



# CONNECT 2010 PROGRAM

**LEBANON**

## CONNECT 2010 Program -Week 1- (July 1 - July 28, 2010)

	Wednesday 30-Jun-10	Thursday 01-Jul-10	Friday 02-Jul-10	Saturday 03-Jul-10	Sunday 04-Jul-10	Monday 05-Jul-10	Tuesday 06-Jul-10	Wednesday 07-Jul-10	Thursday 08-Jul-10
8:00 - 8:30	A R R I V A L  A N D  S E T T L I N G  D O W N	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Baalbek Visit and light lunch (safiha)  Rafting on Assi River in Hermel, to end by 17:30  Return via the panoramic Akkar road  Butterfly museum in Qobeyat  Dinner in Tripoli. Falafel and Shawarma
8:30 - 9:00									
9:00 - 9:30									
9:30 - 10:00		Orientation and Campus Tour	Arabic Class	Arabic Class	Deir an- Nouriyeh  Jeita Grotto  LUNCH  Beirut: Museum, Raouche, Downtown  Mall  Dinner	Arabic Class	Qozhaya monastery.  Qadicha Valley: easy hiking trip including picnic lunch  Gebran museum in Bcharreh Cedars of Lebanon Dinner and Overnight in the Cedars (hotel to be chosen)		
10:00 - 10:30			History and Culture Seminar	Lebanese kitchen (Tabouleh & Fattouch)		Traditional Dance: Dabkeh		Lebanese kitchen (Hommos, Bathinjan & Warah Arich)	
10:30 - 11:00									
11:00 - 11:30									
11:30 - 12:00		LUNCH OUT	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH			
12:00 - 12:30									
12:30 - 13:00									
13:00 - 13:30		Beach Resort	Deir Natour Town of Batroun Mseilha Castle	Copper Craft in Qalmoun  City of Tripoli: Taynal mosque, Citadel, Souks, Dinner out	LUNCH	Community Visit to a local Non Governmental Organisation	Annaya		
13:30 - 14:00									
14:00 - 14:30									
14:30 - 15:00									
15:00 - 15:30									
15:30 - 16:00									
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17:30 - 18:00									
18:00 - 18:30	Welcome Reception and Dinner with UoB president and Vice presidents	On Campus Sports			Early dinner	Byblos: The ruins, the souks, dinner			
18:30 - 19:00									
19:00 - 19:30									
19:30 - 20:00									
20:00 - 20:30	Dinner and Free time				Movie Night "Dabkeh"				
20:30 - 21:00									
21:00 +									

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## CONNECT 2010 Program - Week 2 - (July 1 - July 28, 2010)

	Friday 09-Jul-10	Saturday 10-Jul-10	Sunday 11-Jul-10	Monday 12-Jul-10	Tuesday 13-Jul-10	Wednesday 14-Jul-10	Thursday 15-Jul-10
8:00 - 8:30	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
8:30 - 9:00							
9:00 - 9:30							
9:30 - 10:00	Arabic Class	Arabic Class	<b>Saida:</b> <i>Echmoun Temple, Khan, Soap Museum, Souks, St. Nicholas Chruch, Citadel</i>  <b>Sour:</b> <i>Land and Sea ruins, St. Thomas Cathedral. Late Lunch at fish restaurant.</i>  <b>Magdoucheh:</b> <i>Saydet el Mantara</i>	Histry and Culture Seminar	Arabic Class	<b>Tannourine:</b> <i>Short walks to the Cedar preserve and to the great sinkhole .</i>  <b>Afqa:</b> <i>Activities at La Reserve: archery and/or caving.</i>  LUNCH  <b>Harissa:</b> <i>Notre-Dame and down by the teleferique</i>	A day in a Lebanese village
10:00 - 10:30							
10:30 - 11:00							
11:00 - 11:30	<b>Amioun:</b> <i>Chapels</i> <b>Ain Ikrine:</b> <i>Roman Temple</i> <b>Douma:</b> <i>St John Monastery, Old Souks, houses,</i> LUNCH <b>Bchealeh:</b> <i>"biblical" olive trees</i> <b>Ilige:</b> <i>medieval patriarchal see</i> <b>Haqel:</b> <i>fish fossils museum</i> Dinner in <b>Batroun</b>	Lebanese Kitchen (Kebbeh)		LUNCH	Lebanese Kitchen (Chich Barak)		
11:30 - 12:00							
12:00 - 12:30							
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14:00 - 14:30							
14:30 - 15:00							
15:00 - 15:30							
15:30 - 16:00		Beach Resort	LUNCH	Lunch Out and Beach	LUNCH	Oriental Dance and Dabkeh	
16:00 - 16:30							
16:30 - 17:00							
17:00 - 17:30							
17:30 - 18:00							
18:00 - 18:30							
18:30 - 19:00	Dinner and Karaoke at UoB	LUNCH	Mid program evaluation	Lebanese food competition & a dinner prepared by the participants			
19:00 - 19:30							
19:30 - 20:00							
20:00 - 20:30							
20:30 - 21:00	Night Out	Night Out	Night Out	Night Out			
21:00 +							

