

STARTALK 2011 program invites applicants  
Application Information: <http://tinyurl.com/startalk2011>

## TEACHER TRAINING FOR ARABIC AND TURKISH

Online: May 16 - June 3  
Onsite: June 10 - July 1  
Follow Up: July 1 – August 20

Application deadline: April 28, 2011

- WHY:** To train teachers of the critical languages **Arabic** and **Turkish** in community settings
- WHAT:**
- ◇ *Participate* in an intense residential, professional development institute with pre- and post-work at home
  - ◇ *Learn* how to teach **Arabic** or **Turkish** to Pre-K to grade 6 youngsters using appropriate teaching methods for young learners
  - ◇ *Design* lessons, materials, & developmentally appropriate assessment
  - ◇ *Gain* strong skills in community language advocacy & twice weekly afternoon practicum experiences at different community-based sites such as preschools & Girls Inc.
  - ◇ *Receive* credit for two courses - language teaching methods & practicum
- WHO:**
- ◇ Current and prospective teachers of **Arabic** or **Turkish** who wish to learn appropriate teaching methods for young learners in a community setting
  - ◇ University graduate or undergraduate students of **Arabic** or **Turkish** who wish to add a teaching credential to their portfolio
  - ◇ Enrollment is limited to 10 graduate & 5 undergraduate students
- WHEN:**
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| May 16 -June 3    | 3-week online preparation and class         |
| June 10 -July 1   | 3-week residential program                  |
| July 1 –August 20 | follow up portion- finalization of projects |
- One-year commitment to create a community-based program
- WHERE:** Residential program - School of Education, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN  
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- PROVIDED:** Tuition, housing, program materials, Certificate of Completion, & \$100 upon completion
- IU PARTNERS:** Department of Literacy, Culture & Language Education of the School of Education; Department of Near Eastern Languages & Cultures; Center for the Study of Global Change; Center for Social Studies and International Education & Center for the Study of the Middle East
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Details & application forms please e-mail [jonesc@indiana.edu](mailto:jonesc@indiana.edu) or call (812) 855-0447

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