Foundation Programme in Literacy, Numeracy and Skills

ARABIC

Teacher's Guide: GRADE 9 - Lesson 1

Animal Names

Competency: Writing readiness

Element: Copy letters, common words and phrases

Performance Criteria:

• Copy common words with or without vowels

Purpose of Activity:

To help students build foundational vocabulary and handwriting skills by listening to, repeating, recognizing, and copying Arabic animal names.

Learning Outcomes:

By the end of the lesson, students should be able to:

- Repeat animal names clearly after hearing them
- Recognise and read simple animal words in Arabic
- Copy the animal names with correct letter formation
- Improve confidence in pronunciation and handwriting

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Teaching trajectories/ Implementation guidelines:

Activity 1:

Listen and Repeat

- 1. Present each animal word orally
- 2. Ask students to repeat the word as a class and individually
- 3. Show picture clues to reinforce meaning
- 4. Focus on pronunciation and articulation

Activity 2:

Identify and copy

- 1. Show a word and ask the students to say it
- 2. Guide them to find and identify it on their worksheet
- 3. Students copy the word carefully on lines provided
- 4. Monitor letter formation and provide corrections

Resources and materials:

Word-list handouts for listening and copying, copying worksheet with blank spaces, pencils

Assessment:

Listening:

Can students repeat the words after hearing them?

Reading:

Can students identify the animal name visually?

Writing:

Can they copy the word clearly and accurately?

Extension of activity:

Create a mini illustrated vocabulary list of the animals learned