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## Day Two

# Settling In, Feeling at Home

## Part 1: Tricky phrases and words



→ Read these phrases and words **out loud** to your partner.

- after moving to Boston as a young teen
- But my parents promised that in time
- Naheed shows Mía her salwar kameez outfits
- Drape a scarf over your shoulders
- Mía gasps at the bright colors
  
- Naheed                      **NAH** | hed
- Bangladesh                bahng | luh | **DESH**
- Bengali                      ben | **GAH** | lee
- salwar kameez            sul | **WAHR**    kuh | **MEEZ**
- mosque                      **MAHSK**
- Bangladeshi                bahng | luh | **DESH** | ee



### Decoding practice:

- Find the vowels in these longer words.
- Write a v above each vowel.
- Count the vowels.
- Write the number of syllables in the word.
- Try clapping the syllables and say the word.

The first one is done for you.

B a n g l a d e s h <sup>v</sup> <sup>v</sup> <sup>v</sup> 3

A m e r i c a \_\_\_\_\_

B e n g a l i \_\_\_\_\_

s a l w a r \_\_\_\_\_

a m a z i n g \_\_\_\_\_

B a n g l a d e s h i \_\_\_\_\_



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// one minute

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### Part 2: Last read

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Naheed is a 14-year-old who was born in Bangladesh. She recalls her first days after moving to Boston as a young teen. "I didn't take to the city or to America at first. The freezing weather, the people, everything was so different. I felt so out of place! But my parents promised that in time, I would adjust and Boston would feel like home." 66

Naheed's parents were right. Now, Boston is really their home. Today, Naheed and her friend Mía stop at the corner store where Naheed's mother works. Both Bengali and American foods are for sale. For a snack, the girls buy a kind of packaged wrap that is stuffed with scrambled eggs, spicy ketchup, and onions. 79  
93  
109  
120

Back at Naheed's apartment, Naheed shows Mía her salwar kameez outfits. A salwar kameez is like a long dress. It has slits on the sides and is worn with pants. Drape a scarf over your shoulders, and you're all set. Mía gasps at the bright colors and the sparkling sequins. "Wow!" she says. "These are amazing!" 132  
150  
166  
176

"Naheed," Mía asks, "I don't mean to be rude, but don't all Muslim girls wear head scarves? Why don't you wear one?" Naheed explains that in Bangladesh, some girls cover their heads, while others don't. It's a personal choice. In the U.S., Naheed only wears a scarf when she goes to Friday prayers at the mosque. But she also likes to wear stylish jeans. "I'm both Bangladeshi and American. Switching clothes is part of who I am." 192  
205  
220  
237  
250  
253

### Part 3: Comprehension and discussion

When do you think Naheed wears jeans?

When might Naheed wear a salwar kameez?

Share answers with your partner.  We did this.