

a little	yazaze	
abdomen	denebér	
Aboriginal descendant	dëne dédliné bets'ı́ ɣáne	
Aboriginal person	dëne dédliné	
above a location	yadók'e	
above me	sedaghe	
accident	huníla nádhër	
according to	begháré	
account		
ace of cards	lás	hɨlt' "there are" f peopl only
aces	lás	
ache	ɣełts'aɪ, hełts'aɪ	
across	yunásk'ëdhe	
across the road	tɨlu yunásk'ëdhe	
adult educator	ɣaɫneth honełtën	
adze / broad axe	ttheɫkár	
aerobics	náredí	
afraid, she/he/it is ...	neljër	
African / black person	dën delzën	
after	nadezı́	
after / following it	bek'íne	

after a while	thílet'u	
after it/him/her	bek'ééré	
after that	ʔeyër tɬ'ághe	
afternoon	dzɪdɪs tɬ'ághe	
again	tth'ɪ	
against (competition)	ʔeɬch'á	
against (leaning)	bek'ézɪ chanɪtɪ	
against it	bedá	
agreeable, she/he/it is ...	yek'órɪʔə	
agreement	ʔeɬk'éret'ə	
ahead	natthe	
airline pilot	ʔedzeret'áy t'ɪné	
Airline pilot	ʔedzeret'áy k'élnɪ	
airplane	dzeret'áy/dzëret'áy	
airplane propeller	dzeret'áy t'odhé	
airport	ʔedzeret'áy k'é/ ʔedzëret'áy k'é	
alcohol treatment centre	kúntúé ch'as nánét'ën kɥə	
alcoholic beverage	kúntúé	
alder	k'ái lesën	
Alexandra Falls	Náɪlɪcho	
algae	tehdlaré	

alive, she/he it is ...	hena	
alive, she/he/it ...	hena	
all day	harelyú dzɿ	
all night	harelyú tēdhe	
all of a sudden	ʔaxáts'ɿ	
all the time	k'etɿ'á ts'én	
all together	ʔalyú ʔahɿa	
almost	k'ájën	
alone	thën / ɿáɿt'e	
alone	then	
alright	ʔesát'ɿle	
also	chu	
although	hát'e húlí	
always /continuously	k'etɿ'áts'én	
alzheimer's	bení húle ʔaja	
American	Beschogh dēne	
American coot	ts'at'ën	
ammunition / bullet	ʔeɿk'íthcho / ɿɿgardúsh	
among	benɿs	
anchor	tezél	
Angel	yak'et'íne	
angry, she/he/it is ...	beník'éch'a	
Animals	ʔech'ɿdí/ch'ɿdí	

ankle	dënekechëne	
ankle bone	dënekegór	
announcements	nuwe ts'átı ha	
answer	bet'ás bets'én nayatı	
ant	ch'andíe	
anus	dënetthël	
anxious (worried), she/he/it is ...	nánıdhër	
anxious to ..., she/he/it is ...	beyé ııle	
anytime	t'ólásı	
anytime	t'olası	
apartment	küé ıelıyerılya	
apparently	hútó	
appendix	denets'ítsël	
apple	bădzaghé	
apple	bădzaghe	
April	Benııttthël Ză	
arctic fox	ts'ıbay	
arctic hare	gahcho(gh)	
Are you hungry?	Bér baıdhı-u?	
Are you thirsty?	Tu baıdhı-u?	
arena	tsăke küé	

argues, she/he/it ...	ʔełk'éch'adı	
argument	ʔełk'éch'a hadı	
arm	dënegáné	
army / soldier	dene xël dene	
around	benáre	
around	bebáne	
around it	benáre	
around it	benár	
arrow	k'á	
arthritis	yátsén dáda	
ashamed, she/he/it is ...	beghą horésją	
ashes	tthılés	
asleep, she/he/it is ...	thetı	
assembles, she/he ...	ʔasí ʔełk'élye	
assistant / helper	dëne ts'éńı	
assistant teacher	sekuı honełtën ts'éńı	
Assumption People	Tsát'ıné	
attendance	sekuı hultá	
August	Dzınedháze Zá	
away	bech'ązí	
away from	bech'ązí	
awl	tthal	

axe	tthen	
axe throwing	tthen yélyul	
baby	təłtsı, bebí	
baby	bebí	
baby bird	?ıyes tsıaze	
baby bunting bag (moss bag)	bəłtth'ú	
baby or newborn (recently born)	təłtsı, bebí k'aní denelı	
back	dənet'əs	
back door	yat'əs tıdá	
backbone	dənenən tth'ən	
backing a fishnet, she/he is ...	tabıl banałt'ı	
backwards	yuné ts'én	
bacon	gugúsh k'a	
bad	nezule / nezöle	
bad (situation), it is a ...	nezóıle / nezöle	
bad breath	bedhághé mə	
bad, she/he/it is ...	bejër	
bag	nałchéth	
baked fish	ıue t'éth	
baking powder	bet'á lézélyul	

ball game	dzol sats'edé	
band councilor	lɪshéf k'ínɪ theda	
Band councilors	lɪshéf k'ínɪ déltth'ɪ	
bank	tsəba kʉ̞	
bank	tsəba ku̞	
bank of river	łésbaláí	
bannock	łést'éth	
bannock (fish egg)	łue k'únt'éth	
baptism	bek'étaɪdzɪl	
bar (mud)	łéstélt'úr	
bar (sand)	łéstél	
bar/lounge	kúntué ts'eldél k'é	
barbeque	kún k'et'eth	
barber	denetthíghá k'et'ath dene	
barely	ʔestoʔílu	
barge	ts'ɪkár	
barn	ʔejëre kʉ̞	
barrel	líbarí	
barrel	líbarí	
barren lands	hazúghé	
barrenlands	hazúghe / hazú	
basement	dechëntélya	
basket (birchbark)	k'ɪtɪl	
basketball	dzol yélyul	

bat	tsá ret'áne	
bathing suit	beyé tú náts'edhër yúé	
bathtub	beyé dek'enáts'eltsıl	
bathtub	beyé dek'áts'eltsıl	
battered fish	łue łés hél thet'e	
beach	łéstél	
beaded jacket	ʔı ʔłłts'us t'á bek'e nánélkăă	
beading needle	ʔłłts'us thătł	
beads	ʔłłts'us	
beak	bedhá	
beans	jígay	
bear	sas	
bear (black)	sas delzën	
bear (brown)	sask'ós	
bear (cub)	sas yeaze	
bear (grizzly)	dléyze	
bear (polar)	sas delgay	
bear (yearling)	sas tháze	
Bear Lake People	Sastúét'ıné, Sastú dene	
bearberry, baneberry	sas jíé	
beard	dene daghá	
beaver	tsá	

beaver blanket (pelt of big beaver)	tsá neth dhéth	
beaver castor gland	tsálí	Land water anima not b
beaver jacket	tsá dhéth ɬ1	
Beaver Lake	Tsátúé	
beaver pelt	tsá dhéth	
Beaver people (Dene Ttha)	Tsát'íne	
beaver (largest)	tsá nedhé	
beaver (meat)	tsá tthén	
bed	dahte	
bed	dáhte	
bee	tł'ísthó	
beef	kuéɬejëre tthén	
beehive	tł'ísthót'ó	
beer	bír	
beetle (land)	tehtsá	
beetle (water)	tehtsá	
beets	k'ezeldél k'ozé	
before	betthe	
behind	bet'ąze	
behind it	bet'ązı	
behind it	bet'ązı	

behind the back	bet'ázı	
behind the back (talking)	yenáłtı	
bell	bátth'a	
belly button	denetth'é	
belt	thëth	
bench	dahchen	
berries	jíe	
berry bushes	jíet'áne	
beside it	begá	
beside it	begá	
between	begëze	
beyond that	beʔázı	
bible	ʔerehtł'íscho(gh)	
big	nechá / -cho	
Big Buffalo Lake	ʔejëretúcho	
Big Buffalo River	ʔejëretúdezé	
Big Dipper		
Big Eddy	K'áícheladare / ʔÓʔecho	
Big Narrows at Hornby Channel	ʔQkacho	
big scale sucker	guthchay	
Big Slough	Dıyághecho	
bill (owing)	berehtł'ís	

bingo	bingo	
binoculars	beyághe yet'ɿ	
birch	k'ɿ	
Birch Creek	K'ídestsëlé	
Birch Island	T'ānuaze	
Birch Point	K'íchelá	
bird's eggs	ʔɿyeze ghézé	
bird's nest	ʔɿyes t'o	
birth (defect)	ch'áríldhën	
birth control pill	sekuɿ ch'á náídíɿ	
birthday	bedzíné	
bishop	yaɭtɿ nedhé	
bitter	nɿts'ɿ	
black currant	núɭtsené	
black currants	nótsené	
Black duck	túlzɿ	
black/dark	delzën	
Blackbird	tɿ'otsáné	
blackbird	tɿ'otsáné	
blackfly	ʔoneltúne	
blackout	henal níle ʔaja	
blanket	ts'ër	
blanket	ts'ër	
blanket (feather)	ʔechus ts'ër	

bleeding, she/he/it is ...	dəl beghəretɫ'ír	
blind partially, she/he/it is ...	nat'ɫ chó íle	
blind, she/he/it is ...	nat'ɫ íle	
blinks, she/he/it ...	nagodhetɫɫ	
blizzard (drifting snow)	yəɫɫʒus or ʔezus	
blood	dəl	
blood (sample)	dəl híɫchu	
blood vessel	denech'úth / denech'údhé	
bloodsucker	hót'úɫ	
bloodsuckers / leeches	hút'úɫ	
blouse	ʔɫʒí	
blue	dehtɫ'ës	
blue (navy)	dehtɫ'ës delzën	
blueberries	tsəɫcho(gh)	
blueberry	tsəɫcho	
bluefish/grayling	ts'əɫt'ɫ	
boasts, she/he/it ...	desə yaltɫ	
boat / canoe	ts'ɫ	
boat motor propellor	tɫest'óth ké	

body	dënetth'ı	
boil	tthə xath	
boiled egg	ʔeghésbes	
boiled fish	ɭue thebes	
bolt	hadeth	
bone	tth'ën	
book	ʔerehtɭ'ıs	
boots (leather)	ʔejëre dhéth ke	
boots (rubber)	tudhél	
boots (winter)	xay ké	
born, it (animal) is ...	núnɭtɭ	
born, she/he (person) is ...	denelɭ	
born, they (animals) are ...	núnıla	
boss / manager	k'áldhër	
bottle	tutıl	
bottom	betɭ'aghe	
boulder	tthetsó	
bow	ʔɭtín	
bowl	tsân tth'áy	
box	lagés	
box	lagés	

