**Urdu Study Guide 28**

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**Materials for this Study Guide**

*Beginning Urdu: A Complete Course*

Unit III: Chapter 19: Measures.

 *Langmedia:* Urdu in Pakistan: [Food Shopping](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/lbc-subtopic/124325)

*Language Learning Strategies and Tools* on LangMedia (<http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/strategies>)

**Assignments for Independent Study**

*Beginning Urdu: A Complete Course (BU)*

Chapter 19: Measures.

* Stept 1: Read the section Measures. How reporting measures in Urdu is different from English or any other language you speak.
* Step 2: Then study the words in Vocabulary 2 and make flashcards for them. First read the vocabulary in their Urdu form, try to guess the meaning, and then look at the translation.
* Step 3: Read sentences in Exercise 7 outloud. Listen to yourself to see if your pronouciation sound right.
* Step 4: Read the recipe in Exercise 9. Try to memorize it. Can you come up with a recipe for another food or drink? Try to write down the recipe for your favorite Indian or Pakistani food.
* Step 5: Complete Exercise 10. First listen to the dialgoue in the exercise for a few times. Take notes. Now look at the written dialogue and check your notes.

*Langmedia:* Urdu in Pakistan: Food Shopping

* Go to <http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/lbc-subtopic/124325>.
* Watch all the videos. First watch each video. Try to take notes about what the speakers talk about, what is being purchased, how much is the price, and how the process of negotiating the price goes on. Then, check your notes with the Urdu transcript of each video. Finally, check them with the English translation.

**Conversation Session Preparation**

* Be prepared to explain the recipe in Exercise 9 to your conversation partner. Also, prepare another recipe of your choice to explain it to your conversation partner.
* Be prepared to role play the dialogue in Exercise 10. Once be the shopkeeper and then switch to be the customer.
* Be prepared to role play the vidoes on [Langmedia](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/lbc-subtopic/124325). These are short videos. Try to listen to them several times to the extent of being comofortable to improvise similar dialogues. Take notes of the points you do not understand to disucss them wiht your conversation partner.

**Homework for Tutorial**

* Written task for Exercise 7 in Measures.
* Written task for Exercise 8 in Measures.
* Hand in the recipe of your favorit Hindi/Pakistani food or drink.
* Write down a dialogue in which you go to buy some of the ingredients you need for your recipe.