

# HARGA – words to do with ‘value, price, worth’

\* **Harga** minyak goreng naik lagi.

*The **price** of cooking oil went up again.*

\* Jangan tinggalkan barang **berharga** di dalam mobil.

*Don't leave **valuable** items inside the car*

\* Kelompok etnis itu sangat **menghargai** pendidikan formal.

*That ethnic group greatly **values** formal education.*

\* Pendidikan formal sangat **dihargai** oleh kelompok etnis itu.

*Formal education **is** greatly **valued** by that ethnic group.*

## Notes

\* **harga** (n): price, value

\* **berharga** (v): valuable, useful, worthy of esteem.

[The ‘ber-’ on ‘berharga’ means: to have, so ‘ber-harga’ = literally, ‘having value’]

\* **menghargai** (v): to value (something), respect (sth.), appreciate (sth.)

**Practice.** Say it in Indonesian. For each word in bold use a HARGA word. (Be ready to choose between *menghargai* and *dihargai* as needed.)

1. They often quarrel but they **respect** each other. [with ‘bertengkar’]

Mereka sering bertengkar tetapi mereka saling **menghargai**.

2. The wages are quite good and you’ll get **valuable** experience.

Gajinya cukup baik dan Anda akan mendapatkan pengalaman yang **berharga**.

3. If you buy clothes at the market, the **price** is cheaper.

Kalau membeli baju (or ‘pakaian’) di pasar **harganya** lebih murah.

4. S/he gave Hadi **valuable** / **useful** advice.

Dia memberi Hadi nasihat yang **berharga**.

5. That teacher feels she **is** not **appreciated** enough by her students.

Guru itu merasa kurang **dihargai** oleh para siswanya.

6. That small television -- how much is it? [i.e., ‘how much is its **price**?’]

Televisi yang kecil itu -- berapa **harganya**?

7. She has learned to **appreciate** her family more.

Dia telah belajar untuk lebih **menghargai** keluarganya.

8. The **price** of electric cars is still too high.

**Harga** mobil listrik masih terlalu tinggi.

9. Who's the most **precious** person in your life? [with 'hidup']

Siapa orang yang paling **berharga** dalam hidupmu?