box (cardboard)	ʔerehtł'ís tıl	
bracelet	denelachënë k'e thela	
brain	dënetthíghá	
brassier	denetth'údhéth	
bread	łést'édhulé	
bread (sliced)	łést'édhulé nát'ath	
breast	dënetth'úé/ dënetth'úwé	
breast	beyátthén	
breathes, she/he/it ...	hejí	
briefs (underpants)	tł'áʔıt'ár	
brightness	hıdı	
broke	sek'ęte or ch'ër dúe	
broken (arm)	begáné náte	
broken (leg)	betth'ënë náte	
broken (rib)	bechantth'ënë náte	
broken bone	tth'ën náte	
broom	yak'etı	
broth	tudhël	
brother (Roman Catholic)	denunaghe	
brown	ʔejëredële láht'ı	
brown sugar	súga tthoghé	
buffalo	ʔejëre	

buffalo hide	ʔejëre dhéth	
buffalo hide for sleeping on	detł'otél	
Buffalo River	ʔejëretúdezé	
buffaloberry / soapberry	tsádele	
Bufflehead	tł'á k'e gaze	
bug	gu	
building (big)	kyęcho	
building, she he is ...	ʔasí hełtsı	
bull moose	deníyané	
bulldog / horsefly	tł'ıs	
bumblebee	tł'ısthó	
burgundy	delk'os delzën láht'ı	
burnt (hand)	belá thet'e	
Burnt Island	Habainu	
burnt with fat	tłes t'á thet'e	
burnt, it is ...	bek'erı́k'ą	
burnt, she/he/it is ...	thet'e	
burps, she/he/it ...	narelkér	
bush camp	níanıs náts'edaı	
Bushman	Nánet'ıne	

but	kúlú	
butcher's knife	bescho	
butter	ʔejëretth'ú tles	
butterfly	gálímák	
buttock	dënetł'áh	
buttons	bánlay/bálay	
buys it, she/he ...	náyełní	
cabbage	t'ánchezaycho	
cabin	yeh	
cabin (abandoned)	thay kųę	
cache (on the ground)	tša	
cache (underground)	hehtša	
cache (up on a stage)	ts'ıltín	
caesarian section (C section)	sekuı begħa hılchu	
café	shéts'elyı kųę	
cafeteria	shéts'elyı kųę	
calendar	dzı ʔerehtł'ıs	
calf	dënelué/dëneluwé	
camera	bet'á denení ʔerehtł'ıs naltsı / bet'á denení ʔerehtł'ıs hılchu	
camp fireplace	kún k'é	

campfire / fire pit	kúnk'é	
cancer	gu dáda	
candle	k'ok'ën	
candy	náídíb̥ath	
cane	téth	
canned meat	sats̥ántɪl b̥ér	
canoe	nálz̥é ts'ɪaze	
canoe (birchbark)	k'ɪ ts'ɪ	
canoe (freighter)	ts'ɪ cho	
canoe (moosehide)	denídh̥éth ts'ɪ	
canoe (small)	ts'ɪaze	
canoe (sprucebark)	d̥ele t'ús ts'ɪ	
canyon	húʔa	
cards	xál	
caribou	ʔetth̥én	
caribou (female)	ts'úday	
caribou (meat)	ʔetth̥éntth̥én	
caribou (woodland)	t̥ahdzié	
caribou (young)	bedzɪaze	
caribou bull (with antlers spread wide)	bedzɪchogh	
Caribou Eater	ʔetth̥én d̥ele	
caribou hide	ʔetth̥én dh̥éth	
caribou hide for	detł'otél	

sleeping on		
Caribou Islands	ʔetthénué	
carpenter	dechën ʔeghálana dene	
carpentry	dechën ghálana	
carpet	dechëntél k'e thełchúth	
carrots	tthay	
carrying contained item(s) in his/her hands, she/he is ...	nakël	bowl, cup w witho liqui thing tray/ e NOT book human cat raven cloth stick paper
carrying large contained object, she/he is ...	nayełtıl	pail, suite groce , gas can, of th
carrying live object, she/he is ...	nałtel	baby, bird, puppy dog, fish,
carrying loose item(s), she/he is ...	nalel	rope, cloth duckl , loo spruc boughs
carrying on back, she/he is ...	nagel	meat, pack, spruc bough
carrying single	naʔël	hat, ball,

object, she/he is ...		book, shoe, rock, knife mud NOT alive stick like
carrying single soft item, she/he is ...	nałcheth	one p of pa or cl one g or so sweat jacke pants
carrying stick-like object, she/he is ...	nayetɬl	stick chris tree, shove broom chair
carrying two or more items, she/he is ...	nalel	boots glove birds babie
cartridge bag (shell bag)	ʔełk'íthcho dhéth	
cash register	tsąba tıle	
cashier/banker	tsąba betɬ'azí huk'ır dene	
cat		
cat	bálaychíze or busí	
cat (young)	bálaychízeze	
catches on (quickly), she/he ...	ʔeghą yenerení	
catches, she/he/it ...	hıɬchu	
caterpillar	hunejën/ ʔunejën	

cattail	k'álachus	
cattle	kué ɤejëre	
cattle (female)	ts'úda	
cattle (male)	ɤejëreyané	
cave	haɤa	
cavity (body)	dënezí yághe	
cavity in tooth	dëneghú k'úrɤɤa	
ceiling	yudók'e	
cement	tthe déɤtur	
centre, middle	tanɤzɤ	
cereal	k'abɤdënéɤ	
chainsaw	dechën bes	
chair	dáhchën	
chair	dáchën	
chalkboard, whiteboard	bek'e ɤerehtɤ'ís	
charcoal	t'és	
charcoal	t'és	
checkers	k'ot'áy	
cheek	denetɤ'atthën	
cheekbone	denetɤ'atthën tth'én	
cheerful / happy, she/he is ...	bahurélyɤ	
cheese	chɤz	

cheque	chek	
chest	dënedzəghe	
chickadee	dalats'usɪaze	
chicken	bálay k'ásba	
chicken (meat)	bálay k'ásba tthén	
Chief of band	lɪshéf	
Chief of band	ʔeɪtth'ɪ yaɪtɪ	
child	sekuɪ	
childbirth (she is having a baby)	sekuɪ deneɪé	
children's games	sekuɪ zané	
chill, she/he/it has a ...	dënetth'ɪe theɪk'ëth	
chin	deneyédá	
Chipewyan	Dëne dédlɪné	
chipmunk	təɪgús	
Chize Creek	Chízdes	
chocolate bar	ɪejëredël	
Christmas	Tëdhe Yatɪ	
Christmas star	ɪetthén gay	
church	yaɪtɪ kʷe	
church bell (small)	yaɪtɪkʷe bátth'a	
church bell ringing	yaɪtɪkʷe satsán deltsër	
city	kʷe nedhé	

clam	hút'úi	
claps, she/he/it ...	ʔeʔekár	
classroom	yízı sekui honeʔtën kuę	
claw	beke gáné	
clay (white)	hatł'ésgayé	
clean	delk'ël	
cleaning fish, she/he is ...	ʔue sele	
clears his/her throat, she/he ...	delká	
clergyman	that'iné yałtı	
Clerk or secretary or postal worker	ʔerehtł'ís k'élnı dene	
cliff	thegér	
cliff (ridges)	thegér lar	
climbs she/he/it ...	ʔekálgër	
close to	nedhíle	
close to water's edge	tabą ts'ín nedhíle	
closet	beyé yú dathela	
clothing	yú	
clothing store	yú nání kuę	
cloud	k'oth	
cloud	k'oth	
cloud (fairweather)	sadı k'oth	

cloudberrries	nadláre	
cloudberry	nadláre	
cloudy (weather)	k'oth yághe	
club	xél	
clubs	k'ásba ké	
coal	t'és	
coal oil lamp	nátłezé	
coat (long)	ʔ1 neth	
cocoa, hot chocolate, (bison blood)	ʔejëredël déthtur	
coffee	lígafí	
coffee	lígafí	
coffee pot	lígafí tıl	
coffin	denetth'ën dechëntıl	
coin toss	satsánaze yélyul	
coins / change	satsánaze	
cold (bitter)	ʔedza dúe	
cold (how cold is it?)	ʔedlánélt'e hak'ath nélʔa?	
cold (object)	nek'ëth	
cold (weather)	ʔedza	
cold (weather)	ʔedza	
cold sore	dënedhá ka	
cold wind	nıłts'1 náít'ëth	

cold, she/he has a ...	dekoth yada	
colder (becoming)	honék'ath ʔane	
collapses, she/he it ...	náɫkár	
collar	k'othkéɫ	
collar bone	denet'ághos	
colt	ɫɫchoaze	
coma person is in a ...	dëne k'órelyáɫle	
comb	tthí ts'í	
Come here (a group)	kozɫhudél or kuzɫhudél	
Come here (one person)	kozɫgal or kuzɫgal	
Commands		
communion	dënedhát'a	
community hall	ʔelénats'ethdíl kʷɛ	
complaining, she/he is ...	ts'áyaɫtɪ	
computer (metal thing with a mind)	satsán bení hʷɫɫ	
coney / inconnu	beghúle	
confused, she/he is ...	ʔedurelyáɫle	
congratulations	súghá nejá	

convent/ residential school	dënexar kųę	
cook	běr káłtéth dene	
cook (open fire)	kúní het'eth	
cookies	łést'éth lekën	
cooking fish on the fire, she/he is ...	kún ní łue ɤelt'eth	
cooking oil	bet'á bēr kat'eth tles	
cooking pot	beyé bestıł	
cooking, she/he is ...	ɤelt'eth	
cool	honék'athaze	
cool (object)	ník'ëth	
cool (weather)	huník'ëth	
corner	yats'ël	
cost	t'arįłtı	
couch	dáhchencho	
cougar	no word	
coughs, she/he/ıt ...	delkoth	
coughs, she/he/ıt ...	delkoth	
counsellor	dene hél yałtı dene	
country (possessed land)	nën	
Counts them, she/he ...	yułtágh	

cowboy hat	ts'ah bałkël	
coyote	nunitsël	
crack in the ice	tën heltël	
crackers	łést'éth gënë	
cramp	hełdo	
cramp in leg, she/he/it has a ...	betth'ënë héłdo	
cranberry (highbush)	dení jí	
cranberry (low bush)	ʔenetł'ér	
crane	del	
cranky, she/he is ...	hatthereltsa	
crayons	ʔerehtł'ís chëne ʔełk'ech'arát'ł	
crazy, she/he is ...	huneníle	
cream	ʔejëretth'ú	
credit	ʔerehtł'ís t'á	
Cree	ʔená	
creek (junction)	łídlł	
cries, she/he/it ...	hetsagh	
cross	k'óntsër	
cross-eyed	nask'édhe	
crosswind	náníłts'ł	
crow	datsátsël	
crowberry	datsá jí	

