

Appendix

1. Beauty in poetry

Words	Meaning	Bangla equivalent	Sentence	Write your own sentence
cropland	land where crops grow	ফসলী জমি	We have huge cropland in our villages.	
hospitality	the act of being friendly and welcoming to guests and visitors	আতিথেয়তা	Bangladeshis are renowned for their hospitality.	
surround	to be all around something/someone	পরিবেষ্টিত থাকা/হওয়া	Lots of trees surround our school.	
power cut	failure of power supply	বিদ্যুৎ বিচ্ছিন্ন	Now a days, power cut is less than before.	
quiet	without much noise (calm)	শান্ত/নিরব	I need quiet environment for studying.	
remote	far away in distance	দূরবর্তী	The villagers live remote areas.	
landscape	visible features of an area of land	ভূদৃশ্য	The landscape of the villages is very attractive.	
breeze	gentle wind	মৃদু বাতাস	Morning breeze is fresher in the villages.	
harvest	crops	ফসল	Farmers got good harvest due to favourable weather.	
sacrifice	endure the loss of	উৎসর্গ করা	Freedom fighters sacrificed their lives for the sake of their motherland.	
brave	able to face with courage	সাহসী	The brave fighters of our country risked their lives for freeing our homeland.	
emblem	a visible symbol representing an abstract idea.	প্রতীক	National Flag is the emblem of independent Bangladesh.	
greenery	green leaves	শ্যামলীমা	I like to visit my village to see greenery.	
confronted	be face to face with	মুখোমুখি হওয়া	Our freedom fighters confronted Pakistani Army bravely.	

blew away	to destroy or remove as if with a current of air	উড়িয়ে দেওয়া	The warriors blew away the bridge to stop their enemy from entering the village.	
burying,	putting under water	সমাহিত করা	People took the dead body to the graveyard for burying.	
visualize	to see or form a mental image of	মনশ্চক্ষুতে দেখা	I still can visualise the moments of our prize giving ceremony	
incident	event/ happening	ঘটনা	I visited Cox's Bazar last year and it is a memorable incident in my life.	
tears	drops of salty water from one's eyes when someone cries.	অশ্রুজল	I saw tears in her eyes when her father was going abroad.	

2. The Bizhu Festival

Word	Meaning in English	Meaning in Bangla	Example sentence	Your sentence
exception	which does not follow usual rule	ব্যতিক্রম	All the students are same in the class but the only exception is Aliza.	
chaitra sankranti	the last day of month chaitra	চৈত্র মাসের শেষ দিন	Our family celebrated Chaitra Sankranti last year.	
last (verb)	continue to a specified period of time	টিকে থাকা	The heat wave lasted for seven days.	
bid	wish	ইচ্ছা প্রকাশ করা, বিদায় জানানো	Abira wanted to bid her friends goodbye.	
neighbourhood	surrounding or people living near one another	আশপাশ, পাড়া, প্রতিবেশীপাশ	Our neighbourhood is always friendly.	
intimate	close	অন্তরঙ্গ	Opshora is my intimate friend.	
hail	greet joyfully	অভ্যর্থনা জানানো	People hailed the young man as their leader.	

harvest	crop	ফসল	The villagers gathered their harvest in last month.	
offer	provide, supply, extend	দেয়া, পরিবেশন করা	My mother offered cakes to the guests.	
astonish	amaze, surprise	বিস্মিত হওয়া	The talent of the child astonished me.	

3. Language and Power

Words	Meaning	Bangla equivalent	Sentence	Write your own sentence
hesitant-ly	with hesitation	ইতস্ততঃভাবে	Milon answered to his father's question hesitantly.	
early	before the usual time	তড়াতাড়ি	I like to get up early in the morning.	
range	the limit of capability	ব্যাপ্তি	The customer has 2000 taka and he wants a shirt in this range.	
warranty	a written assurance that some product or service will be provided	নির্ভরপত্র	The Company is giving five years' warranty on their product.	
replace	substitute a person or thing for another	প্রতিস্থাপন করা	He wants to replace the old TV with a new one.	
notice	observe carefully	লক্ষ্য করা	After returning from the USA, we can notice a great change in him.	
authority	the power or right to order or make decision	কর্তৃত্ব বা মর্যাদা	Mother has authority over all members of the family.	
reflect	thing deeply about something	প্রতিফলিত করা	His behaviour reflects on his family environment.	
certainly	surely	অবশ্যই	If you work hard, you would certainly be rewarded.	
convince	make (someone) agree, understand, or realize the truth	উপলব্ধি করানো	The students convinced their class teacher to go out with them.	

