Mentored Persian Study Guide 33

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# Materials for This Study Guide

* *Five College Persian Manual IV*
  + Lesson 33, pp. 9-11
* University of Texas *Persian Grammar* Website
  + [*Stationary Verbs*](http://sites.la.utexas.edu/persian_online_resources/verbs/stationary-verbs/)

* [Conversation Preparation Guides](https://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/conversation) on LangMedia
  + Social and Family Life – Descriptions in Conversations – Describing Likes and Dislikes

* [Persian Dictation Exercises](https://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/exercises_all/57/21/189655)
  + Dictation **33a** and **33b**

# Assignments for Independent Study

## More on the Passive and Impersonal Verbs; Likes and Dislikes

* Read about the other forms of the passive voice in Grammar Focus 1 in *Persian Manual IV*, Lesson 33. Then complete exercise 1.
* Read the poem in *Persian Manual IV*, Lesson 33, Section I and complete exercise 2.
* Read the dialogue in *Persian Manual IV*, Lesson 33, Section II and complete exercise 3.
  + **HAND IN:** Exercises 1-4 in *Five College Persian Manual IV*, Lesson 33.
  + **HAND IN:** Write a telephone dialogue in which two friends are catching up. They should talk and complain about their courses and classes. Use impersonal and passive verbs where appropriate. Write at least 20 lines.
* Study the following Conversation Preparation Guide and be ready to perform the activities it describes:
  + [Describing Likes and Dislikes](https://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/fileuploads/conversationprepguides/Descriptions_NOV-INT_Describing_Likes_and_Dislikes.pdf)

## Practicing Listening and Writing

* Go to [Persian Dictation Exercises](https://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/exercises_all/57/21/189655).
  + **HAND IN:** Carefully listen to dictations 33a and 33b. Now, listen again and write down what you hear. Do it for a third time as well, and check what you have written with the available PDF on the website. Check your own work to receive full credit.

# Conversation Session Preparation Guide

* Be prepared to roleplay dialogues like the ones in sections I and II in *Five College Persian Manual IV*, Lesson 33.
* Be prepared to roleplay a dialogue like the one you have written for your homework.
* Be prepared to ask and answer questions about the poem in *Five College Persian Manual IV*, Lesson 33.
* Be prepared to do activities from the Conversation Preparation Guide, [Describing Likes and Dislikes](https://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/fileuploads/conversationprepguides/Descriptions_NOV-INT_Describing_Likes_and_Dislikes.pdf).

# Homework to Hand In at the Tutorial

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