

## The Verb "To Have" - Syriac and Lebanese

(In Lebanese the Syriac "ܐܡܪܐ" contracts to "ܐܡܪ", where "ܐ" is no longer pronounced. And the suffix attached to "ܐܡܪ" also contracts, in some cases. The non-contracted form is never written out. So "He has a dog" in Lebanese "ܐܡܪܐ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ", is contracted to "ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ".)

Meaning	Syriac		Lebanese	
He has a dog	hoo eeṭ leh kalbo	ܘܘܗ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ	hoowe eeloo kaleb	ܘܘܗ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ
She has a dog	hee eeṭ loh kalbo	ܘܘܒ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ	heeye eela kaleb	ܘܘܒ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ
You have a dog (m)	at eeṭ loḡ kalbo	ܐܘܢܬܐ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ	enta eelak kaleb	ܐܘܢܬܐ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ
You have a dog (f)	at eeṭ leḡ kalbo	ܐܘܢܬܐ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ	ente eelek kaleb	ܐܘܢܬܐ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ
I have a dog	eno eeṭ lee ḡalbo	ܐܘܢܐ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ	ana eelee kaleb	ܐܘܢܐ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ
They have a dog			henne eelon kaleb	ܘܘܗ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ
They have a dog (m)	henun eeṭ lhun kalbo	ܘܘܢܘܢ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ		
They have a dog (f)	henen eeṭ lhen kalbo	ܘܘܢܘܢ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ		
You have a dog			ento eelkon kaleb	ܐܘܢܬܐ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ
You have a dog (m)	atun eeṭ lḡun kalbo	ܐܘܢܬܐ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ		
You have a dog (f)	aten eeṭ lḡen kalbo	ܐܘܢܬܐ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ		
We have a dog	ḡnan eeṭ lan kalbo	ܘܘܢܐ ܐܡܪ ܠܗ ܕܘܓܐ	nehna eelna kaleb	ܘܘܢܐ ܐܡܪܐ ܕܘܓܐ