

## Uyghur

TABLE 62.9 presents the Uyghur alphabet (Hahn 1991: 97). Uyghur is exceptional among Islamic languages in not preserving the Arabic spelling of Arabic loanwords.

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TABLE 62.9: *The Uyghur Alphabet*

LC Transliteration	Transcription	Isolated	Final	Initial	Medial
a	[a]	ا	ا	—	—
ä	[ə]	ە	ە	—	—
b	[b]	ب	ب	ب	ب
p	[p]	پ	پ	پ	پ
t	[t]	ت	ت	ت	ت
j	[ɟ]	ج	ج	ج	ج
ch	[tʃ]	چ	چ	چ	چ
kh	[x]	خ	خ	خ	خ
d	[d]	د	د	—	—
r	[r]	ر	ر	—	—
z	[z]	ز	ز	—	—
zh	[ʒ]	ژ	ژ	—	—
s	[s]	س	س	س	س
sh	[ʃ]	ش	ش	ش	ش
gh	[ɣ]	غ	غ	غ	غ
f	[f]	ف	ف	ف	ف
q	[q]	ق	ق	ق	ق
k	[k]	ك	ك	ك	ك
g	[g]	گ	گ	گ	گ
ng	[ŋ, n]	ڭ	ڭ	ڭ	ڭ
l	[l]	ل	ل	ل	ل
m	[m]	م	م	م	م
n	[n]	ن	ن	ن	ن
h	[h]	ھ	ھ	ھ	ھ
o	[o]	و	و	—	—
u	[u]	و	و	—	—
ö	[ø]	ۈ	ۈ	—	—
ü	[y]	ۈ	ۈ	—	—
v	[v]	ۋ	ۋ	—	—
e	[e]	ې	ې	ې	ې
i	[i]	ى	ى	ى	ى
y	[j]	ي	ي	ي	ي
›				ء	ء
la	[la]	لا	لا	—	—