

## Path Bhaban Curriculum

**A.** The following courses are Usual Learning Courses on Bengali Language and Culture. These courses require students communicate generally in Bengali at home. It is expected the Students pick-up and converse in some Bengali at home.

1. **Ankur Bibhaag:** Learn swar-barna [vowels], byanjon-barna, swar-barna-pratiks [Aa-kaar,etc.] and their applications. Learn numbers 1 through 10.
2. **Mukul Bibhaag:** Read and write simple words and sentences, without Juktakshar. Apply Pratiks. Learn numbers 1 through 50. Learn Baars [days of week]. Understand the meaning of various words.
3. **Kishalay Bibhaag:** Learn Falaa (Ja-falaa, Ra-falaa) and Juktaakshar (including nasal sound Juktaakshar). Learn the concept of Bargas [Kaw-barga etc] and their rules. Read and write words, sentences and paragraphs with Juktaakshar. Learn numbers 1 through 100. Learn Maas [Bengali Months] and apply. Understand the meaning of various words.
4. **Pallab Bibhaag:** Read, understand, construct and write sentences and paragraphs. Apply proper Pratik, Falaa and Juktaakshar. Use Barga rules. Learn Writus [Bengali seasons] Understand and apply Baar and Maas. Learn and apply numbers 1 through 100 and higher.
5. **Gulma Bibhaag:** Learn Bengali grammar. Learn Bengali language structure. Learn culture of Indian subcontinent including Bengali culture. Understand relation between culture and language.
6. **Balli Bibhaag:** Understand and comprehend Bengali language and culture. Understand speaking and written Bengali language. Learn ornamental Bengali language and use them in reading, writing and conversation.
7. **Taru Bibhaag:** Comprehend Bengali language, learn Bengali literature. Learn the influence of culture on language. Learn Chhanda, Jati and Mil. Compose Bengali stories and poems.
8. **Briksha Bibhaag:** Comprehend Bengali literature. Understand changes in use of Bengali language due to culture drift. Learn Bengali creative writing. Learn literary values of Bengali stories, poems and other write-ups. Learn to provide constructive comments on Bengali literature.
9. **Paadap Bibhaag:** Learn language, literature and culture media, including news, movies, computers and other products. Learn and understand media influences on the language, literature and culture. Learn to participate in debates in the Bengali language.
10. **Mahiruha Bibhaag:** Learn classic and modern Bengali language. Learn, analyze, understand and comprehend the history, formation, evolution and revolution of the Bengali language, literature, culture and media. Practice debate on Bengali literature and culture. Master Bengali language and Culture.

**B.** The following are the Specially Designed Classes are developed for students who are not conversant with the Bengali language. These classes are suitable for people from Indian Sub continent and other countries including USA, who are not exposed to the Bengali language and culture. Learn to speak, read, write and communicate in the Bengali language and understand Bengali Culture.

1. **Brinta Bibhaag:** Learn to speak and communicate in the Bengali language. Learn Bengali Culture through events and others.
2. **Patra Bibhaag:** Learn to read and write in addition to speak and communicate in the Bengali language. Learn more on basic communications. Continue to learn Bengali Culture.
3. **Shaakhaa Bibhaag:** Learn Advance Communications skill. Continue to learn more Basic Communication, including speak, read and write. Learn some proverbs. Understand Bengali Culture.
4. **Kaanda Bibhaag:** Continue to learn more about the Bengali language and literature. Learn to read and understand Classic Literature. Learn internal relationship as well as culture aspect of the Bengali heritage. Understand and apply Bengali culture. Understand multicultural environment.
5. **Mool Bibhaag:** Learn the root of Bengali Culture and its effect on Language and Literature as well as its changes in Local Dialects.