

A Four-Week Recovery Program in Schools 2021-2022

GRADE 5

مقدمة عامة:

إنّ العودة إلى المدارس هذه السّنة وبعد غياب سنتين، بسبب جائحة كورونا من جهة، والأزمات التي تعصف بلبنان من جهة أخرى، تطرح تحدّيات كثيرة أمام نظام التّعليم بأكمله من الجهاز الإداري والتّعليمي إلى الأهل وصولاً إلى المتعلّمين أنفسهم، الذين كانوا أكثر المتضرّرين من البقاء ولفترة طويلة في البيوت، بعيداً عن جوّ التّفاعّل والتّواصل الاجتماعيّ الذي توفّره بيئة المدرسة، وفي ظلّ غياب فرص تعلّم عادلة فرضتها العوائق اللّوجستية والاقتصادية وغيرها.

من هنا، كان لا بدّ من إيلاء مسألة العودة إلى المدرسة هذه السّنة اهتماماً شديداً من قبل المعنّيين، وبخاصّة عودة المتعلّمين الصّغار من أطفال الحلقة الأولى الذين يدخل عدداً وفيراً منهم المدرسة لأوّل مرّة، ما يستدعي وضع خطة مدروسة، تراعي الجوانب النفسيّة والاجتماعيّة والأكاديميّة لهم، فتعمل على معالجة الثّغرات في المكتسبات والمهارات بدءاً من الأهداف الأساسيّة وكفايات مرحلة الرّوضات، إلى مساعدتهم على الانخراط سريعاً في جوّ المدرسة ونظامها، ودعمهم نفسيّاً واجتماعيّاً عبر أنشطة التّعبير الانفعاليّ الاجتماعيّ وغيرها من الأنشطة والألعاب لتسريع عمليّة التّأقلم والتّواصل.

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The **Four-Week Recovery Program in English language** offers a selection of educational material that supports and motivates the students to get back to learning after being coercively disconnected from learning and/ or learning remotely due to the COVID-19 lockdown.

This content was developed bearing in mind the estimated conditions of the transitional phase of getting back to school for the first four weeks. It also considered the alterations and reductions of the educational material that took place during remote learning to establish strong foundations that would ensure the continuity and flexibility of learning during this scholastic year 2021-2022.

The plan envisioned for the four weeks:

- **An adaptation period during the first two days of week one** that will allow the students to become familiar with the classroom environment in its physical and social aspects through social and emotional learning activities validated by CRDP. The first week will also include reintroducing the students to classroom rules and educational resources to ensure their engagement in a safe and stimulating classroom environment.
- During the first week, a **teacher-led diagnostic assessment** will be conducted using the assessment tools for cycles one and two (Grades 1 to 6) provided by QITABI2 and validated by CRDP. This diagnostic assessment aims to offer rapid results enabling teachers to identify learning gaps and the levels of basic reading skills, fluency, and reading comprehension. Based on the results, teachers will be able to plan for differentiated learning instructions and remedial support.
- In the next three weeks (2 to 4), in-class support will be provided to all students based on identified needs. The literacy material and resources will target all language curriculum domains: Oral Communication, Listening



Comprehension, Phonics and Phonemic Awareness, Reading Fluency, Reading Comprehension, Vocabulary, Grammar, and Written Communication. The learning objectives of in-class support are built on Grade 1 to Grade 6 prerequisites enclosed in the Lebanese National Curriculum.

As for the resources, *CRDP Inclusive Education: Screening Tools* will be used as supplementary material by teachers as needed. QITABI2 Grade 1 to 6 diagnostic tools, emergent reader e-kit, and activities from selected e-lessons will be used as resources over the period of four weeks. It's worth noting that all materials address different learning styles and students' developmental needs aiming at maximizing their engagement and learning. This material allows for implementation in different grouping settings: individually, with partners, in small groups, or as a whole class.

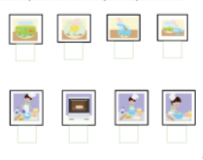

The teachers will have the freedom to choose from the suggested activities within the program based on their assessment of the needs of the students in each of their classes and the other variables that might change from one class to another.

To conclude, the aim of this learning recovery program is to support teachers to provide students with a solid school year start especially after learning discontinuity for most primary grade students, mainly those who had poor access to online learning.


