

Unit 1

Parts of Speech (أَنْوَاعُ الْكَلِمَةِ)

Isem (Noun)
F'el (Verb)
Harf (Particle)

Parts of Speech/Sentence (أَنْوَاعُ الْكَلِمَةِ) and its three types (categories) in Arabic language

Isem (Noun) - Plural (Asmaa)

Words which are name of a person, place, thing or idea

إِسْمٌ

F'el (Verb) - Plural (Af'aal)

Words depicting an action of any sort

فِعْلٌ

Harf (Particle) - Plural (Huroof)

Words which are not Nouns or Verbs belong to this category

حَرْفٌ

First, we will learn about a particular and widely used kind of Particle (Harf). These are called Haroof Jar (حُرُوفِ جَر) and translated as **Prepositions**.

They are divided in two groups for better understanding.

Single lettered Prepositions, which always join with a word in the beginning . Examples...	Multiple lettered Prepositions which may not join like the single lettered ones and act like stand alone words in a sentence. Examples....
With بِ	(From) مِنْ
For لِ or لَ	عَلَى , عَنْ (On , Upon)
So فَ	(In) فِي
Like كَ	(Until) حَتَّى
وَ and تَ [A special case for oath]	(Towards) إِلَى

Note: Noun words following a preposition get a kasrah on the last letter. Only exception is **فَ**.

Please remember, All prepositions are part of category “particles”. All particles are NOT prepositions

Rest of the Particles are a combination of Prepositions, Conjunctions and Articles. Some Examples of other particles are listed below. **These are NOT prepositions**

Particles are meaningless on their own. They need nouns or verbs to become meaningful

(No) لَا , لَمْ	(Verily) إِنَّ , أَنَّ	(That) أَنَّ
(Never) لَنْ	(If) إِنْ , لَوْ	(Then) ثُمَّ
(Or) أَوْ	(That, What, No) مَا	إِلَّا
(When) إِذَا , إِذْ	(Beware) أَلَا	Very Soon سَ [A special case]

Exercise - Attached prepositions

Circle the Preposition and noun whose harakah on last letter has been changed to Kasrah

قُلْ أَعُوذُ بِرَبِّ النَّاسِ ①

مِنْ شَرِّ مَا خَلَقَ ②

فَوَيْلٌ لِلْمُصَلِّينَ ④

فِي جِيدِهَا حَبْلٌ مِّن مَّسَدٍ ⑤

فَسَبِّحْ بِحَمْدِ رَبِّكَ وَأَسْتَغْفِرْهُ إِنَّهُ كَانَ تَوَّابًا ③

فَصَلِّ لِرَبِّكَ وَأَنْحَرْ ②

الَّذِينَ هُمْ عَنْ صَلَاتِهِمْ سَاهُونَ ⑤

الَّذِينَ أَطْعَمَهُمْ مِّنْ جُوعٍ وَءَامَنَهُمْ مِّنْ خَوْفٍ ④

فَجَعَلَهُمْ كَعَصْفٍ مَّأْكُولٍ ⑤

مِنَ الْجَنَّةِ وَالنَّاسِ ⑥

وَيَلِّ لِكُلِّ هُمَزَةٍ لُّمَزَةً ①

تَرْمِيهِمْ بِجِجَارَةٍ مِّن سِجِّيلٍ ④

إِلَّا الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا الصَّالِحَاتِ وَتَوَاصَوْا بِالْحَقِّ وَتَوَاصَوْا

بِالصَّبْرِ ③