

# Monthly Newsletter September 2025

Jafra for Relief and Youth Development

# Conclusion of the "Raje" summer program



In cooperation with the Jafra Foundation, the Palestinian Institutions Association-Network concluded its "Raje" summer program, with the participation of dozens of children and adolescents from refugee camps in Lebanon as part of the "Palestinian National School" activities. The program combines interactive education with national, cultural, and artistic activities aimed at strengthening Palestinian identity, instilling national awareness among the new generation, and developing their connection to their roots and culture.

At the end of the program, participants were honored and certificates were distributed to them in the presence of partner institutions.

# Preparations for the Agriculture and Cash-for-Work projects



The Jafra Foundation has announced the start of registration for the "Cash-for-Work" and "Rooftop Gardening" projects at its centers in the Ein al-Hilweh, Burj al-Shamali, Shatila, and Burj el-Barajneh camps in Lebanon.

These projects aim to provide additional income for participants, particularly youth, through work. The rooftop gardening project also provides eligible groups with a good supply of organic vegetables for home consumption or sale, in addition to the practical experience these projects provide.

These projects are implemented in partnership with Welthungerhilfe and supported by the German Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ).

### Jafra Educational Program in Syria and Lebanon



With the start of the new school year, Jafra centers in Syria are preparing to welcome students into their educational program. The program seeks to develop students' abilities by focusing on their strengths in core educational subjects, contributing to improving their academic performance within a supportive and stimulating environment.

The program also includes the provision of dedicated classrooms for students to support the educational process and provide a suitable study environment, as well as intensive courses for middle and high school students.

This program is part of the Jafra Foundation's efforts to support students academically and help them prepare for exams effectively.

#### Honoring volunteers for their efforts in the national school activities



In recognition of their significant efforts and dedication, volunteers who participated in facilitating the activities of the Palestinian National School "Raje" were honored. The event, organized by the Palestinian Institutions Network, took place in the Nahr al-Bared and Beddawi camps in Tripoli, northern Lebanon. The meeting was dedicated to thanking them for their efforts and outstanding performance, which contributed significantly to the school's success. The event concluded with the distribution of certificates of appreciation and taking a commemorative photo.

#### **Food Processing Course for Women**



A group of women have begun participating in the sixth food processing training in Ein el-Hilweh camp. The course is organized by the Jafra Foundation as part of a program aimed at raising awareness of the importance of food safety and introducing them to the latest practices in safe food handling, storage, preparation, and catering. The training aims to improve the daily quality of life for families in the camp and empower women to establish their own businesses.

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