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Handbook for Coordinators
Foreword

Ghana’s National Pre-Tertiary Education Curriculum Framework, approved by Cabinet in 2018, sets out our nation’s aspiration for learners to become multilingual in French and Arabic as well as Ghanaian Languages and English. The prominence given to the Arabic Language in this national Framework demonstrates its importance in Ghana’s culture, society and history. Although Arabic Language has been taught for generations it has, until now, not been formalized and professionalized within Ghana’s national teacher education system. The new Arabic Curriculum and accompanying Course Manuals and Professional Development Handbooks therefore marks an important step in the professionalization of Arabic Language studies in Ghanaian schools.

The introduction of the Arabic Curriculum and Course Manual will equip student teachers with the skills to teach Arabic speech sounds, writing techniques, and grammar and further prepare them to teach Junior High School learners. Student teachers will become familiar with how to use communicative and task-based approaches to teach the four linguistic skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing, at the same time using ICT and audio-visual materials.

Since 2019, Al-Faruq College of Education – affiliated to the University for Development Studies – has been teaching Arabic Language as part of its B.Ed. in Initial Teacher Education programme following accreditation by the Ghana Tertiary Education Council (GTEC). This Arabic Course Manual is designed to support tutors to successfully deliver the new Arabic Language Curriculum. The Arabic Course Manuals and accompanying Professional Development Handbooks, developed by a team of Arabic language experts from the University of Ghana, University for Development Studies, Akenten Appiah Menka University for Skills Training and Entrepreneurial Development, and Al-Faruq College of Education, are the first of their kind in Ghana for both tutors and student teachers.

Written with the learner and the student-teacher in mind, the Course Manuals and Professional Development Handbooks consider the context, possible barriers and enablers for learning and provide a lesson-by-lesson overview of the course building on, adapting and developing the material in the course specifications. These Course Manuals provide resources to support professional development sessions for tutors and lecturers on how to plan for, and teach courses from the B.Ed. Users of the manual are therefore encouraged to adapt and develop their plans in the Course Manual to fit the context of their teaching.

I want to express appreciation to the Ghana Tertiary Education Commission, Mastercard Foundation and Transforming Teaching, Education & Learning (T-TEL) for supporting the development of these maiden Arabic Language Course Manuals and Professional Development Handbooks.

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Year Two Semester One ARABIC

Writing the weekly PD sessions: Guidance for the Subject Writing Leads (SWL).

- The PD sessions are an important way to ensure effective implementation of the key principles and practices of the B.Ed. It is critical that what SWL writes provides direct subject and B.Ed. specific guidance, so SL/HoD can support and scaffold tutors’ learning and professional development.
- The sessions need to provide the PD opportunity for tutors to understand what they need to teach fully and to planning together to make sure the new B.Ed. courses are taught well.
- Developments since the manuals were written require SWL to add additional detail to sessions. Specifically, this means a focus on:
  - Integrating GESI to ensure the needs of females, males, and students with special education needs are well catered for
  - Integrating ICT and 21c skills to ensure students learn to use technology effectively to support their own and pupils’ learning
  - National Teacher Education Assessment Policy (NTEAP)
    - the three assessment components for the semester for EACH course: subject project (30%), subject portfolio (30%), and end of semester examination (40%). These need to be introduced in session 1. PD writers will need to provide an example portfolio and project assessment components if these are not written into the course manuals (See Appendix 2: Course Assessment Components at a Glance).
    - integrating the use of continuous assessment designed to support student-teacher learning in each session
- The PD session template provides the frame for SWL to write the guidance for the Subject Leads (SL)/HoD on how to lead and support the professional development of tutors in the weekly sessions for student teachers.
- Age level specialisms are introduced in Y2S1. To ensure appropriate subject and age level focus for the PD sessions:
  - there will be subject specialists writing for each subject
  - where subjects are grouped, direct reference needs to be made to examples of activities in the course manuals for each subject
  - where there are different age levels, direct reference needs to be made to the course manuals for activities for each age level
- STS is six days in year 2 Semester 1 and involves observation and working with small groups subjects should include STS activities
- SL/HoD need to have details of the resources needed for the activities
- Appendix 1: The PD writing checklist, for checking that the PD sessions address all required issues.
- Appendix 2: Course Assessment Components at a glance, to help ensure the course assessments are accurately introduced.
Tutor PD Session
Name of Course: Arabic
This PD Session document consists of the following Arabic courses:

Junior High School Specialism
  Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS
  Arabic Grammar: (JHS

How to use this PD Manual
This Professional Development (PD) manual comprises Two courses in Arabic. In addition, there are some generic statements and instructions in the various lessons in this manual, which can be adapted to suit the respective courses. Tutors should, therefore, refer to the individual course manuals during the PD sessions.
Tutor PD Session

Age Levels/s:
Junior High School

Name of Subject/s:
Arabic
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)
Arabic Grammar (JHS)

Year 2
Semester 1

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 1 in the Course Manual

Lesson Title:
Arabic:
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)

Daily Routines I: Introduction to teaching speaking and listening to Arabic, the concepts, types, and roles of speaking and listening in Arabic, definition of speaking and listening and types, the part of speaking and listening in language learning and literacy development, school visits

Arabic Grammar: (JHS)

Pronouns & Conjugations: Nominative pronouns verb conjugation with nominative pronouns, verb conjugation with accusative pronouns, attached pronouns in the genitive case

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**Overview of Content and Distinctive Features**

1.9 Refer tutors to the lesson descriptions of lesson 1 of the course manual and ask them to read and discuss them by bringing out the distinctive features of the lesson.

