

Implied Vowel Signs

255. Does a vowel sign appear at the end of all words?

256. In which words are vowel signs implied?

257. Which vowel signs are implied with words that end in an *alif*?

258. Which vowel signs are implied with words that end in a $y\text{◌}$ preceded by a *kasrah*?

259. Which vowel signs are implied with words that end in a $w\text{◌}w$ preceded by a *dummah*?

260. Which vowel signs are implied with words complimented by a first person $y\text{◌}$?

255. No, there are some words whose vowel signs are not pronounced, rather they are implied.

256. Implied vowel signs occur in the following words:

- Nouns and verbs ending in an *alif*.
- Nouns and verbs ending in a $y\text{◌}$ preceded by a *kasrah*
- Verbs ending in a $w\text{◌}w$ preceded by a *dummah*.
- Nouns connected to the first person $y\text{◌}$.

257. The *dummah*, *fathah*, and *kasrah* are implied in nouns and verbs ending in an *alif*. For example: الفتى (youth)

258. The *dummah* and *kasrah* are implied in nouns and verbs ending in a $y\text{◌}$ preceded by a *kasrah*, but the *fathah* is pronounced. For example: القاضي (judge)

259. The *dummah* is implied in verbs ending in a $w\text{◌}w$ preceded by a *dummah*, but the *fathah* is pronounced. For example: يلهو (he diverts)

260. The *dummah* and *fathah* are implied in nouns connected to the first person $y\text{◌}$, but the *kasrah* is

pronounced. For example: **أُمِّي** (my mother)

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