**Five College Mentored Elementary Hindi Study Guide 29**

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**Materials for this Study Guide**

* *Beginning Hindi (BH)* Unit 4, Chapter 20 – entire chapter
* ***Hindi on LangMedia:*** [*Hindi in North India*](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/collection/lm_india/hiIndex.html)*, Food Shopping*. Videos: “Outdoor Vegetable Stand,” “Buying Gooseberries,” and “Buying Vegetables in a Store”
* *Language Learning Strategies and Tools* on LangMedia (<http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/strategies>)

**ASSIGNMENTS FOR INDEPENDENT STUDY**

**Preparation Assignment 1: Vocabulary for Discussing Price**

* Step 1: Study *BH* Chapter 20, the first section on “Price Constructions,” pp. 308-311.
* Step 2: Listen to Vocabulary 1. Practice using the words in sentences similar to the models on pp. 308-309. Memorize the vocabulary.
* Step 3: Do exercise 1 on your own. Ask questions in your tutorial if necessary.
* Step 4: **HAND IN:** Do Exercise 2. Write out answers to the questions to hand in.
* Step 5: **PREPARE FOR CONVERSATION SESSION:** Study and practice the parts for both roles in the Role Play in Exercise 3. Be prepared to role play shopping for pants, *kurtas*, and shirts and other possible clothing items.

**Preparation Assignment 2: Shopping for Fruits and Vegetables**

* Step 1: **HAND IN:** Do *BH* Chapter 20, Exercise 4. Hand in your version of the chart.
* Step 2: **PREPARE FOR CONVERSATION SESSION:** Practice the useful phrases at the beginning of Exercise 5 out loud before your conversation session.
* Step 3: **PREPARE FOR CONVERSATION SESSION:** Study and practice the parts for both roles in the Role Play in Exercise 5. Be prepared to do this exercise or a similar exercise in your conversation session.

**Preparation Assignment 3: Watching Authentic Shopping Interactions**

* Step 1: Review the video [*Hindi in North India*](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/collection/lm_india/hiIndex.html)*, Food Shopping*. Videos: “Outdoor Vegetable Stand.” How much more of it can you understand now then when you started this unit?
* Step 2: Watch the video: ***Hindi on LangMedia:*** [*Hindi in North India*](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/collection/lm_india/hiIndex.html)*, Food Shopping*: “Buying Gooseberries.” First see how much you can understand without looking at the transcript or translation. Pay attention to how the woman bargains with the seller. Study the text.
* Step 3: Watch the video: ***Hindi on LangMedia:*** [*Hindi in North India*](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/collection/lm_india/hiIndex.html)*, Food Shopping*: “Buying Vegetables in a Store.” First see how much you can understand without looking at the transcript or translation.
* Step 4: **HAND IN:**  Write a dialogue between a vegetable seller and a customer. The customer should buy at least 2 different vegetables and should need to bargain for each one. Don’t forget that the customer needs to tell the seller how much of the vegetable s/he wants to buy. Your dialogue should have at least 8 exchanges (16 lines).

**Conversation Session Preparation**

* Be prepared to do *BH*, Chapter 20, Exercise 3 and similar role plays in your conversation session.
* Be prepared to do *BH*, Chapter 20, Exercise 5 and similar role plays in your conversation session.
* Be prepared to practice bargaining techniques.
* Be prepared to make a shopping list for fruits and vegetables and then go to a market seller to buy the items on your list.

**Homework and Preparation for Tutorial**

* *BH* Chapter20, Exercise 2.
* *BH* Chapter20, Exercise 4.
* Your dialogue between a vegetable seller and a customer.