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# Introduction

**Media Arabic Vocabulary** is a series specially designed to bridge the gap between **intermediate** learning and reading real-world Arabic news articles. These books are intended to make the often-daunting journey into Arabic media literacy not only accessible, but engaging and enjoyable.

In our experience, many learners find themselves stuck in a language learning plateau, where they can handle classroom scenarios but are left feeling overwhelmed by the complexity of authentic, native-speaker materials, such as news articles. That is exactly where this book series comes in. Each volume is structured to help you scale that seemingly daunting wall by presenting carefully selected vocabulary and controlled texts that emulate the style and complexity of real-world Arabic media.

In this third book of the series, we will navigate through three distinct units: Military, Religion, and Weather. Each unit is further broken down into manageable sections and subsections. Subsections introduce you to key vocabulary in context, helping you understand not only the meaning of the words but also their appropriate use. As an additional aid to word recognition and correct pronunciation, all Arabic content in the book contains **diacritics** (tashkeel). You will find **English translations** for all Arabic content, which allows for better comprehension and learning, plus **audio tracks** to help you get a firm grasp on pronunciation and listening comprehension.

This dynamic approach, combining the introduction of **topical vocabulary** with **example sentences** and end-of-section practice **texts**, ensures you are not just memorizing words, but actively learning to use them in context. Over time, this exposure will greatly increase your confidence and proficiency in reading actual media Arabic-style texts.

While the volumes are numbered, they are not incremental in learning level. They simply cover different topics. Feel free to pick any book from the series that aligns with your interest in a particular theme or topic. We hope you find this approach as empowering and rewarding as we do.

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–Matthew Aldrich

# How to Use This Book

**Media Arabic Vocabulary** is a versatile, flexible tool that can adapt to your personal learning style, immediate needs, and specific interests. Here's how to make the most of it:

## Follow Your Interests

The organization of the book allows you to chart your own learning path. Feel free to delve into any unit that piques your interest or aligns with your immediate learning needs. There is no strict order to follow; every path leads to enrichment.

## Understand the Structure

**Vocabulary Lists:** Vocabulary lists serve as your first contact with the topic-specific words and phrases. Each vocabulary item appears on the right-hand side, while its English translation appears on the opposite side. Sometimes you will notice word forms between them, preceded by a large dot. These are irregular plurals of nouns or verbal nouns (masdars) of verbs. Following each vocabulary item, in a shaded box, is an example sentence to demonstrate its use in context. Dozens of note boxes appear throughout the book with lexical and grammatical notes, learning tips, and references to other vocabulary items.

**End-of-Section Texts:** Following the vocabulary lists, you'll encounter different kinds of texts, including mini-articles, news reports, interviews, and more. These texts aim to immerse you in a variety of real-world contexts, further reinforcing the vocabulary and enhancing your reading proficiency.

## Engage in Self-Discovery

We've consciously decided not to include traditional exercises such as multiple-choice or true-false questions. Instead, we promote a self-discovery approach, empowering you to actively engage with the material.

To effectively analyze the texts, try to identify the vocabulary from the lists in the actual context. Notice how these words interact with each other, what collocations they form, and how they contribute to the overall meaning of the text. As you progress through the content, you may notice that the English translations for certain vocabulary items in the example sentences and texts sometimes differ from those presented in the vocabulary lists. Far from an oversight, this is an intentional aspect of the methodology. Our aim here is to encourage you to ponder more deeply on the meanings of words and the nuances in their usage.

Lingualism offers a series of notebooks designed for recording Arabic vocabulary, all with beautiful covers:



[www.lingualism.com/vocabulary-notebooks](http://www.lingualism.com/vocabulary-notebooks)

As for vocabulary organization, we encourage you to keep a dedicated notebook. Classify and group words according to logical categories that make sense to you – be it themes, synonyms, antonyms, or even roots for Arabic words. This personalized lexical resource will greatly aid your recall and application of vocabulary.



### Utilize the Audio Tracks

The accompanying audio tracks can be used in conjunction with the text or separately for additional listening practice. You can listen before, during, or after reading the texts, depending on your individual preference. They are designed to help improve your listening comprehension and pronunciation. Each section in the book is preceded by its track number.

Visit [www.lingualism.com/audio](http://www.lingualism.com/audio), where you can find the free accompanying audio to download or stream (at variable playback rates).



### Expand Your Vocabulary

One of the key strengths of this book is the wealth of vocabulary embedded within its pages beyond the given lists. Each section is filled with relevant vocabulary items not explicitly listed as vocabulary items. These additional vocabulary treasures can be found within the example sentences and texts. We encourage you to be an active explorer, seeking them out and adding them to your notes. The more you interact with the texts, the more you will uncover additional topical vocabulary to bolster your Arabic language repertoire.

### Happy Learning!

Remember, the journey of language learning is not a linear one. It's a process of exploration, discovery, and personal growth. We hope this book will serve as your faithful companion on this fascinating voyage into the vibrant world of Arabic media.

# Unit 7

## Military and Conflict

This unit offers an exploration of various facets of military engagement, covering traditional warfare to modern asymmetrical conflicts, all within the context of media Arabic. As you progress, you'll grasp the nuances of language used in discussing military strategies, defense technologies, and security concerns, which are prevalent themes in news coverage.

We start with a focus on traditional warfare, including ground, naval, and air operations. Through vocabulary, example sentences, and articles, you'll acquaint yourself with terminology related to military units, ranks, and maneuvers, acknowledging the potential variations across countries.

Advancing further, we delve into modern and asymmetrical warfare, touching upon topics such as terrorism, cyber-terrorism, and special operations. Here, you'll encounter terminology associated with insurgent tactics, counter-terrorism endeavors, and the roles of special forces in contemporary conflicts.

Moreover, we explore defense and security matters, scrutinizing military strategies, equipment, and technology. From discussions on defense budgets to analyses of emerging security threats, you'll gain a comprehensive grasp of the language used in addressing defense and security issues within media discourse.

It's essential to note that the terminology associated with military ranks, units, and operations may vary from one country to another. Therefore, as you engage with this material, we encourage you to remain flexible and open-minded, recognizing the diversity of linguistic expressions within the Arabic-speaking world.

By immersing yourself in this unit, you'll not only enhance your Arabic language proficiency but also deepen your comprehension of military and security issues, given their frequent coverage in the news. This vocabulary proves invaluable given the unfortunate prevalence of military conflicts, making this unit especially relevant and useful.

# 7.1 Traditional Warfare

Track 1

war

• حُرُوبٌ

حَرْبٌ

تَدُورُ حُرُوبٌ عِدَّةٌ فِي مَنَاطِقَ مُخْتَلِفَةٍ حَوْلَ الْعَالَمِ.

Several wars are taking place in various regions around the world.

Note that the noun حَرْبٌ is feminine, as demonstrated by the adjectives in the following expressions.

civil war

حَرْبٌ أَهْلِيَّةٌ

اِنْدَلَعَتْ حُرُوبٌ أَهْلِيَّةٌ فِي عِدَّةِ دَوْلٍ نَتِيجَةً لِلانْقِسَامَاتِ الدَّاخِلِيَّةِ.

Civil wars broke out in several countries due to internal divisions.

world war

حَرْبٌ عَالَمِيَّةٌ

شَهِدَتِ الْحَرْبُ الْعَالَمِيَّةُ الثَّانِيَةُ مُشَارَكَةَ الْعَدِيدِ مِنَ الدُّوَلِ.

World War II saw the participation of many countries.

ally

• حُلَفَاءٌ

حَلِيفٌ

تَمَّ التَّوَصُّلُ لِاتِّفَاقٍ بَيْنَ الْحُلَفَاءِ لِتَنْسِيقِ الْهَجَمَاتِ.

An agreement was reached among the allies to coordinate attacks.

weapon

• أَسْلِحَةٌ

سِلَاحٌ

تَمَّ تَطْوِيرُ سِلَاحٍ جَدِيدٍ يُمَكِّنُهُ إِصَابَةُ الْأَهْدَافِ مِنْ مَسَافَاتٍ بَعِيدَةٍ.

A new weapon was developed that can hit targets from long distances.

enemy

• أَعْدَاءٌ

عَدُوٌّ

اسْتَحْدَمَتِ الْقُوَاتُ الْخَاصَّةُ تَكْنِيكَاتٍ مُتَطَوِّرَةً لِمُوَاجَهَةِ الْعَدُوِّ فِي الْمِنْطَقَةِ الْحُدُودِيَّةِ.

Special forces used advanced tactics to confront the enemy in the border region.

military

عَسْكَرِيٌّ

اجْتَمَعَ الْمَسْؤُولُونَ لِمُنَاقَشَةِ الْإِسْتِرَاطِيَّةِ الْعَسْكَرِيَّةِ الْجَدِيدَةِ لِلدَّفَاعِ عَنِ الْحُدُودِ.

Officials met to discuss the new military strategy for defending the borders.

Note that the term رَجُلٌ عَسْكَرِيٌّ ('military man') can refer to anyone in the military, while عَسْكَرِيٌّ as a noun (see page 8) is an official rank.

## 7.1.1 Ground Forces

Track 2

prisoner of war

أَسِيرٌ • أُسْرِيَ

تَمَّ الْإِفْرَاجُ عَنِ الْأَسْرَى بَعْدَ مُمَاوِضَاتٍ طَوِيلَةٍ.

The prisoners were released after lengthy negotiations.

to command

أَمَرَ • أَمْرٌ

أَصْدَرَ الْجِنْرَالُ أَمْرًا بِالْإِنْسِحَابِ مِنَ الْمِنْطَقَةِ.

The general issued an order to withdraw from the area.

security

أَمْنٌ

بَاتَ أَمْنُ الْمِنْطَقَةِ تَحْتَ السَّيْطَرَةِ بَعْدَ عَمَلِيَّةٍ نَاجِحَةٍ.

The security of the area came under control after a successful operation.

to halt

أَوْقَفَ • إِيقَافٌ

أَوْقَفَتِ الْقُوَّاتُ الْعَسْكَرِيَّةُ الْعَمَلِيَّاتِ لِإِجْرَاءِ مُمَاوِضَاتِ السَّلَامِ.

