**Online Resources for Hindi**

Dictionaries:

* Digital Dictionaries of South Asia (<http://dsal.uchicago.edu/dictionaries/>)
  + This page has dictionaries for Hindi as well as many other South Asian languages.
  + If you are more advanced in learning the language and want to try it out, “Dasa Hindi” is a Hindi to Hindi dictionary.
  + The “Oxford Hindi-English Dictionary” is probably the best for learners, but they don’t link to it directly from the main page. Here is the link: <http://dsal.uchicago.edu/dictionaries/mcgregor/>

News:

* *Jansatta* (<http://www.jansatta.com/>)
  + This website features articles usually written in well-edited Hindi with a minimum of English words. The site tends to have an ideological bent towards right-wing parties like the Bharatiya Janta Party in its opinion pieces.
* *Dainik Bhaskar* (<http://www.bhaskar.com/>)
  + This newspaper is very widely read in northern India. The articles are mostly fact-based reporting and tend to be short and informative. You can select news from different regions of the country and in a variety of categories.
* *Dainik Jagran* (<http://www.jagran.com/>)
  + This paper is similar to *Dainik Bhaskar* in many ways. The articles are mostly fact-based reporting, and you can select news from different regions of the country and in a variety of categories.
* *BBC Hindi* (<http://www.bbc.com/hindi>)
  + You can find many interesting articles about everything from world events to scientific discoveries here, much like in the English edition of the BBC. There are also occasional opinion pieces and political cartoons.

Literature:

* *Hindi Samay* (<http://hindisamay.com/default.aspx>)
  + You can find a huge number of poems, novels, essays, and other literature for free on this website.
* *Kavita Kosh* (<http://kavitakosh.org/kk/कविता_कोश_मुखपृष्ठ>)
  + A huge compilation of poetry in Hindi (as well as poetry in many closely related languages).
* *Bharat Discovery* (<http://bharatdiscovery.org/india/श्रेणी:हिंदी_साहित्यकार>)
  + This page has a long list of Hindi writers. Click on a name and it links to a biography and various works they wrote, some of which are available on the website and can be read online.
* *Rekhta* (<https://rekhta.org/>)
  + This website contains huge amounts of Urdu poetry, which differs more or less only in certain vocabulary from Standard Hindi. The grammar and most common words are the same. You can change it to Hindi script by clicking the button on the top-right of the page. If you click on the words you don’t know in a poem, the English definition will pop up. There are also links to videos of musical performances and recitations of the poetry for some of the more famous ones.

TV/Movies:

* Many older and more popular Bollywood films can be found in their entirety on YouTube. Music videos and individual scenes from more recent movies can be found as well.
* *Eros Now* (<http://erosnow.com/welcome>)
  + Eros is one of the major distributors of Bollywood films. On this website you can access many of the shows and movies for free (especially slightly older ones) if you make an account. Essentially a Netflix for South Asian shows and movies, including ones in Urdu from Pakistan.

Radio/Podcasts:

* *Radio Mirchi* (<http://www.radiomirchi.com/>)
  + This is a popular Hindi music station, which sometimes features other radio programs. They archive much of it online so you can browse different kinds of programming.
* *Puliyabazi* (<https://twitter.com/puliyabaazi?lang=en>)
  + Two friends from Bengaluru discuss modern issues such as the economy, Bitcoin, and social problems in depth in Hindi. Link is to the twitter page, but you can find the podcast on most podcasting platforms for iPhone and Android.

Additional Resource:

* Basic Hindi by Rajiv Ranjan (<https://openbooks.lib.msu.edu/basichindi/>)
  + A free, online, interactive, theme-based textbook for the beginner. Hosted by Michigan State University.
* Hindi Language Resources (<https://turfli.wisc.edu/learning-resources/>)
  + From the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Contains dictionaries & grammar reference, multi-media and cultural resources, books newspapers & magazines, and more.
* Hindi Resources (<https://hindi.la.utexas.edu/resources/>)
  + From the University of Texas at Austin. Contains free, open materials for script, pronunciation, grammar, quizzes, dialogues, and more.
  + Including: Hindi Glossaries Alive (<https://hindi.la.utexas.edu/resources/glossaries-alive/>)
    - Recordings that introduce the main vocabulary used in the textbook *Complete Hindi*
* Hindi Hour (<https://hindihour.com/>)
  + Homestay and classes in Jaipur recommended by a former student.