

Middle East Entertainment Buzz: New Films, Music & Festivals in 2026!

Middle East Entertainment · Answer Key · 10 Questions

1. Which Saudi-Egyptian co-production action-thriller is set for a May 28, 2026 release?

- A) Asad
- B) Buttery Effect- Azzam
- C) 7 Dogs**
- D) A Matter of Life & Death

2. What is the theme for the 21st anniversary of the AANM Arab Film Festival in 2026?

- A) Unity
- B) Remember**
- C) Future
- D) Legacy

3. Which Netflix Arabic series, a sequel to a successful 2024 thriller, is scheduled for release on January 22, 2026?

- A) AlKhallat+
- B) Chasing Shadows
- C) Dubai Bling - Season 4
- D) From The Ashes: The Pit**

4. Which Lebanese film festival has extended its submission deadline to April 30, 2026, for its 2026 Arab Film Fest?

- A) Arab Film Festival Berlin
- B) AANM Arab Film Festival
- C) Mizna's Twin Cities Arab Film Festival**
- D) Arab Film Festival

5. The film 'Hijra,' Saudi Arabia's submission for the 2026 Oscars, follows a journey to which holy city?

- A) Jerusalem
- B) Medina
- C) Mecca**
- D) Dubai

6. Which animated Saudi fantasy-adventure film is slated for a July 23, 2026 release?

- A) Asad
- B) 7 Dogs
- C) Buttery Effect- Azzam**
- D) A Matter of Life & Death

7. In 2026, which music festival will feature DJ Habibeats, known for bringing Arabic sounds into club sets?

- A) Jazzablanca
- B) Coachella**
- C) Tomorrowland
- D) Burning Man

8. Which Saudi romantic comedy, starring Sarah Taibah and Yaqoub Al-Farhan, is set to be released on June 25, 2026?

- A) Asad
- B) 7 Dogs
- C) A Matter of Life & Death**
- D) Buttery Effect- Azzam

9. The Middle East Film & Comic Con (MEFCC) 2026 is scheduled to take place in which city?

- A) Dubai
- B) Riyadh
- C) Abu Dhabi**
- D) Doha

10. Which regional adaptation of Netflix's global dating format, 'Love Is Blind,' is returning for its second season in 2026?

- A) Dubai Bling
- B) AlKhallat+
- C) Love Is Blind, Habibi**
- D) Obsess