

Uyghur in OS X

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INTRODUCTION

I realize that these issues of *Uyghur in OS X* have been building on each other, so where as one of the earlier issues told you how to set up your computer to type Uyghur, the succeeding issues addressed other/newer issues. From now on, each issue will have include at the bottom “How to Enable Your Mac to Type Uyghur”, and “Sites with All the Relevant Files for *Uyghur in OS X*”. Therefore, if any new users subscribe, they will be able to catch up to the rest of us.

If you know of other Mac users who are studying/using Uyghur, please ask them to subscribe to this. My contact information is at the bottom.

FOR NEWBIES: HOW TO ENABLE YOUR MAC TO TYPE UYGHUR

Go to the first site (yahoo group) listed below, and download and read the document titled, “How to Install and Type Uyghur in OS X”. You may need to sign up as a member of the group before you are allowed to download files.

[SITES](#) WITH ALL THE RELEVANT [FILES](#) FOR *UYGHUR IN OS X*

- **Instructions and keyboards:** <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/UyghurLanguage/>
(Under the “Files” link is a folder titled, “Uyghur in Mac OS X”. You may have to join this Yahoo Group to have access to the “Files”

- ✓ [How to Install and Use Uyghur in OS X.pdf](#)
- ✓ [UyghurArabicUnicode.keylayout](#) (for Panther, OS 10.3.x **only**; If you are using this with Jaguar or Tiger, and it hasn't crashed your computer, let me know.)
 - A phonetic layout based on your QWERTY keyboard
- ✓ [PC UyghurArabicUnicode.keylayout](#) (for Panther, OS 10.3.x **only**)
 - a keyboard layout that is the same as what Uyghurs in Xinjiang use on their PC computers. This is helpful if you have Uyghurs typing on your Mac. I made this keyboard because I had our tutors transcribing live voice recordings for language study.
- ✓ [Typing Uyg-Eng Together in Mellel.pdf](#)
 - What to know, and how to, type Uyghur and English on the same page.
- ✓ [Uyghur Scripts Chart.pdf](#)
 - A chart showing the Arabic, Roman, and Cyrillic alphabets for Uyghur. The Roman alphabet is an "international English" alphabet that Uyghurs use when emailing, chatrooms, posting in forums, etc. I encourage all of us to use this Roman script when typing Uyghur with "English" letters. It is the "standard" script that Uyghurs are now using online if they can't use the Arabic script.
- **Fonts:** www.ukij.org/fontlar/
 - ✓ [Uyghur unicode fonts](#)
- **Software:**
 - ✓ www.redlers.com
 - [Mellel](#) (a word processor that can handle Uyghur unicode fonts)
 - ✓ www.winsoft.fr and www.fontworld.com
 - [Adobe Creative Suite ME](#) (Adobe's professional design software Middle Eastern version). "ME" versions of *InDesign*, *Illustrator*, *Photoshop*, and *Acrobat*, can all handle Uyghur unicode fonts. It's "Middle Eastern" because it handles right-to-left scripting, and the menu interface can be in either English, Arabic, or Hebrew.
 - ✓ http://208.145.80.131/cms/scripts/page.php?site_id=nrsi&item_id=ukelele
 - [Ukelele](#) (keyboard layout making utility for OS X. Use this if you want to design your own keyboard layouts.)

If you have any questions, additions, or corrections to the Uyghur in OS X project, please email me: allornothing@keptprivate.com.

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