satisfy	make happy	সন্তুষ্ট করা	One cannot satisfy all.	
maintain	keep up	বজায় রাখা	We should maintain discipline everywhere.	
concentrate	direct one's attention on something	মনোযোগ দেওয়া	Students should concentrate on their studies.	
achieve	gain	অর্জন করা	We should work hard to achieve our goals.	
direction	guideline	দিকনির্দেশনা	The students completed their project following the direction of their teacher.	
motivate	provide with a motive for doing something	অনুপ্রাণিত করা	Our teachers motivated us to study.	
objectives.	the goal intended to be obtained	উদ্দেশ্য	Everybody should have aims and objectives in their life.	
concern	matter of interest or importance	চিন্তা বা উদ্বেগ	Environment pollution is a major concern of the present world.	
perseverance	persistent determination	অধ্যবসায়	We need perseverance to be successful in life.	
align	come into adjustment with	শ্রেণীবদ্ধ করা বা হওয়া	We have to have aims that align with our ability.	
aspirations	strong desire	আকাঙ্ক্ষা	Freedom fighters had aspirations for a free and independent Bangladesh.	
attitude	feeling/ idea/ concept	মনোভাব/ আচরণ	Positive attitude will lead us towards better future.	
relieve	lessen the intensity of	উপশম করা/ পরিত্রাণ দেওয়া।	Your suggestion relieved me from tension.	
dreadful	causing fear	ভয়ঙ্কর	COVID is dreadful pandemic.	
consent	approval or responding favourably	সম্মতি	My mother gave me her consent to go to the museum.	
accompany	go or travel along with	সাথে যাওয়া	My younger sister accompanied me to the zoo.	

4. Paraphrasing and Rephrasing

Word	Meaning in English	Meaning in Bangla	Example Sentence	Your Sentence
evolution	a process in which something develops	বিবর্তন	Society needs the evolution of civilization	
substantial	large in size	যথেষ্ট	The cake my friend baked for my birthday was substantial and filled with chocolate.	
indeed	in truth	প্রকৃতপক্ষে	It is very cold indeed.	
economically	related to production, distribution, use of resources of a country	অর্থনৈতিকভাবে	The country creates a economically stable environment.	
realize	become aware of or understand something	উপলব্ধি করা	I didn't realize it was your birthday on that day.	
particular	specific or separate from others	বিশেষ	I get particular satisfaction in voluntary work.	
reveal	bring out or disclose	প্রকাশ করা	The director of the company won't reveal his plan.	
crisis	unstable situation or extreme difficulty	সংকট	We felt helpless during the economic crisis.	
harassment	a feeling of annoyance caused by attacks or criticism	হয়রানি	Harassment is never acceptable.	
miscreant	a person without moral grounds	দুর্বৃত্ত	The miscreant was caught stealing money from bank.	

puberty	a time of life when childhood changes into adulthood	বয়ঃসন্ধি	During puberty a child experiences hormonal and physical changes.	
lag	fall behind	পিছিয়ে পড়া	I experienced a lag while playing the on-line game.	
consequently	as a result, accordingly	অতএব, সুতরাং, কাজেই	I forgot my umbrella and consequently, I got soaked in the rain.	
gender parity	each gender is represented equally	লিঙ্গ সমতা	Gender parity in education can be calculated easily.	
eventually	after an unspecified time, finally	অবশেষে, পরিণামে	Eventually the family left the house.	

5. Writing Cohesively

Word	Meaning in English	Meaning in Bangla	Example sentence	Your sentence
isolated	being set or kept apart from others	ভিন্ন বা আলাদা	Isolated villagers are always remote from civilization.	
gene	it is a unit of heredity	ব্যক্তির নির্দিষ্ট বংশানুক্রমিক বৈশিষ্ট্য	All animals and plants have genes.	
trauma	emotional wound or physical damage lasting long	মানসিক আঘাত বা দৈহিক অসুস্থতা	The child has been affected by trauma after the accident.	
abuse	treat badly	অপব্যবহার	The boss abuses the workers.	
concentration	complete attention	একাগ্রতা	Without concentration no work can be perfect.	
initiate	start an event and prepare the way	শুরু করা	We initiated a new program.	
barrier	obstruction	বাধা	Intolerance is a barrier to be calm.	