The military forces halted operations to conduct peace negotiations.

supplies

pl.

إِمْدَادَاتٌ

تَمَّ قَطْعُ الْإِمْدَادَاتِ عَنِ الْقُوَّاتِ الْمُحَاصَرَةِ.

Supplies were cut off from the besieged forces.

شَنَّ العَدُوُّ هُجُومًا مُبَاغِتًا وَلَكِنَّ القُوَّاتِ كَانَتْ مُسْتَعِدَّةً.

The enemy launched a surprise attack, but the forces were prepared.

انضَمَّتْ وَحَدَةٌ خَاصَّةٌ لِلعَمَلِيَّةِ لِتَقْدِيمِ الدَّعْمِ.

A special unit joined the operation to provide support.

### 7.1.1.1 Mini-Articles

تَمَكَّنَ الجَيْشُ مِنْ شَنْ هُجُومٍ مُبَاغِتٍ عَلَى خَطِّ الجَنَبَةِ الشَّمَالِيِّ اللَّيْلَةَ المَاضِيَةَ مُسْتَحْدِمًا الدَّبَابَاتِ وَالمِدْفَعِيَّةِ الثَّقِيلَةَ. اِغْتَقَلَتِ القُوَّاتُ العَسْكَرِيَّةُ عَدَدًا مِنْ جُنُودِ العَدُوِّ فِي عَمَلِيَّةٍ خَاصَّةٍ. وَقَدْ أَظْهَرَتِ الخَرِيْطَةُ المِيدَانِيَّةُ تَقَدُّمًا مَلْحُوظًا عَلَى هَذِهِ الجَنَبَةِ. وَقَدْ أَمَرَ العَمِيدُ مُحَمَّدُ أَحْمَدُ بِنَعْزِيزِ خَطِّ الدَّفَاعِ وَتَأْمِينِ المِنْطَقَةِ.

The army managed to launch a surprise attack on the northern front last night, employing tanks and heavy artillery. The military forces detained a number of enemy soldiers in a special operation. The field map showed significant progress on this front. Brigadier General Muhammad Ahmed ordered the fortification of the defense line and securing the area.

أَعْلَنَتِ الوَحَدَاتُ العَسْكَرِيَّةُ حَالَةَ الطَّوَارِيءِ فِي المَدِينَةِ الجَنُوبِيَّةِ بَعْدَ اسْتِشْعَارِ حَرَكَةٍ مَشْبُوهَةٍ عَلَى الحُدُودِ. كَشَفَتْ دَوْرِيَّاتُ الجَيْشِ عَدَدًا مِنَ المَخَابِيءِ الَّتِي اسْتَحْدَمَهَا المْتَمَرِّدُونَ لِتَخْزِينِ الدَّخِيْرَةِ وَالمْتَفَجِّراتِ. هَذَا وَتَعَمَّلَ الحِمَايَةُ المَدْنِيَّةُ جَنبًا إِلَى جَنبٍ مَعَ الجَيْشِ لِضَمَانِ أَمْنِ المُواطِنِينَ فِي المِنْطَقَةِ.

Military units declared a state of emergency in the southern city after sensing suspicious activity on the borders. Army patrols uncovered several hideouts used by the rebels to store ammunition and explosives. Civil defense works alongside the army to ensure the safety of citizens in the region.

أَعْلَنَ الرَّايِدُ أَحْمَدُ سَالِمٌ عَن إِجْرَاءِ تَدْرِيْبَاتٍ مِيدَانِيَّةٍ لِلجَيْشِ الوَطَنِيِّ فِي مَنطَقَةِ الصَّخْرَاءِ الغَرِبِيَّةِ. تَهْدَفُ هَذِهِ التَّدْرِيْبَاتُ إِلَى زِيَادَةِ كَفَاءَةِ الجُنُودِ وَالتَّأَكُّدِ مِنْ جَاهِزِيَّةِ الأَسْلِحَةِ. وَتَمَّ تَنْظِيمُ هَذِهِ التَّدْرِيْبَاتِ بِالتَّعَاوُنِ مَعَ الشَّرَكَاءِ المُنْتَحَالِفِينَ لِتَبَادُلِ الخِبْرَاتِ وَتَطْوِيرِ قَوَاعِدِ الإِشْتِبَاكِ.

Major Ahmed Salem announced field exercises for the national army in the Western Sahara region. These exercises aim to enhance the soldiers' proficiency and ensure weapon readiness. They were organized in cooperation with allied partners to exchange expertise and develop engagement rules.

وَقَدْ تَقَدَّمَتِ الْقُوَاتُ السُّوفِيَّتِيَّةُ بِسُرْعَةٍ، حَيْثُ كَشَفَتِ الْخَرَائِطُ الْمِيدَانِيَّةُ عَنْ تَقَدُّمِهِمُ السَّرِيعِ نَحْوَ مَرَكِّزِ الْمَدِينَةِ. وَاجْهُوا مُقَاوَمَةً شَرِسَةً مِنَ الْوَحَدَاتِ الْأَلْمَانِيَّةِ الَّتِي كَانَتْ تَحْتَ إِمْرَةِ ضَبَاطٍ مُتَمَرِّسِينَ، وَلَكِنْ تَمَكَّنُوا مِنْ شَنْ هَجَمَاتٍ مُتتَالِيَةٍ وَاسْتِعَادَةَ الْمَوَاضِعِ الْإِسْتِرَاتِيْجِيَّةِ.

تَمَّ أَسْرُ الْعَدِيدِ مِنَ الْجُنُودِ الْأَلْمَانِ، بَيْنَمَا قَاوَمَ الْبَعْضُ الْآخَرَ حَتَّى الْمَوْتِ. فِي الْمُقَابِلِ، وَاجَهَتْ قُوَاتُ الْجَيْشِ الْأَحْمَرِ خَسَائِرَ كَبِيرَةً، حَيْثُ سَقَطَ الْكَثِيرُ مِنَ الْجُنُودِ جَرْحَى أَوْ قَتْلَى.

فِي نِهَائِيَّةِ الْمَطَافِ، مَعَ انْكِسَارِ خُطُوطِ الدَّفَاعِ الْأَلْمَانِيَّةِ وَافْتِرَابِ قُوَاتِ الْحُلَفَاءِ مِنَ الْعَرَبِ، كَانَ مِنَ الْوَاضِحِ أَنَّ نِهَائِيَّةَ الْحَرْبِ قَدْ افْتَرَبَتْ. تَمَّ احْتِلَالُ بَرْلِينَ بِالْكَامِلِ مِنْ قِبَلِ الْجَيْشِ الْأَحْمَرِ فِي مَآيُو 1945، مِمَّا وَضَعَ نِهَائِيَّةً فَعْلِيَّةً لِلْحَرْبِ الْعَالَمِيَّةِ الثَّانِيَّةِ فِي أَوْرُوبَا.

### The Red Army launches a surprise attack on Berlin at the end of World War II

In the final months of World War II, the Red Army prepared to launch a massive assault on Berlin, the capital of the Third Reich. This attack was part of a strategic offensive plan devised by the Allied forces to end the war.

The Red Army utilized numerous armored vehicles and tanks to achieve rapid progress through German defense lines. This attack was bolstered by continuous supplies and vast ammunition to ensure sustained advancement and achieve victory.

The Soviet forces advanced swiftly, with field maps revealing their rapid progress toward the city center. They faced fierce resistance from German units commanded by seasoned officers, but managed to launch successive attacks and recapture strategic positions.

Many German soldiers were captured, while others resisted to the death. In contrast, the Red Army forces experienced significant losses, with many soldiers injured or killed.

Ultimately, with the breaking of German defense lines and the approaching Allied forces from the west, it became evident that the end of the war was near. Berlin was fully occupied by the Red Army in May 1945, effectively marking the end of World War II in Europe.

### 7.1.1.3 Historical Account: The Naksa

Track 5

#### الْحَرْبُ الْعَرَبِيَّةُ الْإِسْرَائِيلِيَّةُ 1967: النِّكْسَةُ

فِي يُونِيُو مِنْ عَامِ 1967، اِنْدَلَعَتْ حَرْبٌ خَاطِفَةٌ بَيْنَ إِسْرَائِيلَ وَثَلَاثِ دَوْلٍ عَرَبِيَّةٍ هِيَ: مِصْرَ، سُوْرِيَا، وَالْأُرْدُنُّ. وَقَدْ اسْتَمَرَّتِ الْحَرْبُ لِسِتَّةِ أَيَّامٍ فَقَطْ، لَكِنَّهَا أَسْفَرَتْ عَنْ تَغْيِيرَاتٍ جِيُوسِيَاسِيَّةٍ كَبِيرَةٍ فِي الْمِنْطَقَةِ.

## 7.1.2 Naval Forces

Track 6

to sail

• إِبحَرَ

أُبحِرَ

أُبحِرَتِ السَّفِينَةُ الحَرَبِيَّةُ نَحْوَ المِياهِ الدَّوَلِيَّةِ لِتَنفِيزِ مَهْمَتِها.

The warship sailed toward international waters to carry out its mission.

fleet

• أَساطيلُ

أُسْطُولٌ

تَمَّ نَشْرُ أُسْطُولٍ بَحْرِيٍّ لِلرَّدِّ عَلى التَّهْدِيداتِ المُحْتَمَلَةِ.

A naval fleet was deployed to respond to potential threats.

to launch

• إِطْلَاقٌ

أُطْلِقَ

أُطْلِقَتِ العَوَاصِةُ صَواريخَها نُجَاحَ الهَدَفِ المُعادِی.

The submarine launched its missiles toward the enemy target.

to sink

• إِغْرَاقٌ

أُغْرِقَ

أُغْرِقَتِ البَحْرِيَّةُ السَّفِينَةُ المُعادِیَّةُ لِمنَعِها مِنَ الوُصُولِ إِلى المِياهِ الإقْلِیْمِیَّةِ.

The navy sank the hostile ship to prevent it from reaching territorial waters.

This verb is transitive; it takes an object. Compare to its intransitive counterpart on page 21.

maritime rescue

إِنقاذُ بَحْرِيٍّ

تَمَّ تَنفِيزُ إِنقاذِ بَحْرِيٍّ لِلرُّكَّابِ الَّذِینَ تَعَرَّضوا لِحادِثٍ بَحْرِيٍّ.

