

اللغة العربية

«أَيْش»



Question

فضيلة الشيخ

Is the word أَيْش from modern or classical Arabic?

Faḍīlat al-Shaykh Dr. V. Abdur Rahim (حفظه الله) replies:



Dear Br Uzair

وعليكم السلام

The word **أَيْش** is a telescoped form of :

أَيُّ شَيْءٍ

It is a colloquial word and, therefore, used only in spoken language.

It also appears in the conversational Arabic of early Islāmic times.

Hope this has helped you.

والسلام,

abdur rahim