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## Free enhances its choice of TV channels: Introducing Telekidz, the 1<sup>st</sup> package of Arabic channels for children



Free is once again enhancing its choice of TV content, introducing **Telekidz**, the first package of Arabic channels for children, including **Al Rawda**, **Basma and Majid**, for €2.99 a month.

- Al Rawda is an educational channel for 3- to 6-year-olds.

Rawda is Arabic for "kindergarten" and this channel broadcasts a range of programs based on educational approaches aimed at nurturing intellectual development in children up to age 6. The programs are "just like school" and for example help children to learn to count, recognize colors and sing.

- Basma is a cartoon channel for 3- to 6-year-olds.

Basma means "kidding" in Arabic, and this channel airs an array of handpicked cartoons that entertain and teach children at the same time.

- Majid is a youth channel.

This channel is named after one of its main characters, who first featured in a magazine for children in the 1980s. The choice strikes a balance between modern programs and simpler cultural content, making it perfect for today's children who want to have fun and enjoy cartoons in Arabic.

This new TV package – which is now available on all Freebox models – is another example of the wealth of audiovisual content available from Free, especially in the Freebox Revolution with TV by CANAL Panorama offer, which brings viewers 280 channels as standard and over 550 in total.

Available on channels 677, 678 and 679.

## **About Free**

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