A maritime rescue was performed for passengers involved in a marine accident.

maritime law

• قَوانینُ

القانونُ البَحْرِيُّ

تَمَّ تَطْبِيقُ القانونِ البَحْرِيِّ لِمُعالِجَةِ حادِثِ القَرَصَةِ.

Maritime law was applied to address the piracy incident.

investigation is currently underway to determine the causes of the collision and assess the extent of the damage.

أَعْلَنْتِ الْقُوَاتُ الْجَوِّيَّةُ عَنْ تَنْفِيذِ غَارَاتٍ جَوِّيَّةٍ نَاجِحَةٍ ضِدَّ مَوَاقِعَ مُعَادِيَةٍ اسْتَهْدَفَتْ قَوَاعِدَ عَسْكَرِيَّةً. اسْتُخْدِمَتْ طَائِرَاتٌ مُقَاتِلَةٌ مُتَطَوِّرَةٌ قَادِرَةٌ عَلَى التَّحْلِيْقِ بِسُرْعَاتٍ تَتَجَاوَزُ الصَّوْتِ. أَكَّدَتِ الْمُرَاقَبَةُ الْجَوِّيَّةُ تَفَوْقَ الْجَيْشِ وَتَمَكُّنَهُ مِنْ تَأْمِينِ مَمَرَاتٍ جَوِّيَّةٍ أَسَاسِيَّةٍ.

The air force announced successful air raids against hostile sites targeting military bases. Advanced fighter jets capable of flying at supersonic speeds were utilized. Air surveillance confirmed the army's superiority and its ability to secure vital air corridors.

أَطْلَقَتْ هَيْئَةُ الطَّيْرَانِ الْمَدَنِيِّ مُبَادَرَةً جَدِيدَةً لِتَعْزِيزِ الْأَمَانِ فِي الطَّيْرَانِ الْمَدَنِيِّ. وَقَدْ تَمَّ تَجْدِيدُ نِظَامٍ مُضَادٍّ لِلطَّائِرَاتِ فِي الْقَاعِدَةِ الْجَوِّيَّةِ الرَّئِيسِيَّةِ. بِالإِضَافَةِ إِلَى ذَلِكَ، تَمَّ تَحْدِيثُ أَنْظِمَةِ الرَّدَارِ لِرِصْدِ الطَّائِرَاتِ وَالتَّأَكُّدِ مِنْ حَالَةِ الطَّوَارِي الْجَوِّيَّةِ. وَتَأْتِي هَذِهِ الخُطُوَاتُ فِي إِطَارِ الرَّغْبَةِ فِي تَوْفِيرِ بَيْئَةِ طَيْرَانٍ أَمِنَةٍ لِجَمِيعِ الرُّكَّابِ.

The Civil Aviation Authority launched a new initiative to enhance safety in civil aviation. An anti-aircraft system at the main airbase has been updated. Additionally, radar systems have been modernized to monitor aircraft and ensure aerial emergency preparedness. These steps come in line with the desire to provide a safe flying environment for all passengers.

### 7.1.3.2 Informative Article: No-Fly Zones

Track 11

#### مَنَاطِقُ الْحَظْرِ الْجَوِّيِّ: كَيْفِيَّةُ عَمَلِهَا وَأَهْمِيَّتُهَا الإِسْتِرَاطِيَّةِ

تُعْتَبَرُ الْمَنَاطِقُ الْمَحْظُورَةُ جَوِّيًّا مِنْ الأَدَوَاتِ الإِسْتِرَاطِيَّةِ الْمُهْمَّةِ الَّتِي تُسْتَخْدَمُ فِي السِّيَاسَةِ الدَّوْلِيَّةِ وَفِي الْمَوَاجِهَاتِ الْعَسْكَرِيَّةِ. تُعْرَفُ هَذِهِ الْمَنَاطِقُ عَلَى أَنَّهَا مِسَاحَاتٌ مِنْ الْمَجَالِ الْجَوِّيِّ يُحْظَرُ أَوْ يُقَيَّدُ فِيهَا الطَّيْرَانُ، سَوَاءً كَانَ طَيْرَانًا مَدَنِيًّا أَوْ عَسْكَرِيًّا.

كَيْفَ تَعْمَلُ مَنَاطِقُ الْحَظْرِ الْجَوِّيِّ؟

عِنْدَمَا تُعْلَنُ دَوْلَةٌ أَوْ تَحَالْفُ مِنَ الدَّوْلِ عَنْ مَنَاطِقَ حَظْرِ جَوِّيٍّ، فَإِنَّهَا تَقُومُ بِتَحْدِيدِهَا جُغْرَافِيًّا وَتُحَدِّدُ الإِرْتِفَاعَاتِ الْمَحْظُورَةَ. تُعْتَبَرُ مُرَاقَبَةُ نِظْمِ الرَّدَارِ الْحَدِيثَةِ وَالْحَرَكَةِ الْجَوِّيَّةِ أَدَاتَانِ أَسَاسِيَّتَانِ لِمُرَاقَبَةِ هَذِهِ الْمَنَاطِقِ وَضَمَانِ عَدَمِ انْتِهَاقِهَا. فِي حَالِ اخْتِرَاقِ أَيِّ طَائِرَةٍ لِهَذِهِ الْمَنَاطِقِ، قَدْ تَتَعَرَّضُ لِإِعْتِرَاضٍ جَوِّيٍّ أَوْ حَتَّى يَتِمَّ إِسْقَاطُهَا بِوَسِطَةِ الصَّوَارِيخِ الْجَوِّ - جَوِّ.

الأَهْمِيَّةُ الإِسْتِرَاطِيَّةِ لِلْمَنَاطِقِ الْمَحْظُورَةِ جَوِّيًّا:



## Russian Cyber Attack on US Elections

In recent years, US intelligence reports have revealed potential Russian interference in the US presidential elections through cyber attacks. These reports alleged that groups of Russian hackers targeted the information systems of several US states.

The hackers employed advanced techniques for electronic espionage, including malicious software and phishing attacks to obtain confidential information. Their primary goal was to influence election outcomes and undermine trust in the American democratic system.

In response, the United States bolstered its cybersecurity, implementing a stricter network security policy and establishing special units to counter electronic espionage. These events sparked diplomatic tensions between the US and Russia, with calls to impose sanctions on Moscow.

This incident highlights the growing cyber threats and the urgent need for a robust security system capable of addressing digital challenges in the modern era.

### 7.2.3 Special Operations

Track 20

to hide (as in concealment of activities)

• إِخْفَاءٌ

أَخْفَى

أَخْفَتِ الْقُوَاتُ الْخَاصَّةُ مَعْدَاتِهَا فِي مَكَانٍ سِرِّيٍّ قَبْلَ الْعَمَلِيَّةِ.

The special forces hid their equipment in a secret location before the operation.

to use propaganda

• اسْتِخْدَامٌ

اسْتَحْدَمَ دِعَايَةً

اسْتَحْدَمَتِ الْجَمَاعَةُ الْمُنْتَهَكَةُ الدُّعَايَةَ لِاِكْتِسَابِ مَزِيدٍ مِنَ الدَّعْمِ.

The extremist group used propaganda to gain more support.

strategic

اسْتِرَاطِيَّةٌ

تَمَّ وَضْعُ خُطَّةٍ اسْتِرَاطِيَّةٍ لِمُكَافَحَةِ الْإِرْهَابِ.

A strategic plan was developed to combat terrorism.

to spy

• تَجَسُّسٌ

تَجَسَّسَ

تَجَسَّسَ الْعَمِيلُ عَلَى اجْتِمَاعَاتِ الْقَادَةِ لِجَمْعِ مَعْلُومَاتٍ حَسَّاسَةٍ.

**M.G.M.:** Strategic analysis gives us a deep insight into enemy forces, their strategy, and their vulnerabilities. Based on risk assessment, we can devise an effective military strategy to protect our front and besiege the enemy when needed.

**Host:** Finally, what are the key tactics we should focus on in the near future?

**M.G.M.:** We should focus on training our forces on modern tactics, especially in reconnaissance and recapturing occupied sites. Also, there's a need to increase defensive drills and develop a more effective alliance force.

**Host:** Thank you, General Mahmoud, for this enlightening conversation and valuable information.

**M.G.M.:** Thank you, and I wish our homeland continued safety and prosperity.

### 7.3.2 Equipment and Technology

Track 25

to shoot

• إِطْلَاقٌ

أَطْلَقَ النَّارَ

أَطْلَقَ الْجُنْدِيُّ النَّارَ عَلَى الْهَدَفِ مِنْ بُنْدُقِيَّتِهِ.

The soldier fired at the target with his rifle.

to supply

• إِمْدَادٌ

أَمَدَّ

أَمَدَّتِ الْقَاعِدَةُ الْعَسْكَرِيَّةُ الْقُوَاتِ بِالْإِمْدَادَاتِ وَالْمُعَدَّاتِ الْأَسَاسِيَّةِ قَبْلَ الْمُهْمَةِ.

The military base supplied the troops with essential equipment and supplies before the mission.

national security

أَمْنٌ وَطَنِيٌّ = أَمْنٌ قَوْمِيٌّ

تُحْتَبَرُ تِكْنُولُوجِيَا الطَّائِرَاتِ بِدُونِ طَيَّارٍ مُهِمَّةً لِلْأَمْنِ الْوَطَنِيِّ.

Drone technology is considered important for national security.

to target

• إِسْتِهْدَافٌ

إِسْتَهْدَفَ

إِسْتَهْدَفَتِ الصَّوَارِيخُ الْمَوَاقِعَ الْعَسْكَرِيَّةَ لِلْعَدُوِّ.

The missiles targeted the enemy's military sites.

# Unit 8

## Religion and Society

In this unit, we delve into the multifaceted dimensions of religion, focusing on Islam and its broader implications in society, all within the context of media Arabic. Through this lens, we aim to equip you with the language and contextual understanding necessary to engage effectively with religious topics as they appear in academic contexts, news articles, and broadcasts.

We begin with an exploration of Islam and Islamic culture, encompassing its rich history, philosophical underpinnings, legal and theological frameworks, and contributions to arts and literature. We will explore the intricacies of Islamic thought, its evolution over time and its contemporary relevance.

