**Five College Mentored Elementary Hindi Study Guide –Study Guide 51**

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**Materials for this Study Guide**

* Review Ways of Talking about the Future
* Review *Beginning Hindi (BH)* Unit 7, Chapters 31-32
* Conversation Preparation Guides on LangMedia: <http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/conversation> **:**
* Social and Family Life – Thinking Ahead – Future Plans and Wishes
* Hindi Resources on LangMedia: <http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/hindi/>
* *CultureTalk India* Video: Education: [Humanities and Arts](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/culturetalk-subtopics/India/187/Humanities-and-Arts) - “A Commercial Arts Student”
* *Language Learning Strategies and Tools* on LangMedia (<http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/strategies>)

**Assignments for Independent Study**

**Preparation Assignment 1: Review Talking about the Future**

* Reviewtalking about the future in *Beginning Hindi (BH)* Unit 7, Chapters 31-32. Pay attention to distinguishing between things someone will definitely do and things someone possibly will do.
* Work through the “Practice on Your Own” section of the Conversation Preparation Guide:
* Social and Family Life – Thinking Ahead – Future Plans and Wishes
* **HAND IN:** Write six questions you could ask someone about the future. Include questions that ask about what they will definitely do, want to do, or might possibly do. Write three sentence answers to each of your questions.
* **Prepare for Conversation Session:** Plan ahead for each of the activities in the “Practice in Conversation Session” section of the “Future Plans and Wishes” conversation preparation guide. Practice asking questions and answering questions. Think about planning various future events or activities. What will you need to talk about? Practice questions and answers.

**Preparation Assignment 2: Engaging with Real Hindi**

* Watch the video: LangMedia *CultureTalk India* Video: Education: [Humanities and Arts](http://langmedia.fivecolleges.edu/culturetalk-subtopics/India/187/Humanities-and-Arts): “A Commercial Arts Student.” Do not expect to understand everything. Listen multiple times to see what you can understand, then study the transcript and/or translation and listen again.
* **HAND IN:**  Write one paragraph (5-7 sentences) describing something about Karan – who he is, what he does, what he likes to do.
* **HAND IN:** Write one paragraph (5-7 sentences) describing what Karan will do to finish his degree and what he might do after he finishes his degree.
* **Prepare for Conversation Session:** Be prepared to describe Karan’s situation, his life now, and his choices for the future.

**Preparation Assignment 3: Write about Yourself**

* **HAND IN:** Write one page about yourself. First describe what you will do in order to finish your degree. Then discuss what you might possibly do after you finish your degree. You can talk about academic, professional, or personal pursuits.

**Conversation Session Preparation**

* Be prepared to ask and answer questions about what you and others in the conversation section will do at various points in the future.
* Be prepared to describe all you can about Karan’s current life and about his future plans.
* Be prepared to describe what you will do in order to finish your degree.
* Be prepared describe what you might do after you finish your degree.
* Be prepared to role play arranging a meeting or event for some point in the future.

**Homework and Preparation for Tutorial**

* **HAND IN:** Your six questions about future plans, along with 3 sentence answers to each question.
* **HAND IN:**  Your paragraph describing Karan.
* **HAND IN:** Your paragraph describing what Karan will do to finish his degree and what he might do after he gets his degree.
* **HAND IN:** Your one page essay describing what you will do to finish your degree and what you might do after you finish your degree.