**Five College Mentored Hindi Study Guide 77**

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**Materials**

* Jain,Advanced Hindi Grammar (AG), Chapter 17 pp. 140-161 (Conjunctions)
* Jain, Intermediate Hindi Reader (IR), Chapter 9 pp. 101-103 (पहाड़ की स्मृति-Part 1)

**Assignments for Independent Study**

* The story पहाड़ की स्मृति in IR, Chapter 9 pp. 101-103 (Stop at the end of the last paragraph on 103, “…व्यतीत कर देगी”).
	+ First skim over the story and try to understand the main ideas and some details.
	+ Read the story again more thoroughly and find answers to the comprehension questions.
	+ Google “*Yashpal in Hindi Literature”* and learn about the life and writings of Yashpal, the author of the story पहाड़ की स्मृति.
	+ Prepare two discussion questions in Hindi based on the story.
* Read through the glossary list for this reading on pp. 106-111.
* For all the words marked with \* in the glossary list:
	+ Make Flashcards and review the vocabulary repeatedly.
	+ Make sure you can translate the words from English to Hindi and vice versa.
	+ Practice spelling each word correctly.
	+ Practice using the words in your own sentences.
* Study the use of the conjunctions in AG, Chapter 17 pp. 140-153.
* Choose half of the exercises to do and do half of the sentences in each exercise you have chosen: 1-13, pp. 154-160.
	+ Show your answers to these exercises to your mentor in your tutorial.

**Homework to Hand In at the Tutorial**

* Write out answers to the following reading comprehension questions in Hindi, based on the assigned story. Write complete sentences.
	+ In the days when Yashpal was visiting, what were the only ways to bring goods to Mandi?
	+ Why does the woman think that Yashpal would recognize someone else who was from Lahore?
	+ What did Parasaram have built near Mandi?
	+ How much does Yashpal pay the woman for the apricots she gives him?
		- Write a short story of your own depicting the mountain woman’s meeting with Parasaram. Write at least 15 sentences.
		- Write out Hindi equivalents of the English sentences in AG Chapter 17, exercise 14, pp. 160-161.
* Your two discussion questions based on the story.

**Conversation Session Preparation Guide**

* Be prepared to answer any comprehension questions based on this week’s reading.
* Be prepared to retell the story in your own words.
* Be prepared to initiate and talk about your two discussion questions.
* Be prepared to discuss the rural women in India and their relationship with urban areas.