

Mastering "Get"

By the end of this lesson, you will confidently use the verb "get" to talk about receiving, becoming, and arriving in your daily life.

The Hook: Tea by the Nile

Activate Your Knowledge

Look at the image of the sit al-shay (tea lady). How many times today have you used the word "get"?

- Did you **get** a cup of tea?
- Did the weather **get** hotter?
- What time did you **get** to the Nile?

Teacher Note: "The verb 'get' is like a chameleon—it changes its meaning completely based on the words next to it!"



I Do: Get + Noun (Receive/Buy)

Teacher Script: "When I say I got a tobe, I mean I bought or received it. Think of it like physically taking something into your hands."

- I **got a beautiful tobe** from Souq Omdurman.
- Did you **get an email** from the university in Khartoum?
- We **get fresh mangoes** from the market every morning.
- My brother **got a job** at the port in Port Sudan.
- Let's **get a raksha** (rickshaw) to the Nile Avenue.



I Do: Get + Adjective (Start to Be)

Concept: A Change in State

Teacher Script: "If I say it is getting hot, it means the temperature is starting to be high. It shows a change from one state to another!"



Examples in Action:

- It's **getting hot**, let's drink some cold karkadeh.
- The fishermen **got tired** after a long day on the sea.
- My cousins **got married** last week in Kassala.
- I **get hungry** whenever I smell fresh kisra.
- Don't **get angry** if the traffic bridge is slow.

I Do: Get to + Place (Arrive)

Concept: Reaching a Destination

***Teacher Script:** "When I ask what time you got to work, I am asking when you arrived. We use 'to' for places, but remember: we NEVER use 'to' with home, here, or there!"*



Examples in Action:

- What time did you **get to the airport** in Khartoum?
- She **gets to work** at the bank at 8:00 AM.
- It was difficult to **get to Tuti Island**.
- We **got here** just in time for sunset.
- Do you usually **get home** late after visits?

We Do: Guided Practice

Class Activity

Let's complete these together. Which nuance are we using?

1. We need to _____ a bus to Bahri.
(Noun / Adjective / Place)
2. My tea is _____ cold.
(Noun / Adjective / Place)
3. When will we _____ to the museum?
(Noun / Adjective / Place)






H5P Integration

Platform Suggestion: Drag & Drop

Create an H5P Drag and Drop activity on the LMS. Provide 9 sentences (3 for each nuance). Students must drag each sentence into the correct column: "Receive", "Become", or "Arrive".



You Do: Independent Practice

-  **The Task:** Write a short paragraph (3–4 sentences) about your last Eid celebration or a trip to your family village.
-  **The Challenge:** You must use all three forms of "get" correctly in your story.
-  **Success Criteria 1:** I used "get + noun" correctly (e.g., getting new clothes or gifts).
-  **Success Criteria 2:** I used "get + adjective" correctly (e.g., getting excited, getting tired).
-  **Success Criteria 3:** I used "get to + place" correctly, remembering the special rule for "home" and "there".

Story Time

My brother **got a job**. He went to Souq Omdurman and **got a tobe**.

Later, we **got a raksha** to Tuti Island. When we **got there**, it was **getting dark** and we were **getting hungry**.

We ate mangoes we **got from the market**. A perfect day.



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