

I'raab Special Types — Beyond the Standard Endings

Duals · Sound plurals · Five special nouns · Haraka vs letter-based i'raab

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How to use this quiz: watch the lesson first, then answer every question from memory before checking your notes. The vocabulary sheet at the end may be used for the translation-into-Arabic questions. When you have finished, download the Model Answers from the lesson page and mark your own work. Aim for 20/25 or better before moving on.

True or False?

1 pt each

- 1 Every ism shows its i'raab by changing the final vowel sign (haraka).

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if false, write the correct statement

- 2 In the sound feminine plural, nasab and jarr share the same ending نَاتٍ.

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if false, write the correct statement

- 3 Maqsuur nouns such as ذُنُيَا change their ending across the three cases.

T ☐ F ☐

if false, write the correct statement

Multiple Choice

5 pts

- 4 The five special nouns use waw / alif / ya to show i'raab — but ONLY when they are: 2 pts

- (a) Definite with ال
- (b) Mudaaf — first word of a possessive construct
- (c) At the start of a sentence
- (d) Following a verb

- 5 Which TWO words have identical nasab and jarr forms? 3 pts

- (a) مُسْلِمِينَ
- (b) مُسْلِمٌ
- (c) مُسْلِمِينَ
- (d) الْمَسْجِدُ

Apply What You Learnt

7 pts

- 6 Write "the father of Hamid" (حَامِدٌ + أَبٌ) in all three cases. 4 pts

- 7 قَاضٍ (a judge) is a manquus noun. Write its indefinite nasab form — and explain what happens to the ya. 3 pts

Quranic Verse

7 pts

اللَّهُ أَكْبَرُ

The takbeer — "Allah is the Greatest."

- 8 أَكْبَرُ is on the أَفْعَل scale. Which declension category is it — and why does it carry a damma here? 4 pts

- 9 In مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ (Al-A'raf 7:200), why is الشَّيْطَانِ in jarr — and how common is this cause in the Quran? 3 pts

In Your Own Words

3 pts

- 10 Why is "kasra = jarr" a dangerous assumption? Give one counter-example. 3 pts

Marking: points shown beside each question

Total = 25 pts

Lesson Vocabulary

dual	مُثْنَى	fixed-alif noun (stick)	مَقْصُورٌ	in jarr	مَجْرُورٌ
sound masculine plural	جَمْعُ الْمَذَكَّرِ السَّالِمِ	the five special nouns	الْأَسْمَاءُ الْخَمْسَةُ	preposition	حَرْفُ الْجَرِّ
sound feminine plural	جَمْعُ الْمُؤَنَّثِ السَّالِمِ	in raf'	مَرْفُوعٌ		
ya-dropping noun (judge)	مَنْقُوصٌ	in nasb	مَنْصُوبٌ		

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