

## **Military English**

Vocabulary Builder: Countries and Flags - South Asia

## Overview:

This sheet lists vocabulary of countries, their flags, nationalities, and languages in South Asia.

## In this vocabulary builder, you will:

- ✓ learn and use vocabulary related to South Asian countries.
- 1) Work in groups of four. Have a conversation about the countries below. Use the questions to help you.

Afghanistan Bangladesh Bhutan India Iran
Maldives Nepal Pakistan Sri Lanka

Which countries have you visited? Did you go on holiday or work?
What did you do there? Did you like it? Why?

2) Work in pairs. Unscramble the letters to form the names of countries in South Asia.



a. n/l/a/i/d: <u>| ludía</u>



b. h/u/B/a/n/t: \_\_\_\_\_



c. l/s/a/B/d/n/h/g/e/a: \_\_\_\_\_



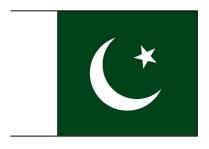
d. g/A/h/f/a/s/i/t/n/a/n:\_\_\_\_\_







f. l/a/M/v/i/d/e/s:\_\_\_\_\_



g. k/n/P/a/i/s/t/a:\_\_\_\_\_



h. S/a/r/i/L/n/a/k: \_\_\_\_\_



i. l/a/N/e/p:\_\_\_\_\_

3)  $\mathfrak{Q}\mathfrak{d}$  Practise the pronunciation of these countries. Listen and repeat.

4) Guess the nationalities. Look at these countries and languages and write the correct nationality in the space. Look at the example.

Afghan		Bangladeshi		Bhutanese	Indian
I	ranian	<del>Maldivian</del>	Nepali	Pakistani	Sri Lankan
Country		Nationality		Language	
a.	Maldives	Maldí	vían	Dhivehi	
b.	Afghanistan			Pashto; Dari	
c.	Nepal	<del></del>		Nepali	
d.	Bhutan			Dzongkha	
e.	India			Hindi; English	
f.	Iran			Persian	
g.	Bangladesh			Bengali	
h.	Pakistan			Urdu; English	
i.	Sri Lanka			Sinhala; Tamil	

- 5) (1) Practise the pronunciation of these nationalities and languages. Listen and repeat.
- 6) Let's practise the vocabulary from this lesson. Do this speaking activity in groups of 3-4.
  - You'll need a dice, and counter (e.g. a coin) for each player. If you don't have a dice, scan the QR code to the right.
  - On the board on page four, put your counters on 'Start'.
  - Roll the dice to move your counters along the board.
  - If you get a question, you must answer it correctly. If you don't, go back the same number of squares.
  - The winner is the first one to get to the 'Finish' square.



START	What languages do Pakistani people speak?	Miss A Turn	Which country has a lion on its flag?	What do we call people from Bhutan?	What colours are on the Indian flag?	Go Back 2 Spaces
What languages do Afghan people speak?	What do we call people from the Maldives?	What colours are on the Nepali flag?	What colours are on the Bangladeshi flag	Go Back 2 Spaces	What languages do Iranian people speak?	What language do Maldivian people speak?
Which country has a dragon on its flag?	What language do Sri Lankan people speak?	Go Forward 3 Spaces	What do we call people from Nepal?	What colours are on the Iranian flag?	What language do Indian people speak?	FINISH



 For more practice with the words you've learned here, scan the QR code for a set of flashcards. You can do some more study on the vocab in this lesson on your own with these. →



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