

Goals for Telugu Badi 2011-2012

At the end of each level, students are expected to meet the following requirements.

First Level

Telugu Alphabet

- Identify and write each letter in *achchulu* and *hallulu*

Vocabulary

- For each letter, able to say at least one word that starts with or has the letter in it. No need to write the full word.
- Numbers from 1-100
- Weekdays, colors, animals, things in and around the house. Vocabulary may be limited to those covered in the class.

Speaking

- Able to translate simple and small sentences from English to Telugu
- Memorize and recite at least one 'podupu katha' (riddle)
- Memorize and recite at least one 'padyam' (poem)

Second Level

Students are expected to meet all first level requirements before registering for second level.

Speak in Telugu

- Translate English sentences/phrases into Telugu
- Memorize and recite at least two 'podupu kathalu' (riddles)
- Memorize and recite at least two 'padyamulu' (poems)

Write in Telugu

- Listen to simple words and write them (dictation). The words for dictation/translation are picked from the word family provided to the students in classes. These include words formed using *gunintamulu* and *vattulu*

Read in Telugu

- Read simple phrases/sentences in Telugu. These include words formed using *gunintamulu* and *vattulu*

Vocabulary

In addition to the above, students are expected to know, in Telugu, body parts, tastes, month names, seasons (*rutuvulu*), relations, etc.