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PREFACE

We praise and thank God Almighty, because with His abundant grace and permission, we were able to complete the book **“English Learning Based on Local Culture in West Java - Grade XI”**. This book was compiled to support and improve English language skills and knowledge of local culture in West Java.

This book was developed based on Learning Outcomes Phase F of the Merdeka Curriculum. This book contains chapters with material related to English language learning based on local culture in West Java.

In its compilation, this book has gone through several stages with great care and attention to detail. Therefore, we, as the team of compilers, hope that this book will be useful for teachers and students in facilitating the teaching and learning process.

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Sundanese Term	Meaning	Cultural Note
Anjeun	You (polite)	Used respectfully when addressing others.
Ayeuna	Now	Common in daily conversation.
Baal	Numb	Describes physical sensation, e.g., when sitting too long.
Baheula	Old times/long ago	Refers to traditions or the past.
Cicing	Be quiet/stay still	Commonly used by parents or elders.
Ceurik	Cry	Appears in Sundanese songs and proverbs.
Degig	Stingy	Negative personality trait.
Dayeuh	Town/city	Often in place names (e.g., Dayeuhkolot).
Engueh	Realize/aware	Common in advice or self-reflection.
Eungap	Out of breath	Common after running or working hard.
Goler	Lie down	Daily expression for resting.
Gapuy-gapuy	Ashes	Symbol of fire remains, impermanence.
Hade gogog hade tagog	Behave well in words and actions	Emphasizes the importance of politeness and good manners.
Hampura	Sorry/forgive	Polite way to apologize.
Hese	Difficult	Common in daily talk.
Indung	Mother	Central figure in Sundanese family life.
Indit	To go/leave	Very common verb.
Iwal	Except	Used in sentences as exclusion.
Jalma	Person/people	Very common word.
Jero	Inside/deep	Physical or metaphorical.
Jeung	And/with	Very frequent conjunction.
Karuhun	Ancestors	Important in Sundanese traditions.

Keneh	Still	Shows continuity in an action/state.
Lalangit	Sky	Symbolic in songs and poetry.
Lambe	Lips	Daily word.
Mangga	Please	Polite offer
Meureun	Maybe	Shows uncertainty.
Moal	Will not	Strong negation.
Nuhun	Thank you	Polite expression.
Nuju	Currently/on the way	Shows present action.
Opat	Four	Number.
Orok	Baby	Affectionate word.
Pakan	Feed	Usually for animals.
Pamali	Taboo	Refers to traditional prohibitions meant to preserve balance and harmony.
Palupuh	Bamboo mat	Traditional household item.
Pamohalan	Impossible	Daily expression.
Rembes	Seeping (water)	Describes slow leak.
Sadaya	All/everyone	Polite, inclusive
Sakadap	For a moment	Used in everyday talk.
Talenan	Cutting board	Kitchen tool.
Timbel	Rice wrapped in a banana leaf	Iconic Sundanese food.
Ujang	Boy	Affectionate nickname.
Unek-unek	Inner thoughts/complaints	Used in conversation.
Upami	If (polite)	Formal speech.
Wani	Brave	Positive trait.
Wangsit	Revelation/vision	Spiritual connotation.
Wilujeng	Safe/blessed/greetings	Used in greetings (e.g., Wilujeng enjing).
Yen	If	Common conjunction.

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