Moving forward, we will examine interfaith relations and the importance of understanding and respecting religious diversity. This section will explore comparative religion, the rights of religious minorities, and the imperative of fostering dialogue and cooperation among different faith communities.

Furthermore, we will delve into social issues related to religion, including discussions on women's rights in Islamic societies, religious symbols and dress codes, the role of religious education and scholarship, and the challenges posed by religious extremism and sectarianism.

Finally, we will explore customs and practices in Islam, offering an introductory overview of Islamic rituals and traditions. From the Five Pillars of Islam to the significance of Ramadan, the Mosque, and the pilgrimage of Hajj, we will explore the depth and diversity of Islamic practices.

Throughout this unit, you will encounter a wealth of vocabulary, example sentences, and short articles designed to enhance your understanding of religious concepts and their expression in Arabic. By engaging with this material, you will not only expand your language skills but also deepen your appreciation for the role of religion in shaping societies and cultures.

# 8.1 Islam and Islamic Culture

Track 31

religion

• أَدْيَانُ

دِينٌ

يُؤَكِّدُ الدِّينَ الإِسْلَامِيَّ عَلَى التَّوْحِيدِ وَيَتَّبِعُ تَعَالِيمَ الْقُرْآنِ.

Islamic religion emphasizes monotheism and follows the teachings of the Quran.

religious

دِينِيّ

ظَهَرَتِ التَّوْتُرَاتُ الدِّينِيَّةُ فِي مَدِينَةِ البَصْرَةِ بَعْدَ حَادِثِ اسْتِهْدَافِ كَنِيسَةٍ.

Religious tensions appeared in the city of Basra after an incident targeting a church.

Islam

إِسْلَامٌ

أُفْتُتِحَ مَتْحَفٌ جَدِيدٌ فِي القَاهِرَةِ يَهْدُفُ إِلَى تَسْلِيْطِ الصُّوِّ عَلَى تَارِيخِ الإِسْلَامِ.

A new museum was opened in Cairo, aiming to highlight the history of Islam.

Islamic

إِسْلَامِيّ

فِي تُونِسَ، اُنْدَلَعَتِ احْتِجَاجَاتٌ بَعْدَ قَرَارِ الحُكُومَةِ بِإِغْلَاقِ مَدْرَسَةٍ إِسْلَامِيَّةٍ شَهِيْرَةٍ.

In Tunisia, protests erupted after the government decided to close a well-known Islamic school.

Muslim

مُسْلِمٌ

فِي لُبْنَانَ، أَظْهَرَ اسْتِطْلَاعُ للرَّأْيِ تَزَايِدَ نِسْبَةِ الشَّبَابِ المُسْلِمِ الَّذِينَ يَرْعَبُونَ فِي الهِجْرَةِ.

In Lebanon, a public opinion poll showed an increasing percentage of Muslim youth who wish to emigrate.

## 8.1.1 Islamic History and Philosophy

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to date, to chronicle

• تَارِيخٌ

أَرَخَ

أَرَخَ الكَاتِبُ عَبْدُ اللهِ التَّنْطُورَاتِ الأَخِيْرَةَ فِي الإِسْلَامِ السِّيَاسِيِّ بِالعِرَاقِ.

The writer Abdullah chronicled the recent developments in political Islam in Iraq.

to establish, to found

• تَأْسِيسٌ

أَسَّسَ

أَسَّسَ الشَّيْخُ مَحْمُودٌ مَدْرَسَةً لِلْفِكْرِ الْإِسْلَامِيِّ فِي الْخَرْطُومِ.

Sheikh Mahmoud founded a school for Islamic thought in Khartoum.

political Islam

إِسْلَامٌ سِيَاسِيٌّ

تَزَايَدَ تَأْثِيرُ الْإِسْلَامِ السِّيَاسِيِّ فِي تُونِسَ.

The influence of political Islam has increased in Tunisia.

the Islamic State

• دَوْلٌ

الدَّوْلَةُ الْإِسْلَامِيَّةُ

تَأَسَّسَتِ الدَّوْلَةُ الْإِسْلَامِيَّةُ الْجَدِيدَةُ بَعْدَ انْتِهَاءِ الثَّوْرَةِ لِتَحْقِيقِ الْعَدَالَةِ وَالْمُسَاوَاةِ بَيْنَ الْمَوَاطِنِينَ.

The new Islamic state was established after the revolution to achieve justice and equality among the citizens.

Salafism

السَّلَفِيَّةُ

شَهِدَتِ السَّلَفِيَّةُ تَزَايُدًا فِي الشَّعْبِيَّةِ بَيْنَ الشُّبَّانِ فِي مِصْرَ.

Salafism has seen an increase in its popularity among young people in Egypt.

Sunnis; Sunnism

السُّنَّةُ

حَاوَلَتِ الْمُنْظَمَاتُ الدِّيْنِيَّةُ فِي بَغْدَادَ تَعْزِيزَ الْحِوَارِ بَيْنَ السُّنَّةِ وَالشَّيْعَةِ.

Religious organizations in Baghdad tried to promote dialogue between Sunnis and Shiites.

the biography of the Prophet Muhammad

• سِيْرٌ

السِّيْرَةُ النَّبَوِيَّةُ

قَامَتْ دَارُ النَّشْرِ بِإِصْدَارِ كِتَابٍ جَدِيدٍ عَنِ السِّيْرَةِ النَّبَوِيَّةِ.

The publishing house released a new book on the biography of the Prophet Muhammad.

the Holy Quran

الْقُرْآنُ الْكَرِيمُ

قَرَأَ الطُّلَابُ الْقُرْآنَ الْكَرِيمَ فِي الْمَدْرَسَةِ.

The students read the Holy Quran in school.

The capital hosted an international conference on political Islam and its impact on the founding of states in Islamic history. Experts discussed the role that the prophetic biography played in shaping political and social systems and how concepts of governance in Islam have evolved.

أَعْلَنْتِ الْهَيْئَةُ الدِّينِيَّةُ عَن حُطِّطٍ لِتَرْمِيمِ الْمَسْجِدِ النَّبَوِيِّ، مَعَ الْحِرْصِ عَلَى الْمُحَافَظَةِ عَلَى الطَّرَازِ التَّارِيخِيِّ لِلْمَسْجِدِ. سَيَشْمَلُ الْمَشْرُوعُ أَعْمَالَ تَرْمِيمٍ لِلْأَقْسَامِ الْأَثَرِيَّةِ الْقَدِيمَةِ وَتَحْسِينَاتٍ لِلْمَرَاغِبِ الْحَدِيثَةِ لِاسْتِيعَابِ عَدَدٍ أَكْبَرَ مِنْ الْمُسْلِمِينَ خِلَالَ مَوْسِمِ الْحَجِّ.

The religious authority announced plans for the restoration of the Prophet's Mosque, with care to preserve the historical style of the mosque. The project will include restoration work on the old archaeological sections and improvements to the modern facilities to accommodate more Muslims during the Hajj season.

### 8.1.1.2 Essay: Islamic Thought

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#### الفِكرُ الإسلاميُّ في مُواجهَةِ تحدياتِ العصرِ

في زَمَانِنَا هَذَا، يَبْدُو أَنَّ الْفِكرَ الإسلاميَّ، بِمَا فِي ذَلِكَ الْفَلَسَفَةَ الصُّوفِيَّةَ وَالسَّلَفِيَّةَ، يُواجهُ تحدياتٍ جَمَّةً. فَكَيْفَ يُمكنُ لِهَذَا الْفِكرِ أَنْ يَنْتَمِيَ إِلَى سِياقِهِ التَّارِيخِيِّ وَفِي الْوَقْتِ نَفْسِهِ يَتَأَقَلَمَ مَعَ الْمُعْطِيَّاتِ الْمُعاصرةِ؟

لا يُمكنُ النَّظَرُ إِلَى الدِّينِ الإسلاميِّ دُونَ أَخْذِ تَارِيخِهِ الْغَنِيِّ بِعَيْنِ الْإِعْتِبَارِ. فَتَارِيخُ الْإِسْلَامِ يَشْمَلُ حَقَبًا زَمَنِيَّةً مُخْتَلَفَةً وَأَحْدَانًا جِسَامًا أَسَّسَتْ لِلْأُمَّمِ وَالْأَدْوَلِ الْإِسْلَامِيَّةِ. وَلَعَلَّ مِنْ أَبْرَزِ هَذِهِ الدُّوَلِ مَا كَانَ يُعْرَفُ بِالْأَدْوَلَةِ الْإِسْلَامِيَّةِ فِي الْعُصُورِ الْوُسْطَى، حَيْثُ كَانَتْ السُّنَّةُ وَالشَّيْعَةُ تَتَشَارَكَانِ فِي بِنَاءِ حَضَارَةٍ مَا تَزَالُ آثَارُهَا باقيةً إِلَى الْيَوْمِ.

يَتَبَيَّنُ الْفِكرُ الإسلاميُّ بَيْنَ التِّيَّارَاتِ الْمُخْتَلَفَةِ كَالسَّلَفِيَّةِ الَّتِي تُنادي بِالْعُودَةِ إِلَى أُسْلُوبِ حَيَاةِ السَّلَفِ الصَّالِحِ، وَالصُّوفِيَّةِ الَّتِي تُرَكِّزُ عَلَى الْبُعْدِ الرُّوحِيِّ وَالشَّخْصِيِّ فِي الْعِبَادَةِ. هَذِهِ التَّنَوُّعَاتُ فِي الْفِكرِ الدِّينِيِّ لَا تَعَكِسُ الْإِنْقِسَامَ فَحَسْبُ، بَلْ تُظْهِرُ غِنَى الْإِسْلَامِ وَتَعَدُّدَ أبعادِهِ.