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## CONNECT 2010 Program - Week 3 - (July 1 - July 28, 2010)

	Friday 16-Jul-10	Saturday 17-Jul-10	Sunday 18-Jul-10	Monday 19-Jul-10	Tuesday 20-Jul-10	Wednesday 21-Jul-10	Thursday 22-Jul-10
8:00 - 8:30	Climbing Qornet as-Saouda, 3087m, the highest peak of Lebanon Lunch at Ouyoun Orghoch	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Short walk in the Chouf Cedar Reserve. Crossing to the Beqaa. Kar3aoun, Wineries, Afternoon & Night at West Bekaa	<b>Beqaa:</b> Anjar, Ethnographic museum of Terbol, Ksara Winery, Zahleh  <b>Metn.</b> Mar Elias Chouaya, Mar Youhanna al-Khonchara (1st Arabic press)
8:30 - 9:00							
9:00 - 9:30							
9:30 - 10:00		Arabic Class	<b>Jezzine</b>	<b>Kesserwan Faraya Laklouk</b>	<b>The Chouf</b> Deir El-Qamar, Beiteddine, Qalaat Niha, Night at Maaser		
10:00 - 10:30							
10:30 - 11:00							
11:00 - 11:30		History and Culture Seminar					
11:30 - 12:00							
12:00 - 12:30							
12:30 - 13:00		LUNCH					
13:00 - 13:30							
13:30 - 14:00		Beach					
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19:30 - 20:00							
20:00 - 20:30	Dinner at UoB	Dinner out	Dinner at UoB	Dinner at UoB			
20:30 - 21:00							
21:00 +					Dinner at UoB		

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**CONNECT 2010 Program - Week 4 - (July 1 - July 28, 2010)**

	<b>Friday 23-Jul-10</b>	<b>Saturday 24-Jul-10</b>	<b>Sunday 25-Jul-10</b>	<b>Monday 26-Jul-10</b>	<b>Tuesday 27-Jul-10</b>	<b>Wednesday 28-Jul-10</b>		
8:00 - 8:30	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast		
8:30 - 9:00								
9:00 - 9:30								
9:30 - 10:00	Arabic Class	Arabic Class	Arabic Class	Arabic Class	Program Evaluation	Packing & Departure		
10:00 - 10:30								
10:30 - 11:00	Lebanese Kitchen (Mojadara)	Akkar Hiking in Qammoua forests	A day at the Beach: Water Sports and More	Meeting with a Non Governmental Organization	Shopping			
11:00 - 11:30								
11:30 - 12:00	LUNCH			Mina Tripoli Boat trip			Lunch and Shopping in Aley	
12:00 - 12:30								
12:30 - 13:00	Ras Anfeh Phoenician harbour Maad medieval frescoes Beirut Moawad museum, Downtown again, Night activity			Dinner at UoB			Dinner at UoB	
13:00 - 13:30								
13:30 - 14:00				Ras Anfeh Phoenician harbour Maad medieval frescoes Beirut Moawad museum, Downtown again, Night activity			Dinner at UoB	Dinner at UoB
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17:30 - 18:00	Dinner at UoB	Dinner at UoB						
18:00 - 18:30								
18:30 - 19:00	Dinner at UoB	Dinner at UoB						
19:00 - 19:30								
19:30 - 20:00	Dinner at UoB	Dinner at UoB						
20:00 - 20:30								
20:30 - 21:00	Dinner at UoB	Dinner at UoB						
21:00 +								

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