



أكاديمية "طفولة" العربية
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Arab Childhood Training Academy



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Arab Council for Childhood and Development



ARAB CHILDHOOD TRAINING ACADEMY (ACTA)

• INTRODUCTION

The establishment of the Arab Childhood Training Academy (ACTA), in the Arab Council for Childhood and Development (ACCED), in 2023 came under the guidance of His Royal Highness Prince Abdulaziz bin Talal bin Abdulaziz, President of the Council, and with the support of the Arab Gulf Program for Development "AGFUND", within the framework of achieving the Council's mission, and in support of its endeavour to spread and apply its new model for the Arab child development model "Hope Education", and in response to the growing need to sustain the development of the capabilities of socialization actors in the Arab countries, in a context governed by The challenge of rapidly growing knowledge society, technology and communication.

• **VISION:**

An accredited pioneer academy, and a house of expertise for best practices in training and capacity development for those concerned with childhood, at the Arab and international levels.

• **MISSION:**

The Academy works in partnership with designated institutions, universities, and development centers to continuously develop the knowledge and skills of those concerned with children in the Arab countries, and to promote the concepts and practices of sustainable development and self-improvement, in commitment to the total quality requirements.

GOALS:

Training needs assessment, drafting policies, and developing plans, programs, and capacity development activities for those working in the field of Arab childhood.

Developing the knowledge, skills, and beliefs of those concerned with raising the Arab child in the social actors' sector representing the family, schools, media, and civil society.

Preparing qualified cadres to work as trainers in child-raising institutions, and supporting the concepts of sustainable development, self-learning, and distance education.

- **Providing technical consultations in the field of training and capacity development to civil society institutions and associations concerned with Arab childhood issues.**

promoting the use of information and communication technology in the field of training and sustainable development for strengthening the capacities of socialization agents.

Strengthening partnerships between the Council and entities concerned with developing the capacity of educational institutions in Arab countries.

• **TARGET GROUPS:**

The Academy provides its services to all those concerned with the Arab child as well as to children themselves, including families, schools, government institutions - such as the Ministries of Education and Social Solidarity - non-governmental organizations (NGOs), media institutions, universities, especially colleges of education and colleges of early childhood education.

ACTIVITIES & ACHIEVEMENTS

- In September 2022, ACTA obtained international Certification, for a duration of three years, from the American Institute of Professional Studies (AIPS).
- The Academy has implemented various activities and programs to train and develop the capacities of those concerned with Arab childhood, both face-to-face, and remotely

Inclusion of children with disabilities in education and society

Play and developing children's thinking

• Digital Graphic Design for children.

• Artificial Intelligence in Teaching and Learning - for teachers.

• Raising the Arab Child in a State of Emergency - for Sudanese teachers.

Technology skills for children

Pedagogical Competencies For Teachers

first aid

• Financial Literacy - for parents.

• Artificial Intelligence in Education Management - for educational leaders.

• Training of Trainers - a regional program for stakeholders in childcare institutions in Arab countries.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- Official launch of the academy.

- Seminar entitled: "Our Children and Social Media".

- Establishing partnerships and cooperation protocols with universities, educational and academic institutions, civil society institutions, and government agencies.

- Launching the ACTA platform for distance training and capacity building.

- Conducting 5 studies to analyze training needs..

Preparing 50 childhood trainers (TOT)

Launching of the (ACTA) Salon

Holding an annual conference on a childhood issue



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