

## **DREAM NOTES CH 2-2.4 TYPE**

The final property of the ism is called Type of an Ism. It consists of the matter of deciding whether an ism is common or proper. Let's discuss them individually,

### **1. COMMON ISM (مَكْرَةٌ) :-**

When an Indefinite ism refers to something general and not a particular status it is called a Common Ism and the sign of a common ism is tanveen or the absence of ال in case of partially flexible isms. Such Isms are usually translated using the articles "a" . "an" , "a few" or "some". For example,

كِتَابٌ (A book) , وَلَدٌ (A boy) , جَهَنَّمَ (A hell)

### **2. PROPER ISM (مَعْرِفَةٌ) :-**

A definite Ism is an ism which refers to a specific or particular name of a person, place, thing or more. These Isms are translated by usually using the article "the". For example,

الْكِتَابُ (the book) , اللهُ (Allah) , الْجَهَنَّمَ (the Hell)

### **TYPES OF PROPER ISMS :-**

There are many types of Proper Isms which are as follows,

1. Proper Isms زَيْدٌ . فَاطِمَةُ ، مَكَّةُ etc.
2. Words with ال eg. الْفَرَسُ . الْكِتَابُ .
3. Munada the one being called like يَا وَلَدُ
4. Pronouns both independent and attached
5. Ism Ishara pointer words هَذَا تِلْكَ etc.
6. Ism Mawsool eg. الَّذِي ، الَّذِينَ etc.

7. The word before after "of" if the word after "of" is proper , is also considered proper for eg.

كِتَابُ اللَّهِ

kitab is proper because Allah is proper

### A Reading Rule :-

When ال is added to certain letters it is read while with others it isn't read.

When ال is attached to the **Sun letters** then we don't read the Laam in ال. The sun letters are

ت،ث،د،ذ،ر،ز،س،ش،ص،ض،ط،ظ،ل،ن

When ال comes before these letters it becomes silent. For example

When we add ال to an ism starting with any of the above mentioned letters it will be like this

ال + شَمْسٌ = الشَّمْسُ = the sun

We will read it as Ashamsu the laam will become silent 😞.

But when ال is added to a word beginning with the **Moon Letters** then we read the laam. The letters are as follows

ا،ب،ج،ح،خ،ع،غ،ف،ق،ك،م،ه،و،ي

When we add ال to these letters we will still read laam. For example,

ال + قَمَرٌ = القَمَرُ

We will read this word as Al Qamaru.

### IMPORTANT NOTE :-

The dropping of tanveen from an ism due to ﺍﻝ is not due to ﺍﻝ making that ism light as in plural and dual forms of ism the Noon is not dropped like in Light isms.

The reason is that light and heavy are related to the property of ism we call status. A light ism is one which has no tanveen, no noon at the end and no ﺍﻝ that's why we say that when an ism has an ﺍﻝ then as far as light and heavy is concerned it is irrelevant.

The common and proper isms are related to the property of Ism we call Type.