وَمِنَ الْجَدِيدِ بِالذِّكْرِ أَيْضًا أَنَّ الْقُرْآنَ الْكَرِيمَ وَالسِّيْرَةَ النَّبَوِيَّةَ قَدْ قَدَّما مُساهِمَاتٍ فِكْرِيَّةً وَتَارِيخِيَّةً لَا تُقَدَّرُ بِتَمَنٍ. وَعَلَى وَجْهِ التَّحْدِيدِ، يَظْهَرُ تَأْثِيرُ الْقُرْآنِ الْكَرِيمِ وَالسِّيْرَةِ النَّبَوِيَّةِ فِي تَوْجِيهِ الْفِكرِ الإسلاميِّ نَحْوَ مَفَاهِيمِ التَّعَايُشِ وَالْعَدَالَةِ الْإِجْتِمَاعِيَّةِ، مُكَرِّسِينَ بِذَلِكَ مَبَادِي السَّلَامِ وَالسَّامِحِ كَأَسَاسٍ لِلتَّفَاعُلِ مَعَ التَّحْدِيَّاتِ.

فِي خِصْمِ هَذِهِ التَّحْدِيَّاتِ، يَبْقَى السُّؤَالُ مَفْتُوحًا: كَيْفَ يُمكنُ لِلْفِكرِ الإسلاميِّ أَنْ يُحَافِظَ عَلَى جُذُورِهِ التَّارِيخِيَّةِ وَفِي الْوَقْتِ نَفْسِهِ يُسَهِّمُ فِي إِثْرَاءِ الْحِوَارِ الثَّقَافِيِّ وَالْفَلَسَفِيِّ الْمُعاصرةِ؟ إِنَّ الْإِجَابَةَ عَلَى هَذَا السُّؤَالِ تَتَطَلَّبُ مِنَّا جَمِيعًا، مُسْلِمِينَ وَعَبْرَ مُسْلِمِينَ، أَنْ نَنْظُرَ فِي التَّارِيخِ وَنَسْتَلْهِمَ مِنْهُ الدُّرُوسَ وَنُطَبِّقَهَا عَلَى وَاقِعِنَا الْيَوْمِ.

## 8.1.3 Islamic Arts and Literature

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### Islamic literature

• آداب

أَدَبٌ إِسْلَامِيٌّ

يَتَمَيَّزُ الْأَدَبُ الْإِسْلَامِيُّ بِمَجْمُوعَةٍ مِنَ الْأَعْمَالِ الْأَدَبِيَّةِ الَّتِي تَرْوِي الْقِصَصَ الدِّينِيَّ وَتُسَلِّطُ الضُّوءَ عَلَى الْقِيَمِ وَالْأَخْلَاقِ الْإِسْلَامِيَّةِ.

Islamic literature is characterized by a range of literary works that narrate religious stories and highlight Islamic values and ethics.

### to inspire

• إلهام

أَلْهَمَ

أَلْهَمَتِ الطَّبِيعَةُ الْفَنَانَةَ رِيمَ لِإِنْشَاءِ لَوْحَاتٍ رُوحَانِيَّةٍ.

Nature inspired the artist Reem to create spiritual paintings.

### Islamic heritage

تُرَاثٌ إِسْلَامِيٌّ

يُرَكِّزُ مَتْحَفُ الدَّوْحَةِ عَلَى التُّرَاثِ الْإِسْلَامِيِّ مِنْ مُخْتَلَفِ الْعُصُورِ.

The Doha Museum focuses on Islamic heritage from various eras.

### to recite (the Quran)

• تلاوة

تَلَا (الْقُرْآنَ)

بَيْنَمَا كَانَ الْقَارِئُ يَتْلُو الْقُرْآنَ فِي الْمَسْجِدِ الْقَدِيمِ، إِنْتَابَتِ الْحُضُورَ أَجْوَاءٌ مِنَ الرُّوحَانِيَّةِ وَالتَّأَمُّلِ.

As the reciter was reciting the Quran in the ancient mosque, a sense of spirituality and contemplation enveloped the congregation.

### Thuluth calligraphy

• خطوط

خَطُّ الثُّلُثِ

تَسْتَضِيْفُ الرِّيَاضُ مَعْرَظًا فَنِيًّا يُرَكِّزُ عَلَى خَطِّ الثُّلُثِ، أَحَدِ أَرْقَى أَنْوَاعِ الْخَطِّ الْعَرَبِيِّ.

Riyadh is hosting an art exhibition focusing on Thuluth calligraphy, one of the finest types of Arabic script.

### Naskh calligraphy

خَطُّ النَّسْخِ

يَتَمَيَّزُ خَطُّ النَّسْخِ بِقَابِلِيَّتِهِ لِلْقِرَاءَةِ وَيُسْتَعْمَدُ فِي كِتَابَةِ الْقُرْآنِ.

Naskh calligraphy is characterized by its readability and is used in writing the Quran.

expectations for the future, ensuring the light of knowledge continues to illuminate the path for believers worldwide.

### 8.3.4 Religious Extremism and Sectarianism

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terrorism

إِرْهَابٌ

تَفْجِيرٌ إِرْهَابِيٌّ يَسْتَهْدِفُ كَنِيْسَةً فِي الإسْكَندَرِيَّةِ وَيَخْلِفُ العَدِيدَ مِنَ القَتْلَى.

A terrorist bombing targets a church in Alexandria and leaves many dead.

religious terrorism

إِرْهَابٌ دِينِيٌّ

أَلْقَتِ الشُّرْطَةُ القَبْضَ عَلَى شَخْصٍ يُشْتَبَهُ فِي ارْتِكَابِهِ إِرْهَابًا دِينِيًّا فِي الرِّيَاضِ.

Police have arrested an individual suspected of committing religious terrorism in Riyadh.

sectarian terrorism

إِرْهَابٌ طَائِفِيٌّ

تَمَّ القَبْضُ عَلَى مَجْمُوعَةٍ مُتَوَرِّطَةٍ فِي إِرْهَابٍ طَائِفِيٍّ فِي بَغْدَادَ.

A group involved in sectarian terrorism was arrested in Baghdad.

terrorist

إِرْهَابِيٌّ

إِعْتَقَلَتِ السُّلْطَاتُ رَجُلًا يُعْتَقَدُ أَنَّهُ إِرْهَابِيٌّ فِي مَطَارِ بَيْرُوتَ.

Authorities arrested a man believed to be a terrorist at Beirut Airport.

to belong to

• اِنْتِمَاءٌ

اِنْتَمَى إِلَى

يَنْتَمِي الجَانِي المْتَهَمُ بِالْهُجُومِ إِلَى جَمَاعَةٍ مُتَطَرِّفَةٍ.

The perpetrator accused of the attack belongs to an extremist group.

religious deviance

اِنْحِرَافٌ دِينِيٌّ

أَدَانَتِ السُّلْطَاتُ اِلْنِحْرَافَ الدِّينِيِّ وَاتَّخَذَتْ اِجْرَاءَاتٍ ضِدَّ مُعْتَنِقِيهِ.

The authorities condemned religious deviance and took measures against its adherents.



تَبَنَّى

• تَبَنَّى

to adopt, embrace

أَعْلَنَ تَنْظِيمُ الدَّوْلَةِ الْإِسْلَامِيَّةِ مَسْئُولِيَّتَهُ عَنِ الْهُجُومِ الَّذِي وَقَعَ فِي عَمَّانَ.

ISIS claimed responsibility for the attack that occurred in Amman.

تَحْرِیضٌ

incitement

وُجِّهَتْ لِلنَّاشِطِ لِلنَّاشِطِ تَهْمَةٌ التَّحْرِیضِ ضِدَّ الْأَقْلِيَّاتِ الدِّیْنِيَّةِ.

The activist was charged with incitement against religious minorities.

تَحْرِیضٌ دِیْنِيٌّ

religious incitement

أَدِينَ مُدَوِّنٌ فِي الْكُوَيْتِ بِتَهْمَةِ التَّحْرِیضِ الدِّیْنِيِّ.

A blogger was convicted of religious incitement in Kuwait.

تَزَعَّمَ

• تَزَعَّمَ

to lead

تَزَعَّمَ حُسَيْنُ الْمَجْمُوعَةَ الَّتِي تُعْتَبَرُ مُتَطَرِّفَةً مِنْ قِبَلِ الْحُكُومَةِ.

Hussein led the group considered extremist by the government.

تَشَدَّدَ

• تَشَدَّدَ

to become radicalized

تَشَدَّدَ الشَّابُّ بَعْدَ سَفَرِهِ لِلْخَارِجِ وَأَنْصَمَ لِتَنْظِيمٍ مُتَطَرِّفٍ.

The young man became radicalized after traveling abroad and joining an extremist organization.

تَشَدُّدٌ

radicalization

شَهِدَتِ الْمِنْطَقَةُ اَزْدِيَادًا فِي حَالَاتِ التَّشَدُّدِ بَيْنَ الشَّبَابِ.

The region has seen an increase in cases of radicalization among the youth.

تَطَرَّفَ

• تَطَرَّفَ

to become extremist

تَطَرَّفَ الْجِهَادِيُّ بَعْدَ تَعَرُّضِهِ لِأَفْكَارٍ مُتَطَرِّفَةٍ عَلَى الْإِنْتَرْنِتِ.

The jihadist became extremist after being exposed to extremist ideas on the Internet.

أطلقت الحكومة حملة وطنية واسعة النطاق لمحاربة التطرف الديني والفكر المتطرف. وتهدف الحملة إلى توعية المواطنين بأهميّة التمسك بقيم التسامح والاعتدال، وتحصين المجتمع ضد أي أفكار تدعو إلى العنف أو التفرة الطائفية. وتتضمن الحملة برامج تعليمية وورش عمل تناقش مخاطر الإهاب الديني والطائفي.

The government launched a widespread national campaign to combat religious extremism and radical ideology. The campaign aims to educate citizens about the importance of adhering to the values of tolerance and moderation and to immunize society against any ideas that advocate violence or sectarian division. The campaign includes educational programs and workshops that discuss the dangers of religious and sectarian terrorism.

تحولت مظاهرات سلمية إلى أعمال شغب عندما استغل متطرفون الحدت لبث دعاية دينية تحريضية. الاشتباكات التي تلت ذلك بين السنة والشيعة قوّضت جهود الوحدة الوطنية، وأظهرت الحاجة الماسة لمعالجة التطرف الديني في المجتمع.

Peaceful demonstrations turned into riots when extremists exploited the event to spread provocative religious propaganda. The subsequent clashes between Sunnis and Shiites undermined national unity efforts and highlighted the urgent need to address religious radicalism and extremism in society.

