

THE IZHĀR RULE

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The Nūn Sākinah and Tanwīn rules are those rules that exist because there is a Nūn Sākinah (ن) or a Tanwīn (ُ ُ ُ ُ ُ) in a word.

In this section, the rule we are looking at is called "Izhār". The word Izhār means, 'to make something clear.'

But what is the Izhār rule?

Whenever we have a Nūn Sākinah or a Tanwīn, followed by any of these letters:

خ غ ح ع ه ء

These are called 'the Throat Letters' because they come from the throat.

We read Arabic letters from RIGHT to LEFT, so we start with the ء

We make the Nūn Sākinah / Tanwīn sound CLEAR.

Look at the examples belows:

(Remember, we said the word Izhār means, 'to make something clear'.)

Nūn Sākinah (ن)	Tanwīn (ُ ُ ُ ُ ُ)
(After a Nun Sākinah, you have a throat letter.)	(After a Tanwīn, you have a throat letter.)
أَنْ خَلَقَ	شَيْءٌ عَلَيْهِ
مِنْ هُرُواتٍ	قَوْمًا غَيْرًا
وَانْحَرَ	نُوحًا هَدَيْنَا

Did you know...

For the Izhār rule, the Nūn Sākin will appear **with** the sukūn on top, so it looks like this.

ن

And the Tanwīn will appear like this:

ُ ُ ُ ُ ُ



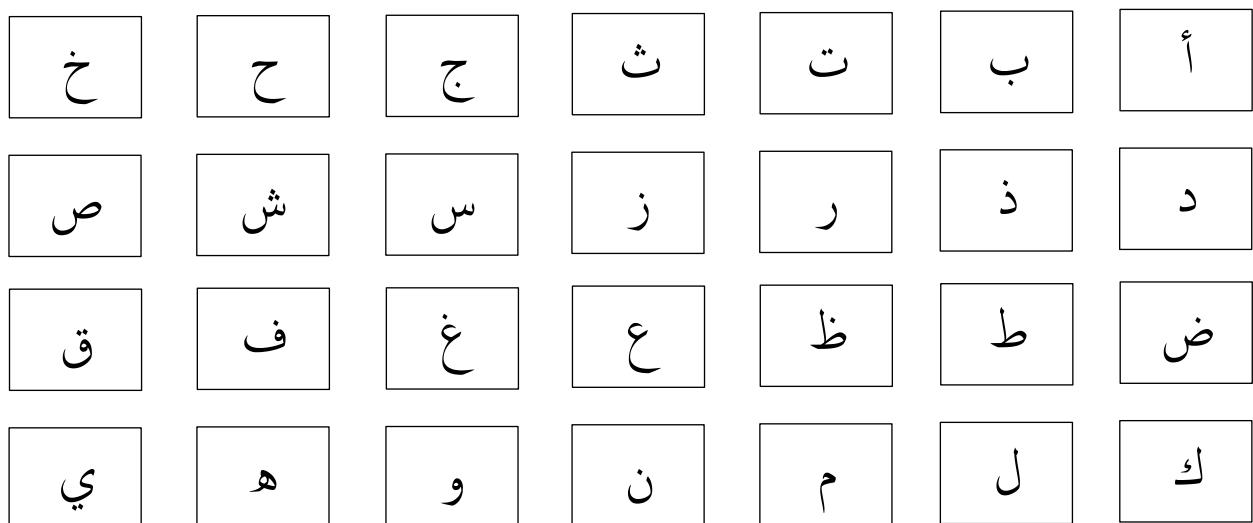
Q. What is the rule for Izhār? (You can use the previous page to help you.)

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Task 1: Look at the boxes below & colour the letters of Izhār in green.



Task 2: Fill in the gaps.

The Nūn Sākinah and rules exist because there is a or Tanwīn in a word. The rule we are looking at here is called the rule. The word 'Izhār' means 'to make something'.

Whenever we have a Nūn Sākinah or followed by any of these six letters after it: we make the Nūn / Tanwīn sound