

# Arabic Language

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# الجمع

الضمائر:

We have seen and used the singular pronouns. Although in Arabic there is a set of pronouns for the Dual and Feminine, we will limit this lesson to three commonly used plural pronouns, the rest will be introduced once they are used in the textbook.

# الجمع

الضمائر:

أنا < نَحْنُ

أنتِ < أَنْتُمْ

أنتِ < —

هُوَ < هُمْ

هِيَ < —

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الضمائر:

أنا مُتَرْجِمٌ | مُتَرْجِمَةٌ

أنتَ مُتَرْجِمٌ

أنتِ مُتَرْجِمَةٌ

هُوَ مُتَرْجِمٌ

هِيَ مُتَرْجِمَةٌ

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الضمائر:

نَحْنُ مُتْرَجِمُونَ | مُتْرَجِمَاتٌ  
أَنْتُمْ مُتْرَجِمُونَ

هُمُ مُتْرَجِمُونَ

# الجمع

جمع المذكر السالم:

نَحْنُ مُتْرَجِمُونَ  
أَنْتُمْ مُتْرَجِمُونَ

هُمُ مُتْرَجِمُونَ

الجمع

جمع المؤنث السالم :

نَحْنُ مُتْرَجِمَاتُ

# الجمع

جمع المؤنث | المذكر السالم :

These are what one may call regular plurals for feminine and masculine (humans) since they follow a particular pattern. If you want to form masculine plurals out of a singular noun or adjective, you simply add (as a suffix) the following letters:

ونَ

For feminine, you add:

اتُ

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جمع المؤنث | المذكر السالم\_ أمثلة :

Keep in mind that the rules apply only to the “rational beings,” when it comes to masculine nouns; other objects will follow a different set of rules that we will talk about later.

المترجمون مشغولون

For feminine:

المترجمات مشغولات

# الجمع

جمع المؤنث | المذكر السالم\_ أمثلة :

A number of objects if not most of them are pluralized in the feminine form even though they are “non-rational.”

كلمة < كلمات

مطار < مطارات -

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جمع التّكسير:

Just like in English, there is irregularity when forming plurals:

Book > books

Lunch > lunches

Woman > women

Man > men

Knife > Knives

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## جمع التّكسير:

In Arabic as well we encounter a number of irregular plurals which do not fall under the pattern previously described. (see pp. 27)

رجل < رجال

طالب < طلاب

مدينة < مَدُنٌ

أستاذ < أساتذة

امرأة < نساء

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## جمع التّكسير:

As you can see there is no set pattern that will enable us to predict the plural form of words like these. How does one learn them you may ask... Memory; you must memorize these words. Every time you are introduced to an irregular plural, you must write it down on your list and commit it to memory. A preliminary list is available on pp. 27 of your textbook.

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