flexibility	the quality of being variable	নমনীয়তা	We enjoyed the flexibility of our working arrangement.	
navigate	direct carefully and safely	সঠিক পথে পরিচালনা করা	He navigated his way to the altar.	
unwavering	marked by determination or resolution, firm	অটুট	Her unwavering determination led her to achieve her goals.	
compassionate	sympathetic or caring	সহানুভূতিশীল	The compassionate mother comforted her child with a warm smile.	
demonstrate	exhibit, present, show	প্রদর্শন	The teacher asked the students to demonstrate the experiment.	
incorporate	include, unite or merge	অন্তর্ভুক্ত	I like to incorporate healthy habits into my daily routine.	

6. Introducing Someone Formally

Word	Meaning in English	Meaning in Bangla	Example sentence	Your sentence
contentious	argumentative	বিতর্কিত	Child labour is a contentious issue for a long time.	
hazardous	risky, unsafe	ঝুঁকিপূর্ণ	Skydiving is a hazardous sport.	
violation	an act that disregards agreement or right	লঙ্ঘন	Violation of law is a crime.	
manufacture	produce	উৎপাদন	The company manufactures fertilizer.	
explosive	materials which produce a sudden release of energy.	বিস্ফোরক	Be aware of explosive gases.	
pesticide	chemical used to kill insects	কীটনাশক	The farmers use pesticides to save the crops from insects.	

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depression	mental state of sad feeling	বিষন্নতা	Depression can make the simple tasks complex.	
perpetuate	to prolong or continue something	চিরস্থায়ী করা	Negative thoughts can perpetuate the feeling of sadness.	
impede	hinder or make obstructed	বাধা দেওয়া	Lack of sleep can impede the ability to concentrate.	
sustainable	extend in duration	স্থায়ী	We hope for a sustainable economy.	
exploitation	an act that treats unfairly	শোষণ	The exploitation of the working class should be stopped.	
implication	inference that arises from something	ধারনা বা সিদ্ধান্ত নেওয়ার জন্য সম্ভাব্য কারন	The implication of his words was that he didn't want to attend the party.	
eradication	complete elimination	নির্মূল	Vaccination have led to the eradication of many diseases.	
consumer	a person who uses goods or services	ভোক্তা	Consumers have the power to choose or reject the product.	

7. A Hole in the Fence

Words	Meaning	Bangla equivalent	Sentence	Write your own sentence
occupy	to use a space/ position	দখল করে রাখা	Mr. Emon is occupying the position of Manager in the company.	
wander	walk around slowly without any clear purpose	এদিক সেদিক ঘোরাঘুরি করা	I saw a group of boys wandering around the school.	
adorn	decorate	সাজানো	We adorn our classroom with beautiful posters.	

adjacent	next to	সংলগ্ন	Our classroom is adjacent to the office room.	
taunt	to annoy someone intentionally by using unkind words	বিদ্রুপ/উপহাস করা	We should not taunt others as it hurts them.	
drastical-ly	in a sudden and severe way	আকস্মিক ও তীব্রভাবে	The weather has changed drastically.	
scar	a mark that has left after an injury has healed	শরীরের কোন আঘাত ভাল হবার পরও যে দাগ থেকে যায়	I have still a scar in my finger that was burnt when I was a child.	
splash	to throw water to someone	পানি ছিটিয়ে দেয়া	I enjoy splashing water with water guns.	
hustle and bustle	busy noisy activity of a lot of people in one place	একসাথে অনেক মানুষের হৈ চৈ	There was a hustle and bustle of students, teachers and parents in the prize giving ceremony.	
podium	stage	মঞ্চ	My friend Atia went to the podium to recite a poem.	
initiate	to cause something to begin	শুরু করা/উদ্যোগ নেওয়া	Our class teacher initiated a tree plantation programme.	
reach out	communicate	যোগাযোগ করা	We reached out to the school gardener for his help to complete the project.	
abuse	torture	নির্যাতন	We should not abuse others physically or mentally.	

8. Life in the Woods

Words	Meaning	Bangla equivalent	Sentence	Write your own sentence
inhabitants	dwellers	অধিবাসী	We are the inhabitants of an independent country.	