**Examples:**

**Arabic Communication Skills:**
Arabic communication skills as a course is designed to enable student teachers to build a vocabulary stock on these activities to guide learners to understand, speak, read, and write in Arabic on daily activities with a reasonable level of fluency.

**Arabic Grammar:**
Arabic Grammar as a course is designed to equip student teachers with different skills of conjugating Arabic verbs in line with detached or independent accusative pronouns. They will also develop skills of teaching the same content to JHS students. (NTS 2c, pg13, NTECF pg20, 23).

1.10 Discuss with tutors the distinctive features of lesson 1 of the course manual and any challenging areas or areas of
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**Examples of distinctive features:**

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Concept of stimulating and sustaining individual and group conversations. This concept is a group of unique soft skills that any good communicator should learn. E.g., when to stop, start, restart re package pause, and take turns in a conversation.

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   15 mins
Tutor PD Session

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Name of Subject/s:
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Year  2
Semester  1

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 2 in the Course Manual

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**Arabic Grammar I:**

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15 mins
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Tutor PD Session

Age Levels/s: Junior High School

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Arabic
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Year 2 Semester 1

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 3 in the Course Manual

Lesson Title:
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Tutor PD Session

Name of Subject/s:
Arabic
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)
Arabic Grammar I (JHS)

Age Levels/s:
Junior High School

Year 2
Semester 1

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 4 in the Course Manual
Lesson Title: Studies
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)

Studies: Topics and sub-topics (if any): Knowledge Pursuit، علم طلب، Audio recording of conversation on school settings (higher education)، و الثاني والحادي الأول الحوار غالب و غالب، و Text of conversation on school settings (higher education)، الثاني الحوار، والحادي الحادي الحوار.

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Arabic Grammar I (JHS)

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of crosscutting issues and barriers associated with studies such as gender, ethnicity and class. (NTS 2 b, c and NTECF pg. 20).

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Overview of Content and Distinctive Features

1.4 Refer tutors to read and discuss lesson 4 descriptions and distinctive features of each course.

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**Examples of Misconceptions or Challenging Areas**

**Arabic Communication Skills**
There is the misconception that Arabic is Islam.

**Clarification:**
Arabs are people who speak Arabic as a native language and identify themselves as Arabs; Muslims are those who practice the religion of Islam. ... The confusion between these terms may stem from the fact that Arabic is the primary language of the Islamic faith, just as Latin was for Catholicism until recently.

**Arabic Grammar:**
The sociolinguistic and culture of Arabic has insignificant role in understanding of Arabic Grammar

**Clarification:**
The knowledge of the grammatical system of Arabic language [grammatical competence] has to be complemented by understanding of culture-specific meanings
2. Concept Development (New learning likely to arise in lesson/s):

- Identification and discussion of new learning, potential barriers to learning for student teachers or students, concepts or pedagogy being introduced in the lesson, which need to be explored with the SL/HoD.

NB The guidance for SL/HoD should set out what they need to do to introduce and explain the issues/s with tutors.

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Arabic Grammar:
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Suggested Solution:
There is a need to read and practice to improve one’s spoken and written Arabic language ability.

2.3 Ask tutors in their course groups to consider the suggested strategies in the manual and choose the most appropriate ones for teaching the topics in their respective manuals.

Examples:
Group work, group discussion, individual work, presentation, brainstorming and questioning techniques.

2.4 Discuss with tutors how the suggested teaching strategies in lesson 2 will be used to promote learning at the 4-Year B.Ed. and Basic levels.

Examples:
Identifying the features of the Basic School Curriculum and those of the B.Ed. programme and aligning them with the suggested teaching strategies in the course manual.

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Remote learning in Higher Education Steps

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- Providing timely feedback and support to students
- Encouraging active participation and collaboration among students
- Adapting teaching methods to accommodate remote learning

Example Teaching and Learning Activities:
- Arabic communication skills:
  - Preparing wall charts on dialogue (daily routines)
  - Roleplay
  - Discussion on the content of the audio
- Arabic Grammar:
  - Teacher-led discussion of the content of audio played.
  - Independent and group reflection on the content of the audio.

Links to the Basic School Curricula and the Use of GESI, ICT and 21st Century Skills

3.2 Discuss how GESI responsiveness, ICT and 21st Century skills will help to promote the delivery of English lessons in both the B.Ed. and Basic School Curricula.

