

Mishti

Mishti is a homemaker and insurance worker from Rajshahi. She is married to a farmer and has two sons one away in college and one at school. She has a very busy life where she has to take care of the family as well as fulfil the responsibilities of her job.

The job demands her to travel to the head office where often the bosses speak in English and she used to have difficulty understanding them. After learning English from the BBC Janala TV shows and mobile services she has become much more efficient in her work. She also practices English with her school going son Suvro who is in the 10th grade. They watch the shows together and practice with each other. Shuvro has also become much more confident like his mother after using BBC Janala and his teacher comments that the Janala method is much more efficient in teaching people how to communicate as opposed to the traditional academic methods that only focus on the pass rates of students.

Shubro wants to go abroad to study and become a doctor and both him and his mother feel BBC Janala services is going to help them on their journey.