



### VIDEO: A Day in Nablus

Wondering what a day in Nablus looks like? Check out this [video](#) created by the [Students of the World Documentary Team](#) who TYO hosted for the month of June.



### TYO launches Women's Entrepreneurship Development in Lebanon

TYO is thrilled to announce the launch of the Women Entrepreneurs in Lebanon project. The program officially kicked off as TYO, in partnership with the Rene Moawad Foundation welcomed 37 participants to the Business Incubation Association of Tripoli (BIAT) for tailored [Business Plan training sessions July 4-7, 2011](#). On the heels of this successful training, TYO recently begin phase II of the program where the [20 most successful budding entrepreneurs were selected](#) to continue to refine their business plans and hone their skills through tailored mentoring and coaching. Stay tuned for more news from Lebanon!



### Summer 2011 Highlights

Greetings from Nablus where summer classes have just finished up and as usual time has flown by! The Core Child Program began piloting the Palestinian Preschool Peace and Conflict Education curriculum in partnership with Meridian International Center, the Palestinian Ministry of Education, and Pen Media, which will be adopted by schools nation wide as part of national curriculum. The Triple Exposure program developed the mobile workshop, [Notes from Nablus: Portraits of Kids, By Kids](#), bringing cameras to the young photographers of Nablus' Refugee Camps; finished murals at [Askar Boys' School](#) and [Nablus Basic School](#); and took photography field trips to Beit Feruik, Wadi Badan, and the Old City. Through out the summer, TYO continued to [promote literacy in partnership with MEPI](#), integrating Scholastic's My Arabic library into all classes to encourage reading and improve literacy in Nablus' children.

Teaching multiple classes at the TYO Center and English in neighboring village Salfeet; participating in weekly pool days and field days; and exploring Nablus and beyond – its safe to say we kept our interns busier than ever this summer. While at times a bit hectic, our dynamic group handled it all with tremendous professionalism and passion. We are extremely grateful for their commitment to the Nablus community and wish them all the best of luck in their future endeavors. In case you missed them on the blog this summer, here are some of their favorite moments from Nablus: Amy and her students learn [what's right about being wrong](#); Alex shares the [many voices of Nablus](#); Cate reflects on her [new friendships with peers in Nablus](#); Megan shares her experience at TYO in [pictures](#); Samin bids a [poetic farewell](#) to her students; and Tala spends an [evening with new friends](#).

As we say goodbye to our hard working summer interns as well as TYO's veteran Internship Coordinator, [Chelsey Berlin](#), we also welcome Karen Campion and Clare Herceg, recipients of Princeton University's Henry R. Labouisse '26 Fellowship, who will be working on a variety of projects at TYO for the next year.



***Interested in hands-on community development? Passionate about teaching? Have a special talent to share with the people of Nablus?***

[Apply for the Fall 2011 Internship Program!](#)

The application deadline is August 15, 2011, so don't delay!

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