

ALI139 – Arabic Grammar Level 1
Homework – Week 2

1. Complete the following Arabic phrases and nominal sentences using the adjectives given in brackets (to match the English translation). The adjectives may need to be modified for definiteness, gender and/or number.

The fast car	(سريع)	_____	السيارة
The far mosque	(بعيد)	_____	المسجد
The ascetic worshippers	(زاهد)	_____	العابدون
The heavy table	(ثقيل)	_____	الطاولة
The streets are wide	(واسع)	_____	الشوارع
The American girls	(أمريكي)	_____	البنات
The car is fast	(سريع)	_____	السيارة
The old university	(قديم)	_____	الجامعة
The mosque is far	(بعيد)	_____	المسجد
The old universities	(قديم)	_____	الجامعات

Given the following vocabulary:

Nouns		Adjectives	
Man	رجل	Big	كبير
Woman	امرأة	Beautiful	جميل
Boy / Child	ولد	Sick	مريض
House	بيت	Tired	تعبان

2. Identify the Subject (المبتدأ) and the Predicate (الخبر) in the following nominal sentences and then translate them to English:

١ - الطاولة القديمة الثقيلة الجميلة كبيرة

٢ - الولد المريض تعبان

٣ - البناية الطويلة بعيدة

3. Using the vocabulary covered so far, (in Homework for Week 1 and Week 2) translate the following sentences to Arabic (you can assume either the persons are masculine or feminine):

1. The Egyptian travellers are busy
2. The busy travellers are Egyptian
3. The American man is famous
4. The tired woman is sick