

*Arabic, Farsi, Haitian Creole, Hindi, Korean,
Portuguese, Sanskrit, Swahili, Thai,
Turkish, Vietnamese, Wolof*

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أسسه اللغة والثقافة العرب
Study of Arabic Language

Learn by doing... language & culture ...

Since 1997 the UO Linguistics Department and the Yamada Language Center have offered UO students and community members an opportunity to study “less commonly-taught languages” in a unique and highly enjoyable way. The Self-Study language program (LT 199) is built around a group of talented and dedicated native speaking tutors and the technological resources of the Yamada Language Center. Together we aim to provide motivated students with a unique language learning opportunity: Small classes, an emphasis on communication, and specially chosen materials combine for an engaging learning experience. Students are assessed on an individual basis; language progress is basically dependent on how much effort students expend (and, of course, prior knowledge). The curriculum is topic-based; culture and local customs are part of our weekly meetings.

Look for LT 199 in the Online Class Schedule

SCHEDULE ARRANGED AT ORIENTATION (THURSDAY, OCT. 1ST, 5:00-7:00 PM)

COST: \$75 UO STUDENTS; \$125 COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Program features

- Weekly two-hour tutorials (required)
- A topic-based curriculum (corresponding to student interests and academic needs)
- Student-centered: assessment is based on learner reflections and an end-of-term project
- Access to the Yamada Language Center's materials and technology
- Small classes (typically 5-7)
- Focus on oral/aural communication
- Culture is infused in our language teaching
- Opportunity to focus on individual needs and interests
- 1-3 Credits (flexible)