cruel, she/he is ...	bejër	
cup	ledí tth'áy	
cupboard	tth'áy k'é	
curtain	jak'ébél	
curtains	jak'ébél	
curved knife (crooked knife)	bes xáth	
cut	het'áth	
cute (living thing)	ɬaxɿlt'e	
cutting firewood, she/he is ...	kún detthél	
dall sheep	bálaytthén	
damp	hazo	
dance	dazadíl	
dancing, she/he is ...	daltɿɿ	
darkness	horelt'ɿle / hílya	
darts	---	
dawn	yéɿkə	
dawn (before)	yeɿká	
day	dzɿne / dzɿ	
day (all)	horelyú dzɿn k'e	
day (end)	dzɿ ɬodhër	
day (every)	dzɿne tanélt'u	

day (following)	yunedhe dzǐ k'e	
day (lengthening)	dzǐ dínéth ɿane	
day (next)	yunedhe dzǐ k'e	
day (one)	łá dzǐ	
day (shortening)	dzǐ hídu	
day (that)	ɿeyër dzǐ k'e	
day after tomorrow	k'abǐ ts'udhëré	
day before yesterday	hunídzię ɿatthe	
day/daylight	dzǐdhe	
daybreak, dawn	yéłkǎ	
daycare	sekuı k'ání kuę	
days (3 days ago)	taghe dzǐ húdhër or taghe dzǐ nís	
days (many days ago)	halǎdzın húdhër	
daytime	dzǐdhe	
dead, she/he/it ...	łáǐdhër	
dead, she/he/it is ...	łáǐdhër	
deadfall	níne	
Deadman's Island	Denethítth'ënué	
deaf, she/he ...	ts'edǐ	
December	Tëdhe Yatı Zǎ, Tedhe Yatı Zǎ	
deer (female)	yáhtǝ dets'íe	Bot typ

deer (jumping)	yáhtɔ	
deer (male)	yáhtɔ deyedhe	
Dene games	denek'ís sats'edé	
Dene Suline teacher	Dene yatı honeltën	
dental (assistant)	deneghú hále dene ts'énı	
dentist	deneghú hále dene	
depressed (sad), she/he ...	ts'áıdhën	
depressed, she/he is ...	ts'ánıdhën	
desert	thay nën	
desk	bek'e ɪerehtł'ís ghálada	
Dettah	T'éschelá	
Dettah People	T'éschelat'ıné	
devil	yedáıslıne / yedáıslınlı	
dew	bélzo	
diabetes	súga dáda	
diamonds	lígarú	
diaper rash	bebı betł'á delk'os	
diarrhea	beyá tatłır	
diced meat	bér nát'ath	
dictionary	ɪerehtł'íscho / bet'á yatı hulıa	
died, she...	łáıdhër	

different	ʔeɫk'éch'a / ʔedý	
dipper	tu tth'áy	
dirty	hedze	
disease	dáda	
dish cloth	ténélcheth	
dish pan	beyé tth'áy k'áłts'ıl	
dish towel	dashó	
dishes/dish	tth'áy	
dislikes him/her/it, she/he ...	yenélıle	
dislocation	ʔeɫghəkér	
ditch (plowed)	niúɫch'ël	
dizzy, she/he is ...	betthí hunenıle	
Do you like (food)...?	(Bér) neba ɫekën-u?	
Do you like fish?	ɫuetthén neɫkën-u?	
dock	ts'ık'é	
doctor	náídí k'órelyə	
Does it hurt?	Eyá-u?	
doesn't matter	ʔesát'ıle	
dog	ɫɫ	
dog (bitch)	ɫɫts'é	
dog (husky)	etthén nálɫə	
dog (pup)	ɫɫaze	

dog blanket	łł ts'ér	
dog chain	łł ɤeɭzus tɭ'ulé	
dog harness	łł batɭ'ulé	
dog house	lł kųę	
dog sleigh	lł bethchënë	
dog (small)	łłtsalaze	
doghouse	łłkųę	
Dogrib	Łłchą	
dogsled	lł beschënë	
dollar	tsąba	
door	tłdá	
doorknob	tłdá k'e theɤą	
dowel	dechen hatsél	
down	betth'ıs chus	
down	yuyaghé	
down	yuyaghé	
down	yuyaghé	
down river/ downstream	nɪłł k'ízí	
down south	yunághé	
downward	dáɤa	
downwind	becha níłts'ɪ	
draft	hak'ëth	
dragonfly	thísh yële	

dreams, she/he/it ...	náte	
dress	ʔl	
dress shoes	dechënke	
dresser	beyé yú thela	
dresser	beyé yú thela	
drifting snow	yǎɿzus	
driftwood	deth	
driftwood for fire	deth tsës	
drill	denebére hadedhé	
drinking glass	ɬur tth'áy	
drinking, she/he is ...	hedǎ	
drinks, she/he/it ...	yedǎ	
drools, she/he ...	bezé dárɪltɬ'ul	
druggist (pharmacist)	náídí deneghǎle	
drum	ʔelghël	
drum dance	ʔelghël t'á dats'eldíl	
drumming	ʔelghël	
dry beans	jígay	
dry cow moose	deníts'íké	
dry firewood	tses détsës	
dry soup	bél heches	
dryer	beyé yú narejá	
dryfish	ʔelddháý	

dryfish	ʔeɭddháy	
drymeat	ʔegënë	
duck	chëth	
duck (black)	túlzɿ	
duck (mallard)	chëth cho(gh)	
duck (spoon bill)	daskáre	
duck (teal)	ʔedzuaze	
duck meat	chëthtthën	
duffle	tël	
dull/gloomy	hɿdɿle	
during	burata	
dusk	habadhel	
dusk	habadhel	
dust	ts'ér	
eager, she/he/it is ...	nandíl	
eagle	det' ancho(gh)	
eagle (golden)	det' ancho(gh)	
eagle feather	det' ancho(gh) t' á	
ear	dënedzaghé	
ear	bedzaré	
ear (inner)	denedzaghéyé	
earache, she/he has an ...	bedzághé heɿts' aɿ	
earbone	denedzaghé tth'ën	

eared grebe	nótáh	tea
earlobe	denedzaghétłuré	
earmuffs	denedzaghé k'e thela	
earrings	dzátł'õn	
earth	ní	
earthworm	níe tłureze	
Easter	Naídáı Dzıné	
Easter	Nadaí dzın	
eastwind	ʔetthıze níłts'ı	
easy	búrenı	
eating fish, he/she is ...	łue ghą shétł	
eating, she/he is ...	shétł	
eats, she/he/it ...	shétł	
eclipse of the moon	ʔełdzı ʔełt'áıʔa	
eclipse of the sun	sa ʔełt'áıʔa	
Edmonton	Kuenedhé	
educated, she/he is ...	nezõ honéłtą	
egg	ʔeghés	
egg	ʔeghés	
egg flipper / spatula	bet'á ʔeghés naret'a	
Egg Island	ʔeghésnué	
egg toss (more than two people)	ʔeghés ʔelts'én nats'eldıl	

egg toss (two people)	ʔeghés ʔelts'ën nats'elyíl	
eggs	ʔeghézé	
eight	ʔełk'édɿ	
eight hundred	ʔełk'édɿnona	
eight people	ʔełk'édɿ hɿlt'e	
eighteen	ʔełk'édɿdhel	
eighty	ʔełk'édɿona	
elbow	dënets'úzé	
elder	ʔaɿneth	
electrician	kún tɿ'ulé dzërét'ɿ	
electricity	ʔídí kún	
eleven	ʔɿłághadhel	
eleven people	łághedhel hɿlt'e	
embarrassed, she/he is ...	dédoréɿní	
ember	t'és dék'ën	
ember	t'és détht'a	
embroidered jacket	ʔɿ bek'e nánéłkãã	
embroidery thread / silk	lasué	
encyclopedia	ʔarelyú ts'ɿ ʔerehtɿ'ís	
English	That'ıné	
enjoys, she/he is ...	benárést'ɿ	

entry of Big Buffalo River	ʔejëretúdesche	
envelope	ʔerehtł'ís dhéth	
epilepsy	neghël	
eraser	bet'á ʔerehtł'ís chën k'é húle ʔëlʔł	
even if	kúlú	
evening	híłts'ín	
evening	híłts'ën	
evening	híłts'ën	
evening (this)	dúhíłtsën	
every	betánélt'u	
evil, she/he is ...	bejëre	
excuse me	k'aré	
expensive	détı	
expensive	détí	
extension cord	ʔídí kún tł'ulé	
eye	benaghé	
eyebrow	dënetth'ıdagh	
eyelash	dënenagódhé	
eyelid	denenal dhéth	
eyes	dënenághé	
eyesight (good)	nat'ł	
eyesight (poor)	nat'ł chóıle	

face	dënené	
face cloth	t'ázëldaaze	
faints, she/he ...	bek'úduth	
falcon	jíscho(gh)	
fall	xait'ází	
falling star	ʔetthén nátł'ır	
falls down, she/he/it ...	náltth'ër	
fan	nıłts'ı hethdëth	
fat	thek'á	
fawn	yáhtqaze	
fear (she/he is afraid)	neljër	
feast	násué	
feather	ʔechuzé	
feather blanket	ʔechus ts'ër	
February	Sa Nedúe Zá	
federal government	nígha k'áldhër	
feeling sick, she/he is ...	ʔeya déredí	
feels poorly, she/he ...	beba huzúle	
fence	bálch'ą	
ferry	ts'ı beschënë nalı	

fetal monitor	bet'á sekui bechə theda hurétth'ə	
fever	nédhəl ʔayílthən	
few/little bit	yazeze	
fiddle	tł'uetɿ	
fiddle dance	tł'uetɿ t'á dats'edíl	
field	hagái	
fifteen	Sɔládhel	
fifty	selóna	
fifty cents	selóna satsánaze or tanıs tsəba	
file	hak'əl	
file	hak'əl	
filing cabinet	ʔerehtł'ís beye thela	
film projector	bet'á ʔerehtł'ís náda ʔulʔɿ	
finally	k'adhı	
finger	dənelatth'alé	
finger (little)	denelatth'altsəleze	
finger pull	denelatth'ál t'á ʔełnázelt'ı	
fingernail	dənelagéné	
fire	kún	
fire	kún	

