.