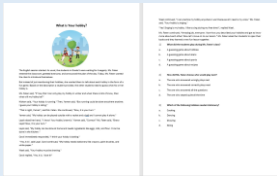
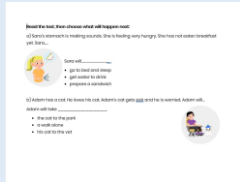


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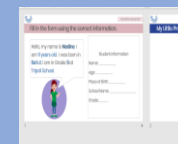
PREREQUISITES, OBJECTIVES, AND TOOLS

Prerequisites	Objectives	Tools	Resources		
			Name	Sample	Source
Oral Communication and Listening Comprehension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organize ideas in sequence. Express and justify a preference +Express feelings on a topic. 	e-lessons	L.02-Listen and Order Events	G4.U1.L1 	QITABI 2 e-lessons (validated by CRDP).
			L.03-Talk About Feelings	G4.U1. L1. IO2 (Refer to General Notes - a) 	QITABI 2 e-lessons (validated by CRDP).



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Reading Comprehension	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ask and respond to 'Wh-', 'Yes/No' and 'T/F' questions in complete sentences. Retell story events in sequence using chronological connectors. Predict contents of a reading selection based on a title and/or illustrations. 	e-lessons Supportive materials	R.10-Answer Direct Questions-5	G4.U1.L1. IO3 	QITABI 2 e-lessons (validated by CRDP).
			R.11-Leveled Reading Texts with Questions-5		QITABI 2 supportive materials (validated by CRDP).
			R.12-Read and Predict What Will Happen Next		QITABI 2 e-lesson (validated by CRDP)



Prerequisites	Objectives	Tools	Resources		
			Name	Sample	Source
			F.12-Build Fluency with Punctuation	G5.U1.L1 IO4 	QITABI 2 e-lessons (validated by CRDP).
Grammar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify and use nouns for people, places, and things. 		G.02-Identify and Use Nouns	G4.U1.L1 IO5 	QITABI 2 e-lessons (validated by CRDP).
Written Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arrange scrambled words and/or sentences in the correct order. 		W.04-Reorder Sentences to Make a Paragraph	G4.U1.L1. IO6 	QITABI 2 e-lessons (validated by CRDP).
			W.05-Fill School Forms		QITABI 2 Supportive Materials.



Readers' Categories

To analyze students' results in reading fluency and reading comprehension, teachers will be supported with performance indicators from the four reading categories for Fluency and Comprehension ¹: Beginner, Intermediate, Proficient and Advanced. The four categories performance indicators are aligned with the national curriculum G1- 6 students reading outcomes. Teacher will then be able to group students and plan evidenced based in -class support using resources that are aligned with specific students' needs.

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سَلَمُ التَّقْيِيم من 6 مستويات (أ- ب- ج- د- هـ- و-) الطلاقة والفهم في المدرسة بناء على الجدول أدناه
أ = 10/10 ، ب = 10/8-9 (كفاية ثبت اكتسابها)
ج = 10/6-7 د = 10/4-5 (كفاية ثبت اكتسابها في حالة محددة، مع وجود بعض الصعوبات في تطبيقها على حالات أخرى)
هـ = 10/2-3 كفاية ما زال اكتسابها جزئيا
و = 10/0-1 كفاية غير مكتسبة

¹ ACTFEL Proficiency Guidelines 2012

<https://www.actfl.org/sites/default/files/guidelines/ACTFLProficiencyGuidelines2012.pdf>

Cambridge Assessment English <https://www.cambridgeenglish.org/exams-and-tests/cefr/>



READING CATEGORIES: FLUENCY

Beginner	Intermediate	Proficient	Advanced
recognizes none or a few letters in their various positions	easily recognizes some letters in their various positions	easily recognizes most letters in their different positions	easily recognizes all letters in their various positions
shows ability to read none or a very few familiar words	shows the ability to read correctly and quickly some familiar words	shows the ability to read fluently and correctly most familiar words	demonstrates the ability to read fluently and correctly all familiar words required at grade level
doesn't show any phonic skills in reading words (segmenting, blending)	shows poor attempt to segment words	shows good attempt to segment words	- shows very good attempt to segment words -
rarely self-corrects errors	sometimes self- corrects errors	often self- corrects errors	self- correct errors most of the time



READING CATEGORIES: READING COMPREHENSION

Beginner	Intermediate	Proficient	Advanced
0/5 or 1/5 correct answers: This means that the student is still struggling with reading comprehension. Hence, it is recommended that he/she reads from previous grade levels.	2/5 correct answers: This means that the student is struggling with this reading level. Hence, it is recommended that he/she reads from previous level.	3/5 or 4/5 correct answers: This means that the student is reading at grade level. Hence, encourage more reading from the same level.	5/5 correct answers: This means that the student is excelling. Hence, it is recommended to encourage this student to read texts that are one or two levels above grade level.