fire (burning out)	kún netthıth	
fire (burning)	kún dek'ën	
fire (put the fire out!)	kún nıłtıth	
fire (start the fire!)	kún dıłk'ą	
fire alarm	kún ts'ı satsán ɤezıl	
fire drill	kún dé ha dën honeltën	
firefighter	kún k'ade dene	
firefly	tehtsá	
fireman	kún dene	
fireplace	kún k'é	
fireplace	beyárek'un	
fireweed	gúdhe	
firewood	kún tses	
first one/first time	ɤattherú	
fish	łue	
Fısh		
fish	łue	
fish (split)	łue ɤełk'enıt'ath	
fish backbone	łueněntth'ën	
fish cheeks	łuetł'atthén	
fish chowder	łuechás	
fish chowder	łue cházé	

fish cooking on open fire	łue t'ésk'et'éth	
fish eggs	łuek'uné	
fish esophagus	łuedhé	
fish fins	łuegháy	
fish gall bladder	łuetł'ézé	
fish gills	łuek'és	
fish guts	łuechane	
fish head	łuetthí	
fish hook	jéth	
fish leftovers	łuezáze	
Fish live in water.	Łue tué náde.	
fish mouth	łuedhá	
fish patties	łue dól	
Fish Point	Łuechelá	
fish scales	łuegúth	
fish slime	łuetł'és	
fish stage	łue ts'łłtín	
fish stomach	łuebér	
fish tail	łueché	
fish teeth	łueghú	
fishbone	łuetth'éné	
fisher	thacho	
fisherman	łue kanıdhën dene	

fisherman	łue nádhër dene / łue hanıdhën dene	
fishing, he/she is ... (with a rod)	jéth theda	
fishing, she/he is ...	lue gha nádhër	
fishnet	tabıl	
fishnet needle	tth'ëlchën	
five	sılaghe	
five hundred	solónona	
five people	sıla hılt'e	
fixing a canoe, she/he is ...	ts'ı séle	
flashlight	kúnaze	
flat	dekél	
flea	yá	
flesher	ııghol	
flexible	heıbí	
flint	k'éł	
float	tth'áıdzér	
float plane	tu k'e naneltłı dzeret'áy	
flood	hılban	
floor	dechëntél	
flour	lés	

flower	t'anchay	
flower	t'áanchay	
flu epidemic	dáda nedhé	
fly	ts'uze/ts'us	
fly (small)	tsáts'uze	
fog	ɿets'él	
food	beghə shéts'elyɿ	
food poisoning	ɿenélɰdel	
foolish, she/he is ...	ɿeyɯne dí't'ɿ	
foot	dëneké	
foot	beké	
foot (bone)	denekétth'én	
football / soccer	dzol dzérelɿɿth	
foothill	shét'a	
footwear	ke	
for (them)	beba	
for him/her/it	beba	
for him/her/it	beba	
for me	seba	
for me	seba	
for us	nuweba	
for us	nuweba	
for you	neba	
for you	neba	

forefather	tháydene	
forehead	dēnets'atth'én	
forest fire	níe k'orek'á	
forestry officer	dechēn hałnı dene	
forever	t'ats'én ts'én or belą húle ts'én	
forgets, she/he is ...	henalníle	
fork	bágol	
forks (of river)	des ɤełk'edlı	
Fort Chipewyan	K'áítél Kué	
Fort Fitzgerald	Tthebatthı	
Fort Norman	Tułít'a	
Fort Norman People	Tułít'at'ıné	
Fort Providence	Yałtı Neth Kué	
Fort Providence People	Yałtı Nedhé Kuęet'ıné	
Fort Rae	Nushéth	
Fort Rae People	Bescho Kuęet'ıné	
Fort Reliance	Tache	
Fort Resolution	Denínu Kué	
Fort Resolution People	Denínut'ıné	
Fort Simpson	Łıdlı Kué	
Fort Simpson People	Łıdlı Kuęet'ıné	

Fort Smith	Tthebacha	
Fort Smith People	Tthebachat'ɿné	
fortunately	bets'érénít'á	
forty	dɿona	
foul-mouthed, she/he is ...	bedhá hasɿine	
four	dɿghɿ / dɿɿ	
four hundred	dɿónona	
four people	dɿ hɿlt'e	
fourteen	dɿɿadhel	
fox	nagídhe	
fox (black)	nagídhe zën	
fox (cross)	nagídhe ch'át'ɿ	
fox (red)	nagídhe tthoé	
fox (silver)	tsɿamba nagídhe	
fox(arctic)	ts'íbay	
fox(cross)	ɿethgédhe	
fox(white)	ts'íbay	
fox-tail	tɿ'ok'á	
free (no charge)	ɿesdeníé	
freezer	tën kɿɿ	
freezer	beyé ɿasí ɿetën	
freezes to death,she/he/it ...	hethdlɿ	

freeze-up	detën	
freeze-up (time of season)	tëntsël	
freighter canoe	ts'ıcho	
French	Bálay	
fresh fish	łue góth	
Friday	łuets'eldél Dzıné	
fridge	beyé ıasí nek'ëth thela	
fried bannock	tłézé ıúle	
fried egg	ıeghést'éth	
fried fish	łue tles hél thet'e	
fried meat	tles hél bér thet'e	
friendly, she/he is ...	dene nélı	
frightened she/he/it is ...	hélghëth	
frog	ts'aılı/ts'aıle	
frog	ts'áyle, ts'ále	
frog (bull)	ts'ále cho	
frog (little)	ts'áleze	
from	jąts'ı / -ts'ı	
from him/her/it/them	bets'ı	
from him/her/it/them	bets'en	
from inside	beyághe ts'ı	
from me	sets'ı	

from me	sets'en	
from over there	yuwé ts'ɿ	
from under	beyaghe ts'ɿ	
from us	nuwets'ɿ	
from us	nuwets'en	
from where	ʔedlínɿ ts'ën	
from you	nets'ɿ	
from you	nets'en	
frost (crystals)	bets'ël	
frost (on trees)	bets'ël	
frostbite	heɭtën	
frozen ear	bedzá heɭtën	
frozen feet	beké daíítën	
frozen fish	ɭue lu	
frozen foot	beké heɭtën	
frozen hand	belá heɭtën	
frozen hands	belá dáítën	
fruit	jíé	
fruit, berries	jíé	
frying pan	ɭuscho	
frying pan (cast iron)	ɭuscho detə / labuéɭ	
full moon	ʔeɭdzɿ danélʔə	
funeral	denetth'ën senɿtɿ	

fur	detł' o(gh)	
fur hat	detł' o(gh) ts' ah	
furnace	beyé tles dék' un	
gall bladder	denetł' és	
gall stones or kidney stones	tthe t' á ɣeyalɿ	
game birds (meat)	háltsëltthén	
game warden	ɣejëre k' élní	
games	są	
garage	beschën tselɿ kɤ	
garbage can	beyé ɣasɿ ɣaldel tɿl	
garbage truck	t' asích' élé ɣaldél beschënë	
garden	níu neshek' é	
gargles, she/he ...	bek' ázé nátanɿłxés	
gas	tles	
Gaudet Bay	Tł' ázacho(gh)	
gee whizz	naredɿ	
generous (shares food)	tháhuredɿ	
generous (shares things)	ɣeghątsénle	
generous, she/he is ...	hats' únuní	
geologist or	tthe káneta dënë	

prospector		
gestures, she/he ...	dzínłłnı	
gets up, she/he ...	níya	
ghost	ʔeyune	
Give it to me (to keep)	sałʔá	
give me	segháłʔá / sáłʔá	
Give me five	sɔlághe sałʔá	
gizzard (bird)	ʔets'és	
glass	łúr	
gloves	lajıs	
gloves (beaded)	lajıs bek'e nánéłkăă	
glue	bet'á ʔasí łíłt'us	
Go away (a group)	yuʔáné ʔarót'ł or yuʔánolt'ł	
Go away (one person)	yuʔáné net'ł	
God	Nółtsıne	
goes to bed, she/he/it ...	nıtí	
gold	tsăba deltthogh láht'ł	
gold eye	łút'éth	
good	nezɔ / nezı	
good bye (I will see you again.)	nanest'ł lasă	

Good Friday	Łuets'eldél Dzıné Nedhé	
gooseberry (“thorn berry”)	daghós jíé	
gossiping	ɤełná yałtı	
government (territorial)	jądızí néné ts'én k'áldhër	
government employee	nígha k'áldhër chëlekúí	
grain	tł'olá	
grainfield	tł'olá neshek'é	
grass	tł'o	
grass, weed	tł'o(gh)	
grasshopper	ɤurátthén	
gravel	tthedhı	
Gravel Ridge	Ttheshéthɤaze	
graveyard	denetth'énk'é	
gravy	tłéschás	
gray	delba	
grayling	ts'ąıt'ı	
grease	tłes	
Great Bear Lake	Sastúé	
Great Slave Lake	Tu Nedhé / Łuedhé Dusts'él Tué	
grebe	nótáh	
greedy for food,	bedhénıt'ı	

she/he is ...		
greedy, she/he is ...	ʔasí ghə h́utł'eth nıdhen	
green	dzeretł'es láht'ı́ or t'ánchezay láht'ı́	
green (dark)	dzeretł'es delzën láht'ı́ or t'ánchezay delzën láht'ı́	
green (light)	dzeretł'es delbes	
green wood	dedlın	
grill	bek'et'éth	
grindstone	tthe nareltth'el	
groans, she/he ...	k'uredı	
ground	nı́	
ground meat	bér náldëth	
ground pork	gugúshtthén náldëth	
groundhog	tthëlı́	
grouse (ruffed)	ʔetthëre	
grouse (sharp-tailed)	ʔełtáyðhe	
grouse (spruce)	dıh	
grown up, she/he/it is ...	néyą	
grows, she/he/it ...	neye	
grub box	tth'áy tıl	
guard	dene k'élnı́ dene	

guard	dene hałnı dene	
gums	deneghutthén	
gun	ʔełk'ídhe	
gun case	ʔełk'íth k'á	
Gwich'in (Loucheux)	Degéth Dëne or Degéth Dene	
gym	sekuı sade kųę	
hail	yathlu	
hailstorm	yathlu natł'ír	
hair (body)	denetth'ıghá	
hair on head	dënetthíghá	
hairstresser	denetthíghá sełʔı dene	
haireater (long-horn beetle)	thíghaldél	
hairy caterpillar	k'áígú	
half	tanızı	
Halloween	ʔeyun Dzıné	
hallway	ʔełtónıʔa	
hammer	líbardú	
hand	dënelá	
hand (back of)	denelat'as	
hand games	dódzı	
Hand it to him/her	bela tł'á hunını	
Hand it to me	sela tł'á hunını	

