

## **LANGUAGE LEARNING ENRICHMENT PROGRAMME-AHLAN ARABIC**

### **1. Introduction**

Language is used to inform others, to ask them to do certain things and to express feelings, moods, ideas, information, experiences, etc. Language undoubtedly has a very important social purpose. It is mainly used for linguistic communication. Arabic is considered as one of the best languages in Semitic family. In 1973, UN included Arabic in their official languages. In India, Kerala is one of the state giving more importance to Arabic language. Many Research studies in Arabic language were conducted in Primary to Higher Secondary level. A small percentage of Primary School students are not able to read, write, and communicate in Arabic properly. Arabic language learning in Schools of Kerala need to be improved. AHLAN ARABIC is very much important in this context.

### **2. Objectives of the study**

- i.** To develop reading skill in students by understanding the content
- ii.** To develop the ability to use language component based on the situation.
- iii.** To develop the skill of script writing in Arabic among students.
- iv.** To develop communication skill in Arabic based on situation.
- v.** To create an opportunity to understand language by providing different learning environment.

### **3. Methodology**

#### **3.1 Method**

Experimental method was applied for this.

### **3.2 Sample**

The pre- test sample consisted of 594 students and 10 teachers and post test consisted of 108 students from 6 districts of Kerala.

### **3.3 Tools used for the study**

- Pre test-Post test tool
- Module

### **Findings of the study**

- i. The study revealed that the students and teachers were very much interested in AHLAN ARABIC.
- ii. The students who exposed to AHLAN ARABIC showed positive attitude towards reading and writing.
- iii. The study helped to increase the learning ability and self confidence among students.
- iv. The present study found that some students exhibit their creativity in writing.
- v. The students actively engaged in ICT based learning.
- vi. The study helped the students to identify and rectify the mistakes in reading and writing.
- vii. The study found that AHLAN ARABIC helped to increase students' communication skill and acquire Arabic pronunciation skill.

### **5. Suggestions**

- i. Implement AHLAN ARABIC for all students, who were backward in learning. Also the module should be included in teachers' training programme.
- ii. AHLAN ARABIC should be upscaled to High School and Higher Secondary level.
- iii. It is better to provide AHLAN ARABIC in online mode.