## 8.4 Customs and Practices in Islam

### 8.4.1 Introduction to Islamic Practices

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to believe

• إيمان

آمن

الملايين يؤمنون بالقيم والتعاليم الإسلامية في جميع أنحاء العالم.

Millions believe in Islamic values and teachings worldwide.

afterlife

(الحياة الآخرة)

يركز الإسلام على أهمية الحياة الآخرة بالمقارنة مع الحياة الدنيا.

Islam emphasizes the importance of the afterlife compared to worldly life.

the life of this world (as opposed to the afterlife)

(الحياة الدنيا)

تحكم القيم الإسلامية حياة المسلمين في الحياة الدنيا والآخرة.

Islamic values govern the lives of Muslims in this world and the hereafter.

الدُّنْيَا literally means 'lowest,' referring to the earthly life in contrast to the higher spiritual life expected in heaven.

to repent

• تَوْبَةٌ

تَابَ

التَّوْبَةُ هِيَ عَمَلِيَّةٌ هَامَةٌ فِي الْإِسْلَامِ، حَيْثُ يَتُوبُ الْمُؤْمِنُونَ عَنِ الْأَخْطَاءِ وَيَسْعَوْنَ لِلْغُفْرَانِ.

Repentance is a crucial process in Islam, where believers repent for their mistakes and seek forgiveness.

repentance

تَوْبَةٌ

يُؤْمِنُ الْمُسْلِمُونَ أَنَّ التَّوْبَةَ الصَّادِقَةَ تُسَاعِدُ الْإِنْسَانَ عَلَى تَصْحِيحِ مَسَارِ حَيَاتِهِ.

Muslims believe that sincere repentance helps a person correct the course of their life.

asserting oneness (that there's only one God)

تَوْحِيدٌ

يُعْتَبَرُ التَّوْحِيدُ مِنْ أَهَمِّ مَبَادِي الْإِسْلَامِ.

Asserting oneness is one of the most important principles of Islam.

reward

ثَوَابٌ

يُؤْمِنُ الْمُسْلِمُونَ بِأَنَّ الثَّوَابَ يَنْتَظِرُهُمْ فِي الْجَنَّةِ.

Muslims believe that reward awaits them in heaven.

heaven

• جَنَّاتٌ / جَنَّاتٌ

جَنَّةٌ

يُؤْمِنُ الْمُسْلِمُونَ أَنَّ الْجَنَّةَ هِيَ الْجَزَاءُ الْأَعْلَى الَّذِي يَنْتَظِرُ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ فِي الْحَيَاةِ الْآخِرَةِ.

Muslims believe that heaven is the ultimate reward awaiting the believers in the hereafter.

good deed, credit for good deeds

حَسَنَةٌ

الْحَسَنَةُ هِيَ عَمَلٌ صَالِحٌ يُحْتَسَبُ لِلْمُؤْمِنِينَ كَرَصِيدٍ لِأَعْمَالِهِمُ الصَّالِحَةِ فِي الْآخِرَةِ.

A good deed is a righteous act credited to the believers for their good deeds in the hereafter.

سَيِّئَةٌ

bad deed, credit for bad deeds

مُمَثِّلُ السَّيِّئَةِ عَمَلًا سَيِّئًا يُسَجَّلُ لِلْأَشْخَاصِ كَرَصِيدٍ لِأَعْمَالِهِمُ السَّيِّئَةِ فِي الْآخِرَةِ.

A bad deed represents a wrongful act recorded for individuals as credit for their bad deeds in the hereafter.

صَبْرٌ

perseverance

يُعْتَبَرُ الصَّبْرُ مِنْ أَعْظَمِ الْفَضَائِلِ فِي الْإِسْلَامِ.

Perseverance is considered one of the greatest virtues in Islam.

عَبَدَ

to worship

• عِبَادَةٌ

الْمُسْلِمُونَ يَعْبُدُونَ اللَّهَ بِإِحْلَاصٍ وَتَفَانٍ فِي أَعْمَالِ الْعِبَادَةِ الْيَوْمِيَّةِ.

Muslims worship God with sincerity and dedication in their daily acts of worship.

عَبْدٌ

servant, slave

• عِبَادٌ

فِي الْإِسْلَامِ، يُعْتَبَرُ الْمُؤْمِنُونَ عِبَادًا لِلَّهِ، وَهُمْ يُقَدِّمُونَ لَهُ الْعِبَادَةَ وَالْإِمْتِنَانَ لِوَصَايَاهُ.

In Islam, believers are considered servants of God, and they offer worship and obedience to His commandments.

فِرْدَوْسٌ

paradise

يَصِفُ الْقُرْآنُ الْفِرْدَوْسَ كَأَعْلَى مُسْتَوِيَاتِ الْجَنَّةِ.

The Quran describes Paradise as the highest levels of heaven.

كَافِرٌ

infidel, disbeliever

• كَافِرُونَ / كُفَّارٌ

لَا يُعْتَبَرُ الْإِسْلَامُ كُلَّ غَيْرِ الْمُسْلِمِينَ كُفَّارًا.

Islam does not consider all non-Muslims as infidels.

مُؤْمِنٌ

believer

الْمُؤْمِنُ هُوَ مَنْ يُؤْمِنُ بِاللَّهِ وَرُسُلِهِ وَالْكِتَابِ السَّمَاوِيِّ.

A believer is someone who believes in God, His messengers, and the divine scriptures.

hell

نارُ

يُحَدِّثُ الْإِسْلَامَ مِنْ نَارِ جَهَنَّمَ لِلْكَفَّارِ وَالظَّالِمِينَ.

Islam warns of the Hellfire for disbelievers and wrongdoers.

### 8.4.1.1 Mini-Articles

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أُطْلِقَتْ مَوْسَسَةٌ دِينِيَّةٌ مُبَادِرَةٌ تَهْدِفُ إِلَى تَعْزِيزِ الْإِيمَانِ بَيْنَ الشَّبَابِ، مُوَكَّدَةً عَلَى أَهْمِيَّةِ الْحَيَاةِ الْآخِرَةِ وَمُقَارَنَتِهَا بِزَوَالِ الْحَيَاةِ الدُّنْيَا. وَتَشْمَلُ الْمُبَادِرَةُ وَرَشَ عَمَلٍ تَعْلِيمِيَّةً تَسْتَعْرِضُ مَفَاهِيمَ التَّوْبَةِ وَالصَّبْرِ وَتَشْجِعُ الْعَمَلَ الصَّالِحَ.

A religious foundation has launched an initiative aimed at promoting faith among young people, emphasizing the importance of the afterlife and comparing it to the transience of this worldly life. The initiative includes educational workshops that discuss concepts of repentance, patience, and encouraging the doing of good deeds.

بَادَرَتْ جَمْعِيَّةٌ إِسْلَامِيَّةٌ بِحَمَلَةٍ تَوْعُويَّةٍ لِتَذْكِيرِ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ بِأَهْمِيَّةِ التَّوْحِيدِ وَالْإِنْتِعَادِ عَنِ الشُّرْكِ. تَسْتَهْدَفُ الْحَمَلَةُ تَقْوِيَةَ الصَّلَاةِ بَيْنَ الْعَبْدِ وَخَالِقِهِ، وَتُنظِّمُ سِلْسَلَةً مِنَ الْمَحَاضِرَاتِ حَوْلَ الثَّوَابِ الْمُرْتَبِطِ بِالْعِبَادَةِ الصَّادِقَةِ وَالْإِعْتِقَادِ الرَّاسِخِ.

An Islamic association initiated an awareness campaign to remind believers of the importance of monotheism and avoiding polytheism. The campaign aims to strengthen the connection between the servant and their Creator and organizes a series of lectures on the rewards associated with sincere worship and steadfast belief.

يُسَدِّدُ الدِّينَ الْإِسْلَامِيَّ عَلَى صَرُورَةِ تَجَنُّبِ السَّيِّئَاتِ وَالْمُسَارَعَةِ نَحْوَ الْحَسَنَاتِ، لِتَحْقِيقِ التَّقْوَى وَالتَّطَهْرِ الرَّوْحِيِّ. كَمَا يَحْتَفِظُ عَلَى الْبَحْثِ عَنِ فُرْصِ اللَّتَّكْفِيرِ عَنِ السَّيِّئَاتِ وَزِيَادَةِ الْأَعْمَالِ الصَّالِحَةِ لِلإِرْتِقَاءِ بِالرُّوحَانِيَّةِ وَالْقُرْبِ مِنَ اللَّهِ.

The Islamic faith emphasizes the importance of avoiding sins and hastening toward good deeds, aiming to achieve piety and spiritual purification. It also encourages seeking opportunities for atonement for sins and increasing righteous actions to enhance spirituality and draw closer to God.

اسْتَضَافَتِ الْعَاصِمَةُ مُؤْتَمَرًا دَوْلِيًّا حَوْلَ دَوْرِ الْعِبَادَةِ فِي تَحْقِيقِ السَّكِينَةِ وَالسَّلَامِ النَّفْسِيِّ. وَقَدْ شَارَكَ فِي الْمُوْتَمَرِ عَدَدٌ مِنَ الْمُتَعَبِّدِينَ مِنْ مُخْتَلِفِ أَنْحَاءِ الْعَالَمِ، مُسْتَعْرِضِينَ تَجَارِبَهُمْ فِي كَيْفِيَّةِ أَنْ الْإِيمَانَ وَالتَّقَرُّبَ إِلَى اللَّهِ يُمَكِّنُ أَنْ يُؤَدِّيَ إِلَى حَيَاةٍ مَلُؤَهَا الرِّضَا وَالْإِطْمِنَانُ.

The capital hosted an international conference on the role of worship in achieving tranquility and mental peace. Several worshippers from different parts of the world participated in the conference, sharing their experiences on how faith and drawing closer to God can lead to a life filled with contentment and serenity.

## 8.4.2 The Five Pillars of Islam

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### verse, ayah

آيَةٌ

جَرَى تَدَاوُلُ آيَةٍ قُرْآنِيَّةٍ عَلَى نِطَاقٍ وَاسِعٍ عَبَّرَ وَسَائِلِ التَّوَاصُلِ الإِجْتِمَاعِيِّ بَعْدَ الزَّلْزَالِ الَّذِي ضَرَبَ بَيْرُوتَ مُؤَخَّرًا.