handicraft shop	ʔenélkə kʷə	
handkerchief	k'othchëth	
happy, she/he is ...	bahorélyə	
hard (situation)	húrenɪle / búrenɪle	
hard (thing)	deyér	
hard (to untie)	bek'et'ar húrenɪle or búrenɪle	
hard of hearing, she/he/it is...	dziút'ɪle	
hard/difficult	búrenɪle	
harvest	t'así hozelʔɪ	
hat	ts'ah	
hat	ts'ah	
hates it, she/he is ...	yenélɪle	
Have a seat (one person)	thɪda	
Have some food (to one person)	Bér begħə shénetɪ.	
Have some food. (to more than one person)	Bér begħə shúlyɪ.	
hawk	ʔeyíz ʔeldél	
Hay River	Hátɫ'odesche	
Hay River People	Hátɫ'odeschet'ɪné	
head	denetthí	

head	betthí	
head (back of)	denetth'íe	
head (top of)	denetthít'a	
head scarf	tthíts'ełchëth	
headache, she/he has a ...	betthí ɣeya	
headwind (upwind)	seréłts'ı	
heals, it ...	nají	
health (poor)	ɣaténáıle	
healthy	ɣaténa	
hearing (hard of)	dziút'ı choıle	
hears it, she/he ...	yerítth'a	
hears, she/he/it ...	dítth'a	
heart	dënedzié	
heart attack, she/he has a ...	bedzié nádher	
heartburn	shátth'ën	
heaven	yak'e	
heavy	nedáth	
heel	dënekełtálé	
hell	yedáıslı kúę or t'abesłı kúę	
helpful, she/he is ...	hats'únuní	
here	jə	

hide on a frame	torílchëth	
hide-n-seek	ɿeɭch'á nádezelɿí	
high blood pressure	bedzí hýtɭ'éth ɿeghálana	
high-heeled shoe	bekéthtél nárɿdha	
highway	bethchén tɿlu	
hill	shéth	
hill (high country)	dáthlaí	
hill (sloping down)	shéth dáɿa	
hill (sloping up)	shéth káɿa	
hill (top)	shéthlaí	
hillside	shétht'a	
him/her	be-	
hip	dëneɿádhé	
hip waders	tudhél nenéth	
hockey	satsánke sats'edé	
hoe	ts'és tthen / ts'ús tthen	
holds , she/he/it ...	yutún	
hole	hayúnɿá	
hollow (depression)	hús / húzé	
home brew	jítué or jítú	
honey	tɭ'ɿsthó tsáné	
honeybee	tɭ'ɿsthó	
hood	ts'ahtth'ú	

Hook Island	Jéthnué	
hopeful, she/he is ...	danánıdhën	
hops around, she/he/it ...	yákay	
horned grebe	nótáh	
horse	łıcho(gh)	
horse (mare)	łıcho dets'í	
horse (stallion)	łıcho deyath	
horsefly	tł'ıze	
hospitable, she/he is ...	nezq dën ʔalthën	
hospital	ʔeya kųę	
hot	nédhël	
hotel/motel	nats'etıs kųę	
hour	sadzıé	
house	kųę	
house (empty)	kųę tth'ënë	
house (small)	kųęze	
house/dwelling	kųę	
how	ʔedlát'u	
how	ʔedlát'u	
how are you	ʔedlánet'e	
How are you?	ʔedlánet'e-a?	
how come	ʔedlát'e-a	

how is she/he/it	ʔedlát'e	
how much	ʔedlánélt'e-a	
however	hát'e húlí	
hung fish (stick fish)	ʔue daʔtʔtʔ	
hungry, she/he/it is ...	běr badhı	
hunter	nálzé dëne	
hunting, she/he is ...	nálze	
hurts, it ...	ʔeya	
hymn	yaʔtıküé dats'ejën	
hypodermic needle	thəʔtʔl bet'á denígu	
hypothermia	gájën hedlı	
I don't like fish.	ʔuetthén heskënle.	
I guess so	hát'esá	
I like fish.	ʔuetthén heskën.	
I'm fine.	ʔesást'ele	
I'm happy you came to me. (Use this to say "You're welcome.")	Siníe seghə níya.	
I'm hungry.	Běr basthı.	
I'm not hungry.	Běr basthı-le.	
I'm thinking about	Beghə nánısthër./	

ıt.	Benánısthër.	
I'm thirsty.	Tu bastı.	
ıce	tën	
ıce (black, with no snow)	tënts'ı	
ıce (candle)	ɿethír	
ıce (floating)	tën heɿúl or tën ɿeɿúl	
ıce (hanging, hollow)	tën dhul(e)	
ıce (hard)	tën deyër	
ıce (rotten)	tën tsıdhër	
ıce (rough)	tën jër(e)	
ıce (starting to freeze)	detën	
ıce (thick)	tën detë	
ıce (thin)	tën ts'et'ël	
ıce break-up	ıuegós	
ıce breakup on river	ıuregú / ıuregós	
ıce chısel	ekıt'a / ɿedé	
ıce fog	tetsélé	
ıce hummock	tën heıyúl	
ıce jam	tën ɿelt'ąıjër	
ıce ridge	ıuryıs	
ıcicle	ıur	
ıf	ɿaxą	

illness (chronic)	bonelthır	
illness (serious)	ɿeya dúwe	
illness (terminal)	hena haíle	
imagines, she/he is ...	benada bóret'ɿ	
immediately	dúredëné	
impetego	ɿegheth dáda	
impossible	dué	
improved (better)	k'adhı	
improves, she/he ...	k'áthı ɿane	
in front of it	benada or benedhe	
in front of it	benada or beneth	
in future	yunedhé haɿa or yunéth haɿa	
in it	beyé	
in it	beyé	
in the future	hunédhé	
in the house	kúę yızı	
in the house	kuę yızı	
in the middle of it	tanızɿ	
in the middle of it	tanızɿ	
in the past	húdhër	
in the way	nuets'ú	
in vain	ɿasí kaile	
including	bél	

inexpensive	détíle	
Ingraham Trail	Ingraham T̥lué	
ink	ʔereht̥l'ís tué	
inside	beyághe	
inside it	beyághe	
inside it	beyághe	
interpreter/ translator	dene xa ʔetá̆lt̥	
intestines	denets'íé	
intravenous	t̥l'ul beyít'̆	
Inuit	ʔetthéná or ʔeténá	
Inuit games	ʔeténa zané	
iron	yúk'et'a	
is that so	hát'e k'ela	
Is the fish ready (cooked)?	̆ue thet'e-u?	
island	nu	
island (rock)	tthenu	
It hurts.	ʔeya	
jack (lifting things)	bet'á ʔasí n̆ríldeth	
jacket	ʔ̆	
jacket (moosehide)	denídhéth ʔ̆	
Jackfish Creek	ʔúldaydests̆l	
jackfish/pike	ʔulday	

jackpine	gane	
jail	dene dárɿla kʉɛ	
jam	jíchás	
janitor	yízɿ súrɪthën dene	
janitor	yízɿ saɿɿ dené	
January	ʔeɭets'elts'ún Zá	
Japanese (dwarf)	Dëne Tsëleze	
jaw	deneyétth'ënë	
jealous, she/he is ...	ch'alnɪ	
jeans	tutɿ'áɿɪ	
Jesus	Sezús	
joints	ʔeɭghánat'ay	
juice	jíetú	
juice (powdered)	jús deltur	
July	Tsɤba Nályé Zá	
jump rope / skipping	tɿ'ul tēth yáts'elgus	
jumps down, she/he/it ...	dáɭgos	
jumps up and down, she/he/it ...	yáɭgus	
jumps, she/he/it ...	yéɭgos	
June	Benígés Zá	
juniper	datsá jíé	
just across from	betach'as	

keeping busy, she/he is ...	k'óreɭʔaile	
kettle	cheth tɪl	
key	ladlí	
kick the can	satsán tɪl hut'eth	
kicks it away, she/he ...	yeyaiɭʔéth	
kicks it, she/he/it ...	yéʔeth	
kicks it, she/he/it ... (repeatedly)	yuʔeth	
kidney	dēnets'ézé	
kidney	ʔets'és	
killdeer	k'álɪcho	
kind, she/he is ...	sanɪdhën	
kindling	nátthel	
king	k'ódhɪ nedhé	
kingfisher	datsoɭ cho	
Kiss me!	Sɪɭts'ún	
kisses him/her/it, she/he/it ...	yelts'ún	
kitchen	běr kát'éth kuɣ	
kleenex	bet'á ts'etsɪ	
knee	dēnedzagór	
knee cap	denedzagórtsóghé	

kneels down, she/he/it ...	nágórél̥ya / nígórél̥ya	
knife	bes	
knife (for skinning)	ʔech'ëre besʔaze	
knife (pocket)	t'ákél bezaze	
knife (pocket)	t'ákél bezaze	
knife (pointed)	besch'ú	
knife (pointed)	besch'ú	
knife (table)	beskúr	
knife blade	besk'á	
knife for skinning	bet'á ʔasí k'etthélch'ul	
knot	shás	
knotted rope/string	shásdól	
know-it-all, she/he is a ...	ʔorelyú yek'órel̥ya nɪdhën	
knowledgeable, she/he is ...	ʔasí horɪsh̥a	
knows it/him/her, she/he is ...	yek'órel̥ya	
knuckle	denelátth'ënë	
labour, she is in ...	sekuɪ denełé	
labrador tea	nagoth	
ladle	łuscho	
Lady Evelyn Falls	Nájłl̥cho	

ladybug		
lake	tu	
lamb	bálaytthënaze	
lamprey (eel)	łue t'úr	
land	ní	
land	ní	
land (out of sight)	ní húret'ıle	
lands on her/ his/its feet, she/he/it ...	bekék'e nálgos	
landslide	níríltth'ër	
lapland longspur	tthechéncho	
lard	tłes	
lard pail	tłes tıl	
large truck	bethchéncho	
larva (fly larva)	ts'usgáy	
last one	nade	
last one of all	ıaté nade	
laughing, she/he is ...	nadlogh	
laughs, she/he ...	nadlo	
laundry	yú k'altsıl küę	
laundry room	yú k'analtsıl küę	
lawyer	dene k'edarenı dene	
lazy, she/he is ...	ts'oredí	