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gloomy	shaded/dark	বিষন্ন/বিবর্ণ	The weather was gloomy when we went there.	
despair	disappointment	হতাশা	Out of despair, he left his attempt.	
ghostly	like a ghost/unnatural	ভৌতিক	The ghostly environment frightened me at night.	
mystery	something that is difficult to explain	রহস্য	The source of the sound is still a mystery.	
divine	heavenly	স্বর্গীয়	She has a divine voice that attracts all.	
complexion	colour	বর্ণ	The girl has a fair complexion with great beauty.	
eternal	everlasting	চিরন্তন	Cleopatra had an eternal beauty.	
impatiently	not patiently	অধৈর্যভাবে	I was waiting for my father's arrival impatiently.	
impoverished	poor	দরিদ্র	He was born in an impoverished family.	

9. Writing Differently

Words	Meaning	Bangla equivalent	Sentence	Write your own sentence
information	facts provided about something	তথ্য	We have a lot of information on this subject.	
existing	something that exists	বিদ্যমান	The existing knowledge is not enough for getting the prize.	

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evaluate	assess	মূল্যায়ন করা	You must evaluate the educated people of the society.	
comprehension	understanding	বোধগম্যতা	For better comprehension of the topic, you should read it more.	
illuminate	enlighten	আলোকিত করা	Stars illuminate the sky.	
optimistic	hopeful	আশাবাদী	I am optimistic about my future.	
biography	an account of someone's life written by someone	জীবনবৃত্তান্ত	You should read the biographies of great people to know about them.	
fantasies	activity of imagining	কল্পকাহিনীসমূহ	J.K. Rowlings wrote a series of fantasies named Harry Potter,	
creativity	inventiveness	সৃজনশীলতা	The creativity of an individual differs from the other.	
extensively	largely	ব্যাপকভাবে	People should help the flood affected people extensively.	
initiative	enterprise	পদক্ষেপ	We should take initiative to help the poor.	
previous	former	পূর্বের	His previous job was not suitable for him.	

10. Success is Counted Sweetest

Words	Meaning in English	Meaning in Bangla	Example sentence	Your sentence
lament	express grief or regret strongly	পরিতাপ বা দুঃখ প্রকাশ	We lamented for the death of our relative.	
undergrowth	the bush growing beneath taller trees	বড় বড় গাছের নিচে ঝোপঝাড়	I liked the ferny undergrowth in the forest.	

trodden (past participle of tread)	crushed by being walked on	পদদলিত	The path was trodden and easy to follow.	
sigh	breathe deeply and heavily	দীর্ঘশ্বাস	I heard the sigh of the old man.	
yellow wood	forest in autumn	শরতে গাছের পাতা হলুদ বর্ণ ধারণ করে, তখন এমন সারি সারি গাছকে মনে হয় হলুদ বন	I travelled through a yellow wood in Canada.	
anonymously	without giving a name	বেনামে	She wrote the letters anonymously.	
nectar	a sweet liquid secretion from flower	মধু	The little bird sipped sweet nectar from the flower.	
sore	causing misery	যন্ত্রনাদায়ক	It was a sore trial to him.	
opt	choose or prefer	বেছে নেওয়া	She opted the job in the company.	
juxtaposition	a side by side position	সংযোজন	It is the result of the juxtaposition of contrasting colours.	
strain	the act of singing or expressing (meaning in this poem)	ভাষার প্রবাহ বা প্রকাশ (এই কবিতায়)	They marched up to the gate with a strain.	
triumph	victory	বিজয়	The team played well for the triumph.	
agony	intense feelings of suffering	যন্ত্রনা	The patient's cries of agony touched everyone in the hospital.	
unconventional	not conforming to accepted rules	অপ্রচলিত	Nobody liked her unconventional life styles.	

11. The Merchant of Venice

Words	Meaning	Bangla equivalent	Sentence	Write your own sentence
helpless	unable to defend oneself/incapable	অসহায়	Seeing the incident, I became helpless.	
determination	the quality of being determined	দৃঢ় প্রতিজ্ঞা	Firm determination is necessary to be successful in life.	
delicious	tasty	সুস্বাদু	They arranged delicious foods for us.	
convince	cause to believe firmly in the truth of something	বুঝিয়ে রাজি করানো	They try to convince me to favour them.	
refuse	deny	অস্বীকার করা	He refused to tell lies.	
judgement	the ability to make considered decisions to sensible conclusion	বিচার/রায়	Her judgement about my sincerity was not acceptable.	
messenger	a person who carries messages	দূত	We sent a messenger to collect the information.	
unusual	not usual	অস্বাভাবিক	It is unusual to live on a tree.	
beneath	under	নিচে	The ground beneath her feet was wet.	

