

How to use the Tunisia Grade 7 Life Skills Toolkit





The *Tunisia Grade 7 Life Skills Toolkit* is a free resource developed by TransformELT for the British Council with educators from the Ministry of Education Tunisia. It is available to all secondary teachers in Tunisia to use in class as a way to supplement the current coursebook to help learners to develop their listening, speaking and life skills.

UNICEF, through the [MENA Life Skills and Citizenship Education \(LSCE\) Initiative](#), defined a set of twelve core life skills for MENA using the four-dimensional learning model:

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Learning to know
Learning to do
Learning to be
Learning to live together
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Below: Life skills framework for MENA region

(For more details see: www.unicef.org/mena/life-skills-and-citizenship-education.)



The Grade 7 Life Skills Toolkit provides you with:

1. an **Activity Bank** connected to your textbook units, designed to help learners develop their language ability while at the same time developing all of these life skills. You don't have to use all of them. You can pick and choose which ones are most useful to your learner needs.

Step-by-step instructions help novice teachers to use new activities. Experienced teachers can adapt activities according to learner needs and preferences.

2. a **Project** designed to be used across a number of weeks, in the 'third hour' classes each week to consolidate learning from each textbook module. These are based on attractive animated videos which you can download and use in class if you think they will appeal to your learners.
3. a **Technique Toolbox** itemising all the methods used in the Toolkit. This is a quick easy reference guide that you can refer to and apply to your daily teaching.

The Toolkit has been designed to **maximise your choices as a teacher**, and provide you with a variety of activities for different purposes, abilities, content and skills needs. Timings are suggested but can be adjusted as necessary.

You can adapt the activities, or use the ideas in them to create your own.

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