leader	dene tthe theda	Person first stand
leaf	t'áanchay	
leaf	t'áanchay	
leaps, she/he/it ...	yárltël	
learning she/he is ...	ʔereldɿ	
learns quickly, she/he ...	ʔeghã ʔereldɿ	
left side	ʔɿts'ízak'adhe	
leg	dënetth'ënë	
leg	bedhëdhé	
Lend it to me	seghã náneʔa	
lends him/her money, she/he ...	tsãba beghã nátheʔã	
lens of eye	denenalúzé	
let it be	hát'e húlí	
let's go	kú	
Let's go	húra	
lettuce	t'áancháyts'ëläze	
librarian	ʔerehtɿ'ís thela k'élnɿ	
library	ʔerehtɿ'ís thela kuɿ	
lice / louse	yá	
lichen	tthetsɿ	
lichen	tthetsɿ	

life jacket	bet'á ts'elel	
lifejacket	bet'á ts'elel	
ligament	dënech'ër	
light (in weight)	nedáth ɿíle / nedádhíle	
lightning	nagodhełt'í	
lightning	nak'odheth t'í	
lights		
like (that)	dát'u	
Line up	ɿełk'íne narułya	
lion	ɿeghezudzay	
lips	dënedhá	
liquid	tulát'e	
liquor store	kúntué kuę	
listens, she/he is ...	huréłtth'ą	
listens, she/he/it ...	huréłtth'ą	
little boy	deneyuaze	
Little Buffalo River	Dzéłdesche	
Little Fishery	Tabıłk'é	
little girl	ts'ékuaze	
Live long! (Use this to say "Thank you.")	Thá huná.	
liver	dënedhër	
liver	ɿedhër	
living room	ts'éłtth'ı kuę	

Location Words		
loche / mariah	th̥itel/th̥itele	
loche/ ling cod / mariah / burbot	tth̥itel	
log cabin	dechën lúé k̥ę	
log cabin	dëchen lúé k̥ę	
log sawing	dechën det'áth	
loganberry, dewberry	ts'ël nadlár	
lonesome, she/he is ...	ʔaneʔa	
long	nenéth	
long ago	yunízi thá	
long stockings	libá nenéth	
longjohns	yút'ár nenéth	
looks at it, she/he/it ...	yenełʔł	
looks up, she/he/it ...	yudaghé hunełʔł	
loon (common)	t'ímbé, ʔímbé, ts'ímbé	
loop around	benárłlú	
lost, she/he ... (at cards, game)	begha néna	
Louise Falls	Náłlcho	
louse	yá	
loves him/her/it, she/he is ...	yeghánétą	

low	naredhíle	
lowers her/her/its head, she/he/it ...	yuyádétthı	
lowest	k'étł'a	
lump	háıłtso	
lung	dënedzıdıdhé	
lying, she/he is ... (not telling the truth)	hats'ı	
lynx	chíze	
Mackenzie River	Descho(gh)	
maggot	hínáı	
Mail Trail	?erehtł'ıs Tılu	
makes a sound, something ...	?ası dzıtth'a	
making a speech, she/he is ...	dene ts'áltı	
making bannock, she/he is ...	łést'éth hełt'éth	
making dryfish, she/he is ...	?ełddháy det'áth	
making money, she/he is ...	tsamba hełtsı	
making snowshoes, she/he is ...	?ay yełtsı	
making tea, she/he is	lıdí hełtsı	

...		
mallard	chëth cho	
man	deneyu	
man (young)	cheleku ₁	
man (old)	ʔeneku ₁	
manager (store)	k'ódh ₁ k'áldhër	
many/much	łą	
map	ní ʔerehtł'ís	
March	Nłłts'ıcho(gh) Zá	
marker	ʔerehtł'ís chëncho	
marrow	ʔeyaghé	
marrow	ʔeyaghé	
marten	tha	
match	bet'á ʔórık'ą	
matches	dórek'ą	
math (adding)	ʔelghárúłta	
mattress	ʔétıé dhéth	
May	Degay Mar ₁ Zá	
maybe	hútó	
maybe	hútó	
mayor	háyorıla ha tthe theda	Náyor ... for small commu
me	s ₁ / se-	
Me too	s ₁ tth'ú or s ₁ tth'ıú	

measles	bet'á denetth'ı delk'os	
measures it, she/he ...	yúłdzay	
meat	bér	
meat (bear)	sastthén	
meat (beaver)	tsátthén	
meat (butchered)	bér nát'ath	
meat (caribou)	ɪetthéntthén	
meat (dry)	ɪegëné	
meat (fresh)	bér gódhé	
meat (fresh)	bér góth	
meat (moose)	denítthén	
meatball	bér dól	
mechanic	satsán k'élní	
medicine power (spirit power)	ɪłk'ázé	
member of legislature	beba ɪeləhgéth dene	
meningitis	dënetthíghá hılghas	
menstrual cycle	ts'ékuı ɪatenaıle	
mentally ill, she/he is ...	betthí nezɔle	
merganser	tthodhé	
messenger	nátırıá dene	
metal	tsatsán /satsán	
metal box	tsatsán tıl	

Metis	Beghárek'áze	
midnight	tëdhe tanızı	
mid-summer	sine tanize or sinanize	
mid-winter	xay tanize	
might	hútó	
mild weather	hurélyá	
milk	ɤejëretth'úé	
milk (canned)	satsántıl yé thela ɤejëretth'úé	
milk (condensed)	ɤejëretth'ú dóghé	
milk (powdered)	ɤejëretth'ú gënë	
minister of church	that'ín yałtı	
mink	tthejus	
minute (one)	ɤıłághe nugëlé	
mirage	nıurıdel	
mirror	núselɤı	
miscarriage	narelté	
miserable, she/he is ...	barélyáíle	
Mission Island	Nughí	
misunderstands, she/he is ...	yenereníle	
mitts	jıs	
mitts(fur)	detł'ogh jıs	

mixed colours	ʔełk'éch'at'ɫ	
moans, she/he ...	k'uredɪ	
moccasin	tsëlke	
moccasin	kekêlke	
moccasin (canvas top)	líbarlá kezebér ke	
Monday	Dzɫk'éré	
money	tsąba	
monkey	ʔech'úrúɫʔɫ	
month	sa	
MONTHS and DAYS		
moon	ʔełdzɪ	
moon (increasing, waxing)	ʔełdzí ʔą	
moose	deníye	
moose (3 to 4 years)	deníyahgoze	
moose (bull)	deníyané	
moose (calf)	deníyaze	
moose (cow)	deníye ts'úda	
Moose calf	deníaze	
Moose Deer Island	K'éththínué	
moose meat	denítthén	
moose(orphan)	dení ts'ína	
moosehide	denídhéth	
more than him/her/it	deʔánélt'e	

morning	k'abídene	
mosquito	dejúle	
mosquito bar	dejúldhéth	
moss	tth'ël	
moss (green)	tth'al	
moth	yágole / yú heldéle	
motor oil	tłesdó	
mountain	shéth	
mountain (among)	shéth taghe	
mountain (beyond)	shéth ʔask'adhe	
mountain (high)	shéth naredhá	
mountain (plateau)	shéth da nathkar	
mountain (pointed)	shéth ch'ué	
mountain (range)	shéth ɭa	
mountain (top)	shéth laí	
mouse	dlúne	
mouth	dënedhá	
Mouth of Big Buffalo River	ʔejëretúdezé Desche	
Mouth of Jean River	Thainɔdesche / Thainydesche	
mouth of Snuff Channel	K'ínuna	
movie screen	bek'e ʔerehtł'ís náda	

movie, video	ʔerehtł'ís náda	
much	łą	
mud	hatł'és	
mud slide	hatł'és níltth'ër	
mukluks	ʔeténá ké	
mumps	denek'ás hílghas	
muscle	denet'ı	
muscle tendon	dënech'ër	
mushroom	bádzajëré	
mushroom	bádzajëré	
music	shën	
muskeg	ʔelel	
muskox	yutthéjëré	
muskrat	dzën	
muskrat fur hat	dzëndhéth ts'ah	
mustache	dene daneghá	
mute, she/he is ...	yałtıle	
my adopted child	sekuı segháłtı	
my aunt (father's or mother's sister)	sąk'íe	
my aunt deceased	sąk'íe nı	
my brother (older)	sunaghe	
my brother (younger)	sechële	
my brother-in-law (a man says ...)	seghe	

my brother-in-law (a woman says ...)	secháy	
my brother-in-law (of female)	secháy	
my brother-in-law (of male)	seghe	
my child	seyaze	
my children	seskéne	
my cousin	sela	
my daughter	seyaz ts' éku ₁	
my daughter-in-law	sareze	
my father	setá or ʔabá	
my father-in-law	seʔe	
my friend	sets' éni ₁	
my grandchild	seyaz beyaz or seyaze beyaze	
my grandchildren	seskene beskene	
my grandfather	setsíe	
my grandmother	setsoné / ʔené	
my husband	sedene	
my mother	ʔené / ʔamá	
my mother-in-law	setsu / setsu	
my nephew	saze	
my niece	sareze	

my parents	settheku ₁ or sedeku ₁	
my relative	sélat'ín(e)	
my sister (older)	sare	
my sister (younger)	sedézé	
my sister-in-law	setsu / setsu	
my son	sedeneyuaze	
my son-in-law (a man says ...)	saze	
my son-in-law (a woman says ...)	secháy	
my stepchild (husband's child)	sedëne beyaze	
my stepchild (wife's child)	sets'án beyaze	
my stepfather	sethené	
my stepmother	sak'le	
my uncle	se?e	
my uncle	se?e	
my wife	sets'áne	
Nagel Channel	Tséldezé	
nail	tsatsél	
nail driving	thatsél deyélyul	
naphtha or white gas	tles	
napkins (sanitary)	ts'éku ₁ yú	

narrow	nedáre	
narrow place	hurɪ́dare	
nasal cavity	deneghá	
National Aboriginal Day	Dene Dédliné Dzɪ́né	
naughty, she/he is ...	halát'ɪ	
nausea	hɪ́dhɪ	
Ndɪlo	Nulá	
neck	denek'oth	
neck	bek'oth	
necklace	ttháɭia	
needle	thətɪl	
nervous, she/he is ...	betth'ɪ neljër	
net (snare underwater)	tabɪl	
new	degóth	
New Year's Day	ʔeɭets'elts'ún dzɪ́né	
nickel	sɔlá satsánaze	
night	tëdhe	
night	tëdhe	
nighthawk	yáhélther	
nine	ɭótá	
nine hundred	ɭótona	
nine people	ɭótá hɪlt'e	

