

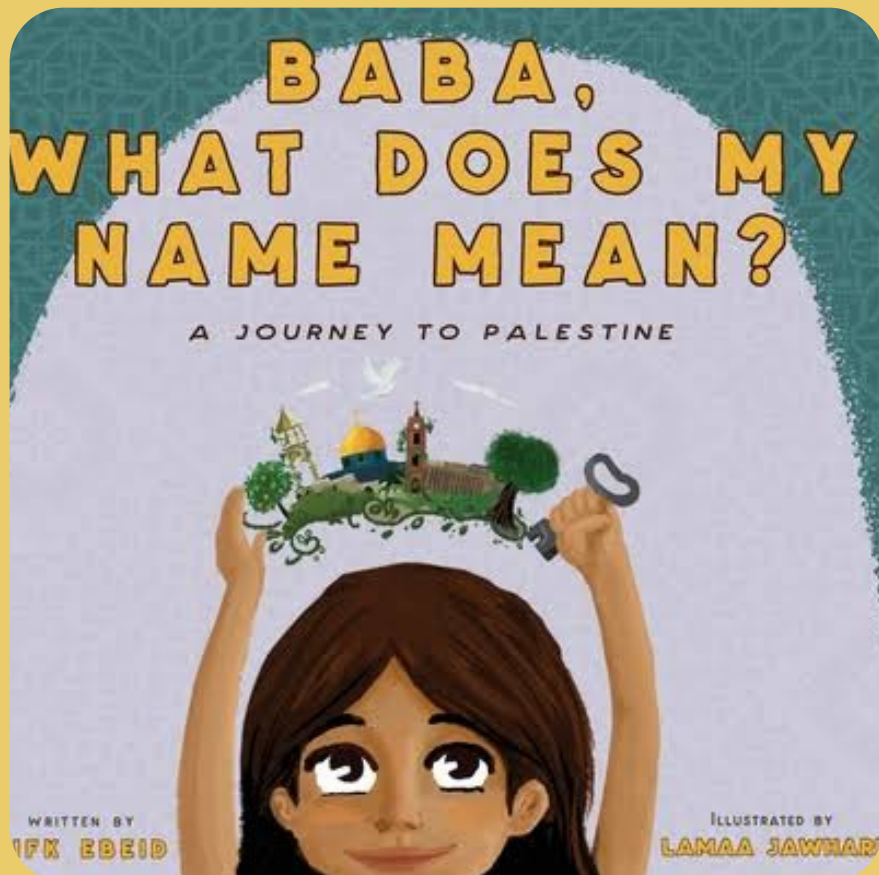
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STAGE 1

Book study on:

BABA, WHAT DOES MY NAME MEAN?

A journey through Palestine



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PARENTS' GUIDE

Learning objectives and more

Learning Objectives:

- To learn about Palestine through literature
- To have a good understanding of the book
- To test some language skills

How to use this book study

- Read the book "Baba, what does my name mean? A Journey through Palestine" with your child.
- Allow your child to read a few words, sentences or pages independently according to their ability. Shared reading gives children the confidence and encouragement to read.
- If you do not own the book, you can download the FREE ebook from Amazon (limited time only). Alternatively, you can listen to the Read loud on YouTube.
- Once you have read the book together you may wish to ask some verbal comprehension question to ensure your child has a good understanding of the book.
- Use the questioned provided in this booklet as guidelines and prompts to discuss with your child. Alternatively you could use this as a workbook to test your child's understanding and comprehension skills.
- Please work according your child's ability and understanding.

Extension:

- To learn about Palestine check out the rest of our mini units in this bundle
- Other Palestinian books: Sittis Olive Tree by Ndaa Hussan and P is for Palestine: A Palestine alphabet book by Dr. Bashi.

Baba, what does my name mean?

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- What do you think the author means by “ One who will fight for their rights without any fear”?

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- Write down two words that the author uses that rhyme with “behold”

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- Write down three adjectives the author uses to describe then city of Areeha

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- Where is Mount Carmel located?

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- The author has used many different language techniques throughout the book, one of which is alliteration. What does alliteration mean and find some examples from the book.

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- What is Gaza known for?

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- What would you find in the historic city of Al-Khalil?

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- What is Al-Khalil famous for?

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- Where is the protagonist from and what did she receive as a gift from her hometown?

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- If Sammidah had a superhero power, "she would fly around the world and open people's minds using my key." What does that mean?

Handwriting practice area with two dotted lines for writing.

- If you had a superhero power, what would it be and why? Draw a picture.

Large drawing area with three dotted lines for writing.

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- Saamidah wants to educate people about Palestine, let's see if you've learnt a few things about Palestine from this book. Write down 3 things you've learnt about Palestine from Saamidah.

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- Welcome to Al-Quds! Imagine you are in the Capital of Palestine, write and draw what you see, smell and hear.

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- From all the cities mentioned in the book, which is your favourite and why?

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- Imagine you're in Bait Lahem during the parade, what do you think the atmosphere is like? You may wish to draw it too.

Large drawing area with three dotted lines for writing.

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- What does your name mean?

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