

INTRODUCTION TO ARABIC LANGUAGE OFFERED AT RMC

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BILLINGS – A Fulbright Scholar from Iraq will be offering Arabic I the spring semester at Rocky Mountain College.

Mohamed Mohamed, who is a language instructor at RMC and has lived in Billings since 2006, will offer the introductory course to the public Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7 p.m. in Morledge-Kimball Hall, room 125. (The first class begins Monday, January 11, 2010, the opening day for the semester).

“Some think learning Arabic is challenging, others think it is educational and informative, but learning a new language and culture can be beneficial,” Mohamed said. “It’s an exotic experience.”

The course will focus on learning to read and write the Arabic alphabet, while also including “courteous dialogue,” and cultural aspects of the language as it relates to Arabic life, Mohamed said. Alif-Baa is the textbook used for this course.

For people interested in auditing the course, the cost is \$105 for people under 60 years old, and \$62 for seniors age 60 and over.

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