nineteen	łótadhel	
ninety	łótɔna	
nits	yátth'ın	
no	íle	
No, thank you.	Íle mársı.	
noon	dzıdıze	
noon (before)	dzıdıze ts'én	
Norman Wells	Tłeshılı	
north	yudázı	
north wind	yudázı níłts'ı	
northern lights	yaka nágës	
Northern store	k'odhı kųę	
Northwest Territories	?edza néné	
nose	dënetsı	
nosebleed	betsı dël	
no-see-um	huneltún	
nostril	dënetsı yúʔa	
notebook	bek'e ʔerehtł'ís	
November	?eyun Zá	
now	dú	
now	dų	
numb	hıłthų	
nun	dënexare	
Nunavut	?eténá néné	

nurse	deneya ts'énı or dene ɪeya ts'énı	
o'clock	... níɪə	
oar	t'odhé	
oatmeal (porridge)	ɭɭchonı	
ocean	tucho	
October	ɭuedaɭtı Zá	
off course	t'ats'énle ts'én	
office	ɪerehtɭ'ıs ɪeghálada kué	
oil	tɭesdóghé	
okay	hə / hée	
old people's home	ɪəɭneth kué	
old person	tháydene	
old thing	thayú / tháy	
on	bek'e	
on far shore, across	násk'ëth	
on it	bek'e	
on it	bek'e	
on one side	ɭásk'ëth	
on the bottom of it	beyaghe or betɭ'aghe or k'éyaghe k'étɭ'aghe	
on the bottom of it	beyaghe or betɭ'aghe or k'éyaghe or k'étɭ'aghe	
on top of it	bedaghe or k'édaghe	

on top of it	bedaghe or k'édaghe	
once (one time)	ɿɿlá	
one	ɿɿlághe	
one cent	satsán tthoaze	
one dollar / loonie	ɿɿlághe tsába	
one foot	ɿɿlághe deneké	
one hundred	lónona	not s
one inch	ɿɿlághe denelachéth	
one kilometer	ɿɿlághe dechënaze	
one mile	ɿɿlághe dechën	
one million	ɿɿlághe límíl límíl	
one person	lált'e	
one pound	ɿɿlághe ɿaɿldëth	
one quarter	tanızı ts'ɿ tanızı	
one thirty	ɿɿlághe ghóɿa tanızı satsıé	
one thousand	ɿɿlághe límíl	
one yard	ɿɿlá bek'ılın	
onion	tł'ots'éyané	
onion	tł'ots'é yané	
onion	tł'oséyané	
operation, she/he has an ...	nát'ath	
opposite to	benásk'ëth	

(position)		
orange	jík'os	
orange	jík'os láht'ɿ	
oranges	jík'os	
Oriental/ Chinese	Ledí ghə dəne	
otter	nóbɿ	
ouch	eyá	
outboard motor	tłest'odhé	
outhouse	tsá kʷə	
Outpost Islands	Tajághenué	
outside it	beʔáné	
outside it	beʔáné	
outstanding	dene ʔázé háłtsɿ	
oven	beyát'eth	
over here	jə	
over it	betedhe	
over it	betedhe	
over there	yuwé	
over there	yuwé	
owl	mułdzaghe	
owl (boreal)	tth'íjaaze	
owl (snowy)	yéléhba	
ox	kué ʔejère	

packsack	nałchéth ts'ézegı	
paddle	t'odhé	
paddle	t'odhé	
pail	tıl	
pail (water)	tu tıle	
pain	ıeya	
paint	bet'á shéredlır	
paint brush	bet'á ıası ıerehtł'ıs	
painter (not artist)	héréłér dene	
painting, she/he is ...	heredlör	
palm	denelatł'aghé	
pan	tsatsán tth'áy	
pancakes	łést'éth t'úré	
panics, she/he is ...	ıedorelıéle	
pants	tł'áıı	
paper	ıerehtł'ıs	
paper	ıerehtł'ıs	
paper bag	ıerehtł'ıs nałchéth	
paper towel	ıerehtł'ıs bet'á nalazelde	
parka	ıeténá ıı	
Parkinson's disease	betth'ı delgöl dáda	
passes out, she/he	ıenal níle ıaja	

...		
past (distant)	yunízi thá	
past, in the ...	húdher	
path / trail	hatane	
Paulette Bay	Nadlárnue Naghe	
Paulette Island	Nadlárnu	
peanut butter / peanuts	dlíeni	
peek-a-boo	gúgu	
pelican (white)	ʔorécháy	
pemmican	ʔetsįstles	
pen	ʔerehtł'ís chëne	
pencil	ʔerehtł'ís chëne	
pencil case	ʔerehtł'ís chëne dhéth	
pepper	denıts'ıaze	
peppermint grass	tł'otsën	
Person/people	dëne	
pew	dachëneth	
photograph (of person)	denenérehtł'ís or denené ʔerehtł'ís	
pick axe	thench'úé	
pickerel	ʔełch'úe/ʔełchúwe	
pickerel/dory	ʔech'úe	
picture (on wall)	ʔerehtł'ís daghárįtą	

pierced, it is ...	hehgor	
pig	gugúsh	
pillow	tthíʔël	
pillow	tthíʔël	
pills / medicine	náídíı	
pilot biscuit/ cracker	łést'éth gënë	
pilot (boat)	ts'ı k'élní	
pimple	hatthı́łʔa	
pin	hatı betthí hııı	
pinberry	jı tł'uláze	
pine needles	ʔałgáré	
Pine Point	Gënechela	
Pine Point town	Tsąba K'é / Tsąmba K'é	
pink	dzéhk'os láht'ı	
pink (light)	dzéhk'os láht'ı delbes	
plane (wood)	bek'elzus or k'elzus	
plate	tth'áy kél	
play (a group)	sats'edé	
play (two people)	sahedhër	
play (one person)	sadhër	
playing bingo, she/he is ...	bingo ʔasadhër	
playing cards, she/he	xél ʔasadhër	

is ...		
playing games, she/he is ...	sə t'á sanádhër	
playing guitar	guitar dełtsúr	
pleasant situation, it is a ...	nezə háʔə	
pliers	satsán ʔël	
pneumonia	bedzídıth híłghas	
pocket	t'áhkél	
Point Ennuyeuse	Cheladare	
points, she/he ...	latth'ël híłʔa	
poison	náídísłın	
pole star (north star)	ʔetthéncho	
police	dene náłtsí dene	
police residence	dasídën náde kųę	
police station	dene náłtsí dené kųę	
pool / billiards	dzole hultës	
poor (no money)	ch'er / ʔestunét'ıne	
poor, she/he is ...	ʔestonét'ıne	
pope	yałtı tá	
poplar	k'es	
Poplar Point	K'eschela	
porch	tıdá kųę	

porcupine	ts'ɫ	
porcupine quill	ts'ɫch'ogh	
pork	gugúsh tthén	
pork fat	gugúsh k'a	
pork hocks	gugúsh kechéné	
portage	hatëth	
portage past the dump	Nuesna	
Portage Road (from community to portage)	Hateth Tɫú	
possible	dúíle	
post office	ʔerehtɫ'ís kʷə	
postal worker	ʔerehtɫ'ís k'élnɪ	
pot	beyé bestɫ	
potato	nóshɪ or núshɪ	
potato (baked)	nóshɪ t'éth	
potato (mashed)	nóshɪ naltɫ'es	
potato chips	nóshɪ gënë	
pouch (bird)		
pounded meat	ʔetsɫs	
poverty	ch'ër	
prairie	gaítel	
pregnant, it (animal) is ...	héɫchən	
pregnant, she (human)	dene bets'ɫ	

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Premier of NWT	dı́zı́ nén ts'én k'áldhër	
pretty person	ʔaxenét'ı́	
pretty thing	bénat'ı́	
priest	yałtı́	
priest/ father / pastor	yałtı́	
prime minister	níe ts'én k'áldhër nedhé	
principal	ʔerehtł'ís kuę k'áldhër	
prisoner	dene bedárı́tą	
prophet	natthe nórelʔën	
prospector or staker	ní náłtsı́ dënë	
proud, she/he is ...	hadı́	
ptarmigan	k'ásba	
ptarmigan meat	k'ásba tthén	
puddle	tue theką	
pullover sweater	náduth ʔı́	
pullover/ sweater	náduth ʔı́	
pupil	denenalúzé	
pure	beta ʔası́ hule	
purple	ʔerehtł'íschën láht'ı́	
purse or backpack	nałchéth ts'ézegı́	
pus	ts'és	
pussy willow	k'áılı́ę	

pussy willows	k'áílǵé	
putting together, she/he is ...	ʔełanílye	
quarter after one	ʔǵlághe ghóʔa sǵládhel nogëlé	
quarter to one	ʔǵlághe nıʔáí ha sǵládhel nogëlé	
queen	ts'ékuı k'áldhër	
queen bee	tǵ'ısthóbą	
question marker	-u	
Question Words		
question, she/he is asking a ...	hurełkër	
quickly	ʔeghą	
quiet, be ... (command to one person)	ts'éthı ʔainǵ	
quiet, it is ...	huréchu	
quiet, be ... (command to a group)	ts'éthı ʔohnǵ	
quilt	ts'éř ʔełkanełta	
Rabbit Island	Gahnué	
rabbit/hare	gah	
race	ʔełnáts'eldél	
radio	radio	
Radio announcer	radio-yé yałtı dene	

raft	dechën xeth	
rags	yúch'elé	
rain	chạ	
rain (constant)	chạ nat'éle	
rain (foggy/misty)	chạ neʔíaze	
rainbow	ʔurádzı bıl	
raises a child, she/he ...	sekuı neshạ	
raises dog, she/he ...	l̥l̥ neshạ	
raises dogs, she/he ...	l̥l̥ dáníshe	
raises his head, she/he/it ...	netthírít'ạ	
raisins	jíaze	
rake	bet'á niets'ı	
rapids	ttheba	
rapids (before)	ttheba cha	
rash	denetth'ı delk'os	
raspberry	dakál jíé	
Rat River	Dzëndesche	
ratroot	dzën nı	
raven	datsạ	
reaches for it, she/he/it ...	yekáréln̥l̥	
reading, she/he is	ʔerehtl̥'ís k'altı	

