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Arabic Alphabet cheatsheet

Name	Pronunciation	Final	Medial	Initial	Isolated
alif	As in ant	ا	ـ	ا	ا
bā'	As in bad	ب	بـ	ب	ب
tā'	As in toy	ت	تـ	ت	ت
thā'	As in three	ث	ثـ	ث	ث
jīm	As in joy	ج	جـ	ج	ج
ḥa'	As in hot but stronger	ح	حـ	ح	ح
khā'	As in Loch Ness or Spanish J in Juan	خ	خـ	خ	خ
dāl	As in dad	د	ـ	ا	د
dhāl	As in the	ذ	ـ	ا	ذ
rā'	As in ride	ر	ـ	ا	ر
zāy	As in zebra	ز	ـ	ا	ز
sīn	As in see	س	سـ	س	س
shīn	As in shake	ش	شـ	ش	ش
ṣād	As in soya but with tongue touching upper teeth	ص	صـ	ص	ص

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ḍād	As in duck but with tongue touching upper teeth	ض	ض	ض	ض
ṭā'	As in toy but with tongue touching upper teeth	ط	ط	ط	ط
ẓā'	As in the but with tongue touching upper teeth	ظ	ظ	ظ	ظ
'ayn	The 'choking sound' from the back of the mouth	ء	ء	ء	ء
ghayn	The 'gargling sound' from the back of the mouth	غ	غ	غ	غ
fā'	As in fat	ف	ف	ف	ف
qāf	As in k but from the back of the mouth	ق	ق	ق	ق
kāf	As in kite	ك	ك	ك	ك
lām	As in lemon	ل	ل	ل	ل
mīm	Like the English m	م	م	م	م
nūn	Like the English n	ن	ن	ن	ن
hā'	As in hat	ه	ه	ه	ه
wāw	As in moon	و	و	و	و
yā'	As in see	ي	ي	ي	ي