A Quranic verse was widely circulated on social media after the recent earthquake that hit Beirut.

### call to prayer

أَذَانٌ

يُرْفَعُ الأَذَانُ يَوْمِيًّا لِدَعْوَةِ المُسْلِمِينَ لِأداءِ الصَّلَاةِ الخَمْسِ فِي الوَقْتِ المُحَدَّدِ.

The call to prayer is raised daily to invite Muslims to perform the five daily prayers at their designated times.

### second call to prayer

إِقَامَةٌ

أَعْلَنَ المُؤَدِّنُ إِقَامَةَ الصَّلَاةِ، دَاعِيًا المُؤْمِنِينَ لِأداءِ عِبَادَتِهِمْ.

The muezzin announced the commencement of the prayer, calling the faithful to their worship.

In a religious context, إِقَامَةٌ has two meanings: 1) the second call to prayer, signaling the start of the prayer service, and 2) the act of performing the prayer itself. Thus, the second pillar of Islam, إِقَامَةُ الصَّلَاةِ.

### praise be to God

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ

أَعْرَبَ الرَّئِيسُ عَن شُكْرِهِ لِلجُهُودِ المَبْدُولَةِ فِي مُكَافَحَةِ الجَائِحَةِ وَقَالَ: الحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ.

The President expressed his gratitude for efforts made in combating the pandemic and said: "Praise be to God."

### profession of faith

الشَّهَادَةُ

يُعْتَبَرُ نُطْقُ الشَّهَادَةِ أَوَّلَ أَرْكَانِ الإِسْلَامِ.

Reciting the Shahada is considered one of the fundamental pillars of Islam.

# Unit 9

## Weather and Natural Disasters

In this unit, we focus on language surrounding meteorological phenomena and the devastating impact of natural calamities. The unit is divided into two sections, each shedding light on different aspects of nature's influence on our lives.

The first section centers on Weather, offering a nuanced exploration of weather reporting, forecasting, and the ever-relevant issue of climate change. Here, you'll encounter examples of current or recent weather news alongside forecasts, providing insight into how temperatures and weather conditions are expressed in Arabic. Additionally, we delve into the pressing topic of climate change, a subject frequently making headlines in today's news landscape.

Moving on to the second section, Natural Disasters, we begin with a general vocabulary list encompassing terms applicable to various natural calamities. This serves as a foundation for the subsequent subsections, each dedicated to exploring a specific type of natural disaster. From earthquakes and tsunamis to cyclones, floods, wildfires, volcanic eruptions, droughts, and landslides, each subsection provides insights into the language and terminology associated with these catastrophic events.

By immersing yourself in this unit, you'll not only expand your Arabic language proficiency but also deepen your understanding of the forces of nature that shape our world. Whether grappling with the unpredictability of weather or the aftermath of natural disasters, the vocabulary and language presented here will equip you to navigate and comprehend these phenomena as they are discussed in the media.

## 9.1 Weather

### 9.1.1 Weather Reporting and Forecasting

Track 82

to snow

• إْتْلَاجٌ

أَنْتَلَجُ

أَنْتَلَجَ الْجَوُّ فِي جِبَالِ لُبْنَانَ اللَّيْلَةَ الْمَاضِيَةَ، مُزَيِّنًا الْقِمَمَ بِالتَّلُوجِ الْبَيْضَاءِ.

It snowed in the mountains of Lebanon last night, adorning the peaks with white snow.

forecast

pl.

أَرْصَادٌ

تَتَوَقَّعُ الْأَرْصَادُ أَنْ يَكُونَ الطَّقْسُ بَارِدًا خِلَالَ الْأُسْبُوعِ الْمُقْبِلِ.

The weather forecast predicts cold weather for the coming week.

to issue a warning

• إِصْدَارٌ

أُصْدِرُ تَحْذِيرًا

أُصْدَرَتِ السُّلْطَاتُ فِي شِيكَاغُو تَحْذِيرًا بِسَبَبِ الْعَاصِفَةِ الشَّتَوِيَّةِ الْمُتَوَقَّعَةِ.

The authorities in Chicago issued a warning due to the expected winter storm.

wind direction

إِتِّجَاهُ رِيَّاحٍ

يُؤَدِّرُ تَغْيِيرُ اتِّجَاهِ الرِّيَّاحِ عَلَى دَرَجَاتِ الْحَرَارَةِ الْمُنْخَفِضَةِ فِي سْتُوكْهُولْمِ.

The change in wind direction is affecting the low temperatures in the Stockholm.

power outage

إِنْقِطَاعُ تَيَّارِ كَهْرَبَائِيٍّ

تَسَبَّبَتِ الْعَاصِفَةُ فِي انْقِطَاعِ التَّيَّارِ الْكَهْرَبَائِيِّ فِي عِدَّةِ أَحْيَاءٍ.

The storm caused power outages in several neighborhoods.

cold

بَارِدٌ

يَتَوَقَّعُ أَنْ يَكُونَ الطَّقْسُ بَارِدًا جِدًّا فِي فَارِيَا خِلَالَ عَطْلَةِ نَهَائِيَةِ الْأُسْبُوعِ.

The weather in Faraya is expected to be very cold during the weekend.



## 9.1.2 Climate Change

Track 86

to impact

• تَأْتِيرُ

أَثَرُ

أَثَرَتِ التَّغْيِيرَاتُ الْمُنَاخِيَّةُ بِشَكْلٍ مَلْحُوظٍ عَلَى تَوْزِيعِ الْأَمْطَارِ الْعَالَمِيِّ.

Climate changes significantly affected the global rainfall distribution.

climate crisis

أَزْمَةٌ مُنَاخِيَّةٌ

تُوجَهُ الْبِلَادُ أَزْمَةً مُنَاخِيَّةً تُهَدِّدُ بَقَاءَ الْأَنْظِمَةِ الْبَيْئَةِ الْهَشَّةِ.

The country is facing a climate crisis that threatens the survival of fragile ecosystems.

food security

أَمْنٌ غِذَائِيٌّ

يُعْتَبَرُ الْأَمْنُ الْغِذَائِيُّ تَحَدِّيًّا مُتَزَايِدًا بِسَبَبِ التَّقَلُّبَاتِ الشَّدِيدَةِ فِي الْأَحْوَالِ الْجَوِّيَّةِ.

Food security is an increasingly challenging issue due to severe weather fluctuations.

climate security

أَمْنٌ مُنَاخِيٌّ

يَسْعَى الْعُلَمَاءُ لِتَطْوِيرِ اسْتِرَاطِيَجِيَّاتٍ فَعَّالَةٍ لِضَمَانِ أَمْنِ مُنَاخِيٍّ مُسْتَدَامٍ.

Scientists are striving to develop effective strategies to ensure sustainable climate security.

global warming

إِحْتِبَاسٌ حَرَارِيٌّ عَالَمِيٌّ

سَاهَمَ الْإِحْتِبَاسُ الْحَرَارِيُّ الْعَالَمِيُّ فِي تَفَاقُمِ الْجَفَافِ وَالْفَيْضَانَاتِ فِي أَنْحَاءٍ مُخْتَلِفَةٍ مِنَ الْعَالَمِ.

Global warming has contributed to worsening droughts and floods in various parts of the world.

global temperature rise

إِرْتِفَاعُ دَرَجَةِ الْحَرَارَةِ الْعَالَمِيَّةِ

تُشِيرُ الدَّرَاسَاتُ إِلَى إِرْتِفَاعِ دَرَجَةِ الْحَرَارَةِ الْعَالَمِيَّةِ بِمُعَدَّلٍ غَيْرِ مَسْبُوقٍ خِلَالَ الْعُقُودِ الْأَخِيرَةِ.

Studies indicate an unprecedented rise in global temperatures over recent decades.

sea level rise

إِرْتِفَاعُ مُسْتَوَى سَطْحِ الْبَحْرِ

يَتَسَبَّبُ إِرْتِفَاعُ مُسْتَوَى سَطْحِ الْبَحْرِ فِي تَهْدِيدِ الْجُزُرِ الصَّغِيرَةِ وَالْمَنَاطِقِ السَّاحِلِيَّةِ.

to affected farmers. Citizens are urged to follow safety guidelines and be cautious of the health impacts of the extreme heat.

### 9.2.1.2 Interview: Preparing for Natural Disasters

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مُقَدِّمُ الْبَرْنَامِجِ:

مَرَحَبًا بِكُمْ فِي بَرْنَامَجِنَا الْيَوْمَ حَيْثُ نُنَاقِشُ مَوْضوعًا حَيَوِيًّا يَتَعَلَّقُ بِكَيْفِيَّةِ  
الِاسْتِعْدَادِ لِلْكَوَارِثِ الطَّبِيعِيَّةِ. مَعَنَا الْيَوْمَ فِي الْإِسْتُودِيُو الدُّكْتُورَةُ أَمِيرَةُ الزَّهْرَانِي،  
خَبِيرَةٌ إِدَارَةَ الطَّوَارِيِ وَالْكَوَارِثِ الطَّبِيعِيَّةِ. دُكْتُورَةُ أَمِيرَةُ، مَا هِيَ الْخُطُواتِ  
الْأَسَاسِيَّةُ الَّتِي يَنْبَغِي عَلَى الْأَفْرَادِ اتِّخَاذُهَا لِلاِسْتِعْدَادِ لِلْكَوَارِثِ الطَّبِيعِيَّةِ؟

الدُّكْتُورَةُ أَمِيرَةُ الزَّهْرَانِي:

شُكْرًا لِدَعْوَتِي. الْإِسْتِعْدَادُ لِلْكَوَارِثِ الطَّبِيعِيَّةِ يَبْدَأُ بِالتَّخْطِيطِ وَالتَّعْلِيمِ. أَوَّلًا، مِنْ  
المُهْمِّ جِدًّا أَنْ يَكُونَ لَدَى كُلِّ أُسْرَةٍ خُطَّةٌ طَوَارِيٌّ شَخْصِيَّةٌ تَتَضَمَّنُ مَعْلُومَاتِ  
الِاتِّصَالِ، وَأَمَاكِنَ الْإِجْلَاءِ، وَمَسَارَاتِ الْهُرُوبِ.