Note: The delivery of Arabic lessons in both the B.Ed. and Basic School curricula may be enhanced through the integration of GESI, ICT and 21st century skills.

Examples of 21st Century Skills:
- Communication skills, collaboration, observation and enquiry skills, digital literacy, creativity, personal development and global citizenship.
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**Examples:**

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Modelling role play based on the text played.

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3.4 Pay attention as the tutor models a selected activity in a teaching situation.

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**Using Continuous Assessment in Supporting Student Learning**

3.7 Discuss with tutors the course assessment components (continuous assessment) in both courses (*Arabic communication skills & Arabic Grammar 1*) that can be used to support student learning bearing in mind the structure of the prospective subject project topics in terms of the introduction, methodology, substantive section and the conclusion and the collection of the appropriate artefacts and their organisation in the subject portfolio.

**Note:** The continuous assessment components for both Arabic communication skills and Arabic Grammar in the course manual include the subject portfolio and subject project assessments. These should be used to provide day-to-day feedback about the
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Examples of subject projects in the specific courses:

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| 4. Evaluation and review of session: |
| a. Tutors need to identify critical friends to observe lessons and report at next session. |
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| 15 mins |

Y2 S1 Arabic PDC Version
**Tutor PD Session**

**Age Levels/s:**
Junior High School

**Name of Subject/s:**
Arabic
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)
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**Year 2**

**Tutor PD Session for Lesson 5 in the Course Manual**

**Lesson Title:**
Arabic:
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)

**Occupation:** Academic disciplines and career pursuits

**Arabic Grammar:** (JHS)

**Feature of verbs, Root, Transitivity and voice:** Trilateral and Quadrilateral Verbs; Roots; Verbs Intransitivity/Transitivity.

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**Arabic Grammar:**

(LO): Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of how various forms of trilateral and quadrilateral, verbs are formed.

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**Arabic Communication Skills**

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Note: Several tools are available including grading rubrics, canvas assignments, plagiarism detection, self-assessment, and peer assessment, surveys, and classroom polling. quiz bot

N/B:
**Digital Assessment Tools for Teachers**
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### Tutor PD Session

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- Junior High School

**Name of Subject/s:**
- Arabic
- Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)
  - Arabic Grammar (JHS)

**Year:** 2  
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**Tutor PD Session for Lesson 7 in the Course Manual**

**Lesson Title:**
- Arabic:
  - Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)
    - The Weather and Climate II: The Climate and its Impacts.
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  - The Three Grammatical Cases of Nouns: Nominative Cases, Accusative Cases and Genitive Cases.

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Y2 S1 Arabic PDC Version
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- Overview of content and identification of any distinctive aspects of the lesson/s,

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Tutor PD Session for Lesson 8 in the Course Manual

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Tutor PD Session

**Age Levels/s:**
Junior High School

**Name of Subject/s:**
Arabic
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)
Arabic Grammar (JHS)

**Year** 2  **Semester** 1

**Tutor PD Session for Lesson 9 in the Course Manual**

**Lesson Title:**
Arabic:
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)

**Daily Routines I:** Teaching Demonstration of the grammar items covered in Units 1-7 in line with (JHS Arabic Curriculum)

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Communication skills, collaboration, observation and enquiry skills, digital literacy, creativity, personal
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Making reasonable adjustments for physically challenged learners.
Both male and female learners playing leading roles in a group task.

The use of braille and audio machines for orals, etc.

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Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)

**Daily Routines I**
Introduction, The Rights of the Woman, Vocabulary instruction on women issues in pre-Islamic era, Vocabulary instruction on women issues in advent of Islam

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**Arabic Grammar:**
(LO): Demonstrate knowledge of how the grammar items addressed in CLO 5 are taught as outlined in the JHS Arabic Curriculum.

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Year 2 Semester 1

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 11 in the Course Manual

Lesson Title: Arabic
Arabic Communication Skills: (JHS)

Daily Routines I Introduction, Vocabulary instruction on women issues in Ghana,

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Year  2  Semester  1

Tutor PD Session for Lesson 12 in the Course Manual

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Design concept map of a set of tasks and activities to specific hobbies

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(LO): Demonstrate ability to differentiate members of ‘Kāna and its sisters’ that are fully operational in the past, present, and future tenses

**LIs:**
Explain how to conjugate members of ‘Kāna and its sisters’ that are fully operational including those that are partial operational. Use correctly Kāna and its sisters’ that are fully operational as well as those that are partially operational.

**Note:** Refer tutors to lesson 9 of the course manual for the learning outcomes and indicators.

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| 4.1 Reflect on what you have learnt and how you have learnt it. Share with the class, one thing you have learnt in the session that you will like to practice in your classroom. |
| 15 mins |
Appendix 1
The PD session check list: supporting B.Ed. implementation.
In some cases, to support implementation and address recent developments the PD session writers may need to add detail to what is covered in the course manuals

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**Resources /TLM.** Where specific resources are required, it is clear where tutors can access them e.g., videos, online resources or readings.
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✓ Substantive section – 40  
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