Mapping of four Weeks

Be aware that there are several activities of different levels under each session. You can utilize the resources according to the needs of your class over the course of three weeks.

Grade 5-Week 1	Sessions 1 & 2	Sessions 3	Session 4	Session 5
Creating a Comfortable Atmosphere	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p> <p><u>Classroom Rules and Routines:</u> Teachers engages students in agreeing on essential classroom rules for a safe and effective classroom environment.</p>	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p> <p><u>Classroom Rules and Routines:</u> Teachers engages students in agreeing on essential classroom rules for a safe and effective classroom environment.</p>	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p> <p><u>Classroom Rules and Routines:</u> Teachers engages students in agreeing on essential classroom rules for a safe and effective classroom environment.</p>	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p> <p><u>Classroom Rules and Routines:</u> Teachers engages students in agreeing on essential classroom rules for a safe and effective classroom environment.</p>
Diagnostic Assessment	<p><u>QITABI2 Tools:</u> Sight words (Grade 4)</p>	<p><u>QITABI2 Tools:</u> Sight words (Grade 5)</p>	<p><u>QITABI2 Tools:</u> Reading Comprehension Text- A</p>	<p><u>QITABI2 Tools:</u> Reading Comprehension Text- B</p>



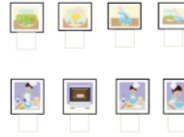
Be aware that there are several activities of different levels under each session. The suggested activities below are meant to help teachers work with their students on different domains, where each session targets a specific domain. Thus, teachers can utilize the resources according to the needs of their students in order to plan for weeks 2_4.

Grade 5-Week 2 to 4	Sessions 1 & 2	Sessions 3	Session 4	Session 5
Classroom Routine	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p>	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p>	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p>	<p><u>Class Meeting:</u> Greetings SEL activities Objective/s of the day</p> <p><u>Read aloud:</u> Teacher reads aloud to engage students in listening, discussing, reflecting, and expressing their feelings and thoughts.</p>
Teaching and Resources	<p><u>QITABI 2 Supportive Material (validated by CRDP)</u></p> <p>1. L.02-Listen and Order Events</p>	<p><u>QITABI 2 Supportive Material (validated by CRDP)</u></p>	<p><u>QITABI 2 Supportive Material (validated by CRDP)</u></p> <p>1. G.02-Identify and Use Nouns - G4.U1.L1 IO5</p>	<p><u>QITABI 2 Supportive Material (validated by CRDP)</u></p> <p>1. W.04-Reorder Sentences to Make a Paragraph - G4.U1.L1. IO6</p>



G4.U1.L1

Number the picture to order them to complete the sequence of an event.



2. R.10-Answer Direct Questions-5

G4.U1.L1. IO3



3. R.11-Leveled Reading Texts with Questions-5



1. F.07-Familiar Word List-5

apple	farm	boat
girl	milk	nest
hand	door	dog
corn	pig	home

2. F.10-Read It and Write It-5

Read it about

Write it

3. F.12-Build Fluency with Punctuation

- G5.U1.L1 IO4




4. V.01-Vocabulary in Context-1

G4.U1.L1 IO4



2. W.05-Fill School Forms



	<p>4. R.12-Read and Predict What Will Happen Next</p> <p>5. L.03-Talk About Feelings</p> <p>Read the text, then discuss what will happen next.</p> <p>1) Sam's stomach is making sounds like a bell. He's hungry. He has not eaten breakfast yet today.</p> <p>Sam will.....</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• get to school and hang• go home to eat• prepare a sandwich <p>2) Adam has a cold. He knows he can't share his cold with his friends. Adam will.....</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• stay at home• go to the park• visit his grandma• stay at home <p>G4.U1. L1. IO2</p> 	<p>Read each sentence, then choose the correct meaning of the underlined word.</p> <p>a) Then, it was <u>disliked</u> and loved all over the world.</p> <p>hotod liked disliked</p> <p>b) Some cats live in houses. Others spend their lives in <u>hous</u> or other buildings on a farm.</p> <p>tail buildings blue buildings farm buildings</p>		
Wrap-Up Time	Reflection on the day's learning	Reflection on the day's learning	Reflection on the day's learning	Reflection on the day's learning



General Notes:

- a. The coding E.G.U.L stands for English, Grade, Unit, Lesson. These codes are used to reference the e-lessons created by QITABI2 and validated by CRDP.

In session six (if applicable), the teacher can revisit and reinforce the content through **supportive activities**.

The CRDP Screening Tools are a **supportive resource** for teachers. (For cycle 2, refer to **Pack 2 Screening Tools by UNICEF**)



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