

Lesson – 4, sabaku - 4

Adjective – sifat~, Adverb – zarfu, Preposition – harfu jad~,
Conjunction – harfu jumlo, Interjection – harfu nad~aa

1. Adjective – sifat~, word that qualifies noun or a pronoun in a sentence:

- a. sweet – mitho (m) / mithee (f)
 - b. sour – khato / khatee
 - c. bitter – kauro / kauree
 - d. good – sutho / suthee, chag~o / chag~ee
 - e. bad – khharaabu
 - f. full – saj^o / saj^ee
 - g. half – adh~u
 - h. beautiful – suhin~o / suhin~ee
 - i. ugly – bad~soorat~
 - j. fat – th~ulho / th~ulhee
 - k. thin – sanho / sanhee
 - l. tall – digho / dighee
 - m. short – bi'nd~ro / bi'nd~ree
 - n. black – kaaro / karee
 - o. white – achho / achhee
 - p. big – vad^o / vad^ee
 - q. small – na'ndho / na'ndhee
- (m) = masculine - naru, (f) = feminine – maad~ee

2. Adverb – zarfu , word that modifies a verb, or adjective in a sentence:

- a. slowly – ahist~e
- b. fastly – t~akro / t~akree
- c. very – t~amaam
- d. little – th~oro / th~oree, ghata
- e. much – ghan~o / ghan~ee
- f. more – vadh~eeaka

3. Preposition – harfu jad~, shows relationship of noun or pronoun to other words:

- a. from – khaa'n, maa'n
- b. on – t~e
- c. in – a'nd~ari
- d. or – yaa'n
- e. to – d^aa'nha
- f. at – me'n
- g. of - jo

4. Conjunction – harfu jumlo, that which joins words and or groups of words:

- a. and – ai'n
- b. but – para

5. Interjection – harfu nad~aa, expresses emotion and is not related to other words:

- a. o! – maari !
- b. oh! – are !
- c. oh my god! – alaa !