



ARABIC FOR EDUCATORS CAIRO, EGYPT

PROGRAM AVAILABLE IN SUMMER



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Our intensive Arabic program in Cairo, Egypt combines the standard Arabic immersion program with specific Arabic and cultural training for educators. This is a great way to learn both general and specialized Arabic. Educators at all levels benefit from this immersion experience.

CITY AND COUNTRY INFO

Cairo, the Triumphant City, is the glorious capital of Egypt, the cradle of civilization and the beacon of religion. It is the largest city in the Middle East and Africa and lies at the center of all routes leading to, and from the three continents: Asia, Africa and Europe. Cairo is an amazing city full of life and movement, and it is that way almost 24 hours every day, with the noisy honking of horns, children playing in the streets and merchants selling their wares and services. And here, the Egyptians are most at home in this powerful, modern and ancient city. Cairo also has wealth of great culture, including art galleries and music halls, such as the Cairo Opera House, as well it should, being one of the largest cities in the world. It also provides some of the grandest accommodations and restaurants in the world, such as the Four Seasons and the Cairo Marriott.

As Egypt is predominately a Muslim country it is important to respect its customs - in particular its dress code when attending class.

HIGHLIGHTS OF PROGRAM

In this Arabic for Educators program, students will improve their communicative ability in both speaking and listening. They will discuss different methods of teaching with the instructors and the other students in the program, review grammar and other technical aspects of the language, and broaden their understanding of the culture and region of Cairo.



What's Included

- **Tuition and Class Materials:** 120 hours of Arabic teacher training over a minimum of 4 weeks
- **Lodging:** Student residence, apartment or hotel
- **Placement Testing**
- **1-2 Organized Activities Weekly***
- * Entrance fees, transportation, etc. may be at additional cost.
- **Access to E-mail**
- **University credit:** Options available
- **Access to Multimedia Learning Center**
- **Certificate of Completion**
- **Pre-Departure Information**
- **Planning Guide**
- **Medical, Accident and Sickness Coverage ****
- ** See policy for definitions and exclusions.
- **Medivac Coverage**
- **Other Travel Coverage:** repatriation, baggage, personal effects, accidental death and dismemberment , etc.
- **24 Hour Emergency Multilingual Hotline:** call collect from anywhere in the world

FULL PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

STUDY PROGRAM

This course aims at teachers of Arabic, whose native tongue is not Arabic. If you teach Arabic in your home country and want to update your language and teaching skills and discuss cultural topics, this course is perfect for you.

This 120-hour 4 week minimum course covers the following topics:

- Classroom Management
- Different techniques to present and practice language
- Teaching Literacy Skills
- Developing the four language skills
- Different approaches to teach Arabic grammar
- Awareness of the Arabic phonology, vocabulary grammar and morphology
- Awareness of students' learning styles and motivation
- Awareness of students' learning problems and how to handle them
- Lesson planning and timetabling
- Awareness of available course books and how to use them effectively
- Using IT technology to supplement teaching and learning

LODGING OPTIONS

STUDENT RESIDENCE

We have two residences, a 9 study-bedroom facility above the NRCSA school, and a 25 study-bedroom facility in Dokki, a suburb some 15 minutes drive away.

Both buildings are recently modernized with comfortable apartments in units of 3 or 5 individual (not shared) study bedrooms, full air-conditioning, living rooms, kitchens, dining rooms, bathrooms, laundry facilities, WIFI, satellite TV, fire and smoke alarms, 24 hour security, and housekeeping.

APARTMENT

The NRCSA school provides a flat rental service through local agents that we know and trust. Reasonable apartments will have two or three bedrooms, kitchen, living room, dining room, one or two bathrooms, and are fully furnished, including kitchen equipment, cutlery and linens. All will have a telephone and some air conditioning and washing machines. Internet access might be available as well as satellite TV. Most students share as this is obviously more economical and means that you can find a better furnished flat. It is worth noting that small single accommodation is much more difficult to find.

HOTEL

There are numerous hotels nearby, which we can arrange for you.

PRICE RANGE

Cost of 120 hours of Arabic language classes over a minimum 4 weeks, teacher training, culture classes, and housing ranges from:

\$1,561 → \$3,083**

**Prices range according to housing and board options.

ELIGIBILITY AND GUIDELINES

U.S. citizens traveling on regular passports for tourism or business do not need a visa for a stay of 90 days or less. Those planning a longer visit must obtain a visa in advance.

Participants must have an intermediate level of Arabic to participate in the Arabic for Educators program.

ACTIVITIES AND EXCURSIONS

During your stay in Cairo we can organize tours to locations such as the Pharaonic, Greco-Roman, Islamic and Coptic monuments, the Red Sea, the Mediterranean, the Sinai Peninsula and, of course, the majestic River Nile river. You will have the opportunity to see some of the most incredible sites in the world. All tours include air-conditioned buses and guides. Possible locations include:

- Giza Pyramids and Sphinx
- Memphis Dahshour
- Alexandria
- Egyptian Museum and Khan El Khalili
- Old Cairo
- Luxor and Aswan and more!

HOW TO REGISTER

To register for the ARABIC FOR EDUCATORS PROGRAM in Cairo, either follow the link below or call 1-888-678-6211.

<http://www.nrcsa.com/reg/on-line/registration.html>

When you register, \$140 USD is due to secure your place in the program.