

## YEAR-END OBJECTIVES 5TH GRADE (MTA – Mother Tongue Arabic)

### 1. Oral comprehension and expression

- Be able to answer a series of questions on an audio recording of 5-8 minutes after hearing it twice.
- Give a description of the main characters' appearance and personality.
- Fill in the blanks of a short paragraph taken from a recording.
- Give a coherent summary of the document using varied vocabulary, adverbs, conjunctions and subordinates, avoiding repetition.
- Reconstruct a story from a series of images.
- Retell what happened in a 10-minute film.
- Recite a dozen poems using good diction, emphasizing rhyme, rhythm and using a range of expression.

### 2. Written comprehension and expression:

#### *Overall comprehension*

- After an initial reading (silent) of one lesson in the program, be able to:
  - ✓ Talk about the general subject of the text.
  - ✓ Answer questions of a general nature.

#### *Detailed comprehension*

- Be able to answer questions that are more detailed (actions, characters, places, times, etc.) after a second reading of the text by the teacher.
- Identify the main ideas of a text from the paragraphs.
- Fill in the gaps of a short paragraph using words from the text.
- Reconstruct a paragraph, putting the phrases in order and respecting the text.

### 3. Dictation and linguistic aspects:

- Write a dictation of about a dozen lines (after preparation) focusing on an aspect of spelling already seen in class.
- Identify the different verb tenses and know how to use them.
- Pronouns and affix pronouns.
- Transform sentences from the singular to dual and singular to plural by making the appropriate changes needed for verbs, nouns and adjectives.