مُقَدِّمُ الْبَرْنَامِجِ:

هَلْ هُنَاكَ أَدَوَاتٌ أَوْ مُعَدَّاتٌ مُحَدَّدَةٌ يَجِبُ أَنْ تَكُونَ لَدَى الْأَشْخَاصِ لِمُسَاعَدَتِهِمْ  
عَلَى النِّجَاةِ خِلَالَ كَارِثَةٍ؟

الدُّكْتُورَةُ أَمِيرَةُ الزَّهْرَانِي:

نَعَمْ، مِنْ المُهْمِّ تَجْهِيْزُ حَقِيْبَةِ طَوَارِيٍّ تَحْتَوِي عَلَى مَوَادِّ غِذَائِيَّةٍ غَيْرِ قَابِلَةِ التَّلَفِ،  
وَمَاءٍ لِلشُّرْبِ، وَمِصْبَاحٍ يَدَوِيٍّ، وَبَطَارِيَّاتٍ اِحْتِيَابِيَّةٍ، وَمَجْمُوعَةٍ إِسْعَافٍ أَوَّلِيٍّ،  
وَأَدْوِيَّةٍ صَّرُورِيَّةٍ. كَمَا يَجِبُ أَنْ تَشْمَلَ الْوَتَائِقِ الْهَامَّةُ مِثْلَ بَطَاقَاتِ الْهُويَّةِ  
وَالسَّجَلَاتِ الطَّبِيبِيَّةِ.

مُقَدِّمُ الْبَرْنَامِجِ:

وَمَاذَا عَنِ الْاسْتِجَابَةِ خِلَالَ الْكَارِثَةِ نَفْسِهَا؟

الدُّكْتُورَةُ أَمِيرَةُ الزَّهْرَانِي:

خِلَالَ الْكَارِثَةِ، مِنْ الصَّرُورِيِّ الْبَقَاءُ هَادِيًّا وَاتِّبَاعُ خُطَّةِ الطَّوَارِيِ. اسْتِخْدَامِ الْإِشَارَاتِ  
الْمُبَكِّرَةِ وَتَعْلِيمَاتِ الْإِجْلَاءِ الصَّادِرَةِ عَنِ السُّلْطَاتِ لِتَحْدِيدِ مَتَى وَكَيْفَ تَتَحَرَّكُ. إِذَا  
كُنْتَ فِي مَنْزِلِكَ، ائْتِقْ فِي مَكَانٍ آمِنٍ بَعِيدًا عَنِ النُّوَافِذِ وَالْأَبْوَابِ الرَّجَاجِيَّةِ.

مُقَدِّمُ الْبَرْنَامِجِ:

هَلْ هُنَاكَ آيَّةٌ نَصَائِحَ خَاصَّةٍ لِلْأَشْخَاصِ الَّذِينَ يَعِيشُونَ فِي مَنَاطِقَ عَالِيَةِ الْخُطُورَةِ؟

الدُّكْتُورَةُ أَمِيرَةُ الزَّهْرَانِي:

الْأَشْخَاصُ الَّذِينَ يَعِيشُونَ فِي مَنَاطِقَ عَالِيَةِ الْخُطُورَةِ يَجِبُ أَنْ يَكُونُوا أَكْثَرَ وَعِيًّا  
وَاسْتِعْدَادًا. يَنْبَغِي عَلَيْهِمْ مُرَاقَبَةُ أَهْمَاطِ الطُّفْسِ وَالتَّحْدِيثَاتِ مِنَ الْأَرْصَادِ الْجَوِّيَّةِ  
بِانْتِظَامٍ، وَالْمُشَارَكَةُ فِي تَدْرِيْبَاتِ الْإِجْلَاءِ الْمُجْتَمَعِيَّةِ. كَمَا يَجِبُ تَأْمِينُ الْمَنَازِلِ

## 9.2.2 Earthquakes

Track 93

debris

pl.

أَنْقَاضُ

بَعْدَ الزَّلْزَالِ، اِمْتَلَأَتِ الشُّوَارِعُ بِأَنْقَاضِ الْمَبَانِي الْمُنْهَارَةِ، وَبَدَأَتْ فِرْقُ الْإِنْقَاضِ فِي الْبَحْثِ عَنِ النَّاجِينَ.

After the earthquake, the streets were filled with debris from collapsed buildings, and rescue teams began searching for survivors.

to slip

• اِنْزَلَقَ

اِنْزَلَقَ

اِنْزَلَقَتِ التُّرْبَةُ بِشَكْلٍ مُفَاجِئٍ فِي مَنطَقَةِ الزَّلْزَالِ، مِمَّا أَدَّى إِلَى انْهِيَارَاتٍ أَرْضِيَّةٍ.

The soil slipped suddenly in the earthquake area, leading to landslides.

to collapse

• اِنْهِيَارٌ

اِنْهِيَارٌ

اِنْهَارَتِ الْعَدِيدُ مِنَ الْمَبَانِي الْقَدِيمَةِ بِسَبَبِ الزَّلْزَالِ، مِمَّا تَسَبَّبَ فِي خَسَائِرٍ كَبِيرَةٍ.

Many old buildings collapsed due to the earthquake, causing significant losses.

to shake

• اِهْتَزَأَ

اِهْتَزَأَ

اِهْتَزَأَتِ الْعَاصِمَةُ بِأَكْمَلِهَا بِفِعْلِ الزَّلْزَالِ الْقَوِيِّ الَّذِي بَلَغَتْ قُوَّتُهُ 7.8 دَرَجَةً عَلَى مِقْيَاسِ رِيخْتَرٍ.

The entire capital shook due to the strong earthquake, which measured 7.8 on the Richter scale.

building at risk of collapse

بِنَاءٌ مُهَدَّدٌ بِاِنْهِيَارٍ

تَمَّ إِخْلَافُ بِنَاءٍ مُهَدَّدٍ بِاِنْهِيَارٍ بَعْدَ الْهَزَّةِ الْأَرْضِيَّةِ كَأَجْرَاءِ احْتِرَازِيٍّ.

A building threatened with collapse was evacuated after the tremor as a precautionary measure.

aftershock

• تَوَابِعُ

تَابِعٌ

شَعَرَ السُّكَّانُ بِتَوَابِعِ الزَّلْزَالِ الَّتِي اسْتَمَرَّتْ لِعِدَّةِ أَيَّامٍ بَعْدَ الْهَزَّةِ الْأُولَى.

Residents felt the aftershocks of the earthquake, which continued for several days after the initial tremor.

underground

تَحْتَ الْأَرْضِ

تَسَبَّبَتْ تَوْرُهُ بُرْكَانِيَّةٌ فِي كُوسْتَارِيكََا فِي اِنْدِفَاعِ حُمَمٍ وَاِنْبِعَاثِ دُخَانٍ وَرَمَادٍ بُرْكَانِيٍّ، مِمَّا اَثَّرَ بِشَكْلٍ كَبِيرٍ عَلَى الزَّرَاعَةِ فِي الْمَنَاطِقِ الْمُحِيطَةِ. عَطَى الرَّمَادُ الْبُرْكَانِيُّ الْأَرْضِي الزَّرَاعِيَّةَ، مِمَّا أَدَّى إِلَى تَدْمِيرِ الْمَحَاصِيلِ وَالتَّأْثِيرِ سَلْبًا عَلَى الْأَمْنِ الْغِذَائِيِّ فِي الْمُنْطَقَةِ. بَدَأَتِ الْحُكُومَةُ وَالْمُنْظَمَاتُ الدَّوْلِيَّةُ فِي تَقْدِيمِ الْإِغَاثَةِ وَدَعَمِ جُهُودِ اسْتِعَادَةِ الْإِنْتِاجِ الزَّرَاعِيِّ.

A volcanic eruption in Costa Rica led to lava flows and the emission of smoke and volcanic ash, significantly affecting agriculture in the surrounding areas. The volcanic ash covered agricultural lands, leading to crop destruction and a negative impact on food security in the region. The government and international organizations began providing relief and supporting efforts to restore agricultural production.

## 9.2.8 Droughts

Track 107

### probability of a drought

### إِحْتِمَالُ جَفَافٍ

يَزْدَادُ اِحْتِمَالُ حُدُوثِ الْجَفَافِ بِسَبَبِ التَّغْيِيرَاتِ الْمُنَاخِيَّةِ وَنَقْصِ الْأَمْطَارِ.

The likelihood of drought is increasing due to climate changes and lack of rainfall.

### water reserves

### إِحْتِيَاطِيٌّ مِيَاهٍ

تَمَّ اسْتِنْفَادُ اِحْتِيَاطِيَّاتِ الْمِيَاهِ بِسُرْعَةٍ نَتِيجَةَ اِلِسْتِخْدَامِ الْمُفْرِطِ وَالْجَفَافِ.

Water reserves were rapidly depleted due to overuse and drought.

### water source depletion

### اسْتِنْزَافُ مَصَادِرِ مِيَاهٍ

يُهَدِّدُ اسْتِنْزَافُ مَصَادِرِ الْمِيَاهِ الْأَمْنَ الْغِذَائِيَّ وَالْاِسْتِدَامَةَ الْبِيئِيَّةَ.

The depletion of water resources threatens food security and environmental sustainability.

### water level drop

### اِنْخِفَاضُ مَنَسُوبِ مِيَاهٍ

أَدَّى اِنْخِفَاضُ مَنَسُوبِ الْمِيَاهِ فِي الْأَنْهَارِ وَالْبَحِيرَاتِ إِلَى مَشَاكِلَ فِي الرِّيِّ وَإِمْدَادَاتِ الْمِيَاهِ.

The decrease in water levels in rivers and lakes led to problems in irrigation and water supply.

### drought impact

### تَأْثِيرُ جَفَافٍ

كَانَ لِتَأْثِيرِ الْجَفَافِ تَدَاعِيَاتٌ وَاِسْعَةٌ، مِمَّا فِي ذَلِكَ نَقْصٌ فِي الْمَوَارِدِ الطَّبِيعِيَّةِ.