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لو سمحت 🙏 Level 1 - Lesson 3 : Please

Arabs love to be humble and love to be polite. That's why there are so many ways to say 'please' in Arabic. We will go over a few today.

To say 'if you allow it', you can say و المحت (law samahit) when speaking to a masculine subject. When speaking to a feminine subject, the pronunciation changes slightly to sound like (law samahti).

You can also say please with من فضلك (min fadlak) to a masculine subject or من فضلك (min fadlik) to a feminine subject. Notice the Arabic spelling is the same since the vowels/harakat are often omitted in most Arabic texts.

Sample sentences:

١. قهوة تركية واحدة، لو سمحت

Qahwa turkiye wahideh, law samahit One turkish coffee, please

٢. عندك حجم اكبر؟ من فضلك

'Indak hajim akbar min fadlak Do you have a bigger size please?

QUIZ:	
What is the pronunciation of من فضلك to a feminine subject?	

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۱. Min fadlik