...		
reading, she/he is ...	ʔerehtł'ís k'áltı	
recently	k'ʌní tháíle	
recess	sekuı tı́del	
red	delk'os	
red (dark)	delk'os delzen	
reef	te nu	
regrets it, she/he ...	yek'enadlı	
rejects it, she/he ...	yerélʔíle	
relaxing, she/he is ...	k'órelʔa	
remembers it, she/he ...	yenailní	
Remembrance Day	ʔełets'elghël Nôt'e Dzı́né	
repairing boat, she/he is ...	ts'ı séle or tsı sénale	
repairing, she/he is ...	sanayíle	
repellent (mosquito)	dejúl náídí	
report card	sekuı t'arát'ı sı ʔerehtł'ís	
representative / spokesperson	dene ha yałtı dene	

respectful, she/he is ...	yesúdíı	
respiratory	deneyí	
restaurant/cafe	shéch'elyı küę	
rhubarb	thųth	
rib	dënechaghé	
ribbon	ts'áít'ı	
ribs	ʔechaghé	
rice	tł'olágaze	
ridge	nıet'ath	
rifle	ʔełk'ídhe	
rifle (twenty two)	ʔełk'ídhaze	
right side	nánızek'adhe	
ring	láʔan	
ring around the moon	ʔełdzı ʔéłgëth	
ripe berry, fruit	jí nédler , néthler	
road	tılu	
robin	tsátsı	
Rocher River	ʔatsódesche	
rock	tthe	
roof	yehtthít'á	
roots	ʔechıghay	
rope	tł'ul	
rose	ʔıtsólt'án	

rosebud	ʔɪntsól	
rosebush	ʔɪntsól t'áne	
rosehip	ʔɪtsólé	
rosehip	ʔɪntsól	
rosehip	ʔɪtsól	
rotten fish	ʔuejéré	
round	debəth	
Round Island	Denínuaze	
rubbers for moccasins	kenuré	
rudder	bet'á ʔeldhúr	
ruler	bet'á húdza	
rules	t'asɪ sɪ hót'e ha	
runny nose	betsɪ deltɪ'ul	
runs around, she/he/it ...	ts'ébagha	
runs in circles, she/he/it ...	ʔɪlts'én nébegha	
runs she/he/it ...	tubagël	
sad	ts'áɪdhën	
sad, she/he is ...	ts'ánɪdhën	
safety pin	gól / gél / t'átso	
sail	ts'ɪbál	
sailboat	ts'ɪbálé ts'ɪ	
sales person	t'así begħa nanɪ dene	

saliva	denezé	
saliva	se	
salmon	łuezan k'ozé	
salt	dedhay	
same	ʔełéłt'e	
sand	thay	
sandbar	łéstél	
Sandbar Island	Łéstélnu	
sandfly	ʔoneltún	
sandpaper	ʔerehtł'ís hak'ël	
sandpiper	k'áílaze	
sapling	k'aní neshe	
Saskatoon berries	k'íjíé	
saskatoon berry	k'í jí	
saskatoon bush	k'íjí t'áné	
Saskatoon Island	K'íjínue	
satisfied, she/he is ...	bení ʔaja	
Saturday	Dzłt'ázł	
saucepan	beyé ʔasí nídhł	
saw	dechën bes	
sawmill	dechënt'áth k'é	
Sawmill Channel	Kúnts'ík'édezé	
scab	beká / łur	

scabies	ʔegheth dáda	
scared, she/he is ...	neljër	
scarf	t'alchúth	
scarf	k'ozelchëth	
school	sekuı honeltën kuę	
school	sekuı honeltën kuę	
school bus	sekuı ts'érelyı bethchëne	
school principal	sekuı honełtën ts'ën k'áldhër	
School teacher	sekuı honełtën dene	
science (figuring it out)	yenerení	
scissors	tábes	
scow	ts'ıkár	
scrape	bek'e t'úzech'ël	
screaming in pain, she/he is ...	ʔeya t'á hezıl	
screams, she/he/it ...	hezıl	
screen for window	dejúl dhëth	
screw	hadeth	
screwdriver	bet'á haldeth beyéldeth	
seagull	besk'áy	
seat	bek'e ts'eda	
seated, she/he is ...	theda	

seaweed	tetł'ó	
secretary	ɪerehtł'ís sérɪthën dené	
sees it, she/he/it ...	yeɪɪ	
sees, she/he/it ...	huneɪɪ	
sees, she/he/it ...	huneɪɪ	
selfish, she/he is ...	ɪedení ládenɪldhën	
sells it, she/he ...	begha nání	
senses it, she/he/it ...	yétth'eredí	
separating things, she/he is ...	nadáyerelé	
September	T'ánchezay Natł'ír Zá	
setting a net, he/she is ...	tabɪl tále	
setting fishhook under ice, she/he	jéth tara	
setting fishhooks under the ice, she/he is ...	jéth tále	
setting net, she/he is ...	tabɪl tále	
setting snare, she/he is ...	bɪɪ datł'ɔ	

settlement	hórɿla	
seven	ʔeláísdɿ	
seven hundred	ʔelésdɿnona	
seven people	łésdɿ hɿlt'e	
seventeen	łésdɿadhel	
seventy	ʔelésdɿona	
seventy-five cents	łésdɿona ts'én sɿla satsánaze	
sewage truck	tsá bethchén	
sewing machine	tsálkə	
sewing needle	thətɿl	
sewing, she/he is ...	ʔenélkə	
shade	sa k'áɿya	
shadow (his/her/its)	bɿk'ázé	
shadow (of animal)	ch'andíe k'ázé	
shadow (of person)	dene k'ázé	
Shake his/her hand	belá ɿtún	
shale	tthekél	
sharp	dénɿ	
sharpener	ʔerehtɿ'ís chén nak'ak'a	
shawl	lɿshál	
shell bag	ʔelk'íthcho dhéth	
shelter made of spruce boughs	ʔëɿyeh	

shiny	bek'e saríɖɭ	
shirt	thɪzɪ ɪɪ	
shoal	naghe	
shock, she/he is in ...	ɪedurelyáɭle	
shoes	ke	
shoes (winter)	xay ké	
shop	bet'á ɪasɪ ghálada kuɛ	
shop teacher	bet'á ɪasɪ ghálada sekui honeltën	
shore	tabá	
short	nedúe	
shorts	tɭ'áɪɪ duaze	
shotgun	ɪeldhay ɪeɭk'íth	
shotgun shell	ɪeldhay ɪeɭk'íth k'íthcho	
shoulder	deneghethgór	
shoulder blade	dënegánlá	
shouts, she/e/it ...	hezɪɪ	
shovel	labésh or ɪetsánkélé	
shrew	dáeze	
shy, she/he is ...	huréja	
sickness	dáda	
side road	tɭlu tɭɪa	
sighs, she/he/it ...	nats'éhɟɪ	

sight (gun)	ʔełk'íth lə theʔə	
silk	lasúé	
silver	tsəba delgay	
Simpson Islands (Simpson, Wilson, Caribou Islands together)	Nuta(ghe)	
sineu	ʔetth'é	
sineu thread	ʔetth'é	
sing song / singing	shën / hejën	
sings, she/he/it ...	hejën	
sinker	tetthé	
Sister Superior	denexare k'áldhër	
Sit down (a group)	denultth'í	
Sit down (one person)	nídá	
sitting down, she/he/it ...	nedá ha	
six	ʔełk'étagh	
six hundred	ʔełk'étonona	
six people	ʔłłk'éta hłlt'e	
sixteen	ʔełk'étadhel	
sixty	ʔełk'étona	
skidoo pants	tł'áʔł deta	
skiff	dechën ts'ł	
skin	denedhéth	
skinny/slim	begën	

skull	denetthítth'ën	
skunk	nyłtsɿ	
sky (cloudy)	k'oth yághe	
slaps, she/he/it ...	nánıkár	
Slave River	Des Nedhé	
Slavey	Desnát'iné	
sleeps, she/he/it ...	thetɿ	
sleet	tsɿłtsöl	
sleeve	denebár	
sleigh / toboggan	bethchënë	
sleigh pulling	beschéné nadlúth or beschéné nadlúl	
sliding	dánadzus	
slip	ɿıhtł'á	
slippers	kesaběr húle	
slippers (beaded)	ɿɿłts'us ke	
slippers (with fur)	ke bebán detł'ogh	
sliver (wood)	dechën zús	
slough	dɿ yághe	
slough on the way to boat landing	Tuasdezé	
slush	nize	
small	nechíle	
small canoe	ts'ıaze	

small fish	łutsël	
small fish	łuaze	
smells, she/he/it ...	hetsën	
smiling, she/he is ...	ʔelch'úl	
Smith Bay	Smith Betł'ás	
smoke	łer	
smoke house	łër kųę	
smoke house	łerkųę	
smoked fish	łue lër k'e dąłttı	
smoking fish, she/he is	łue lër k'e dałye	
snail	hót'úi	
snake	náduth	
snare	bıl	
snare (beaver)	tsábıl	
snare (moose)	deníbıl	
snare (wire)	satsánbıl	
snare (with bent branch)	huíbıl	
snare holder	bılchënë	
sneezes, she/he ...	ʔelʔáis	
sneezes, she/he/it ...	hełʔáis, ʔelʔáis	
sneye betwen Mission	ʔukáze	

Is. and mainland		
snickers, she/he/it ...	dlónaneɬɿ	
snores, she/he/it ...	ɿeɬhus	
snow	yath	
snow	yath	
snow (crystalized)	thɿ	
snow (glazed)	ɿekáɬtën	
snow (melting)	yath nalghɿ	
snow (powdery)	yath yúlé or yath núr é	
snow (wet)	yath tsël	
snow bunting	taɬk'áze	
snow falling	tsɿɿ	
snow goose	haga	
snow patch	yath déɿə	
snow patches	yath dáreɿə	
snow snake	dechën yath kazus	
snowbank	tsuɬt'éné	
snowblindness	nadhɿth	
Snowdrift	ɬútsëlk'é	
snowdrift	yath nɿzus or yath nɿgos	
snowflake (large)	tsɿɿ kár	
snowflakes (small)	tsɿɿ dháyaze	
snowflea	yath kájidel	
snowing	tsɿɿ	

snowshoe (hunting)	ʔaycho	
snowshoes	ʔay	
snowshoes	ʔay	
snowslide	yath náǰzus	
snowstorm	ʔezus	
soap	datłagh	
soap (bar)	datłagh	
soap (dish)	tth'áy datłagh	
soap (powdered)	datłagh naldëth	
social worker	dene ba nání dënë	
socks (thick)	libá detǵ	
socks/stockings	libá	
soft	denur	
soil	ní	
soldier	dëne xël dënë	
sole	dëneketł'a(ghé)	
some day	ʔaxǵ lá dzı k'e	
sometimes	ʔǵłk'é	
song sparrow		
sore (a wound)	beká	
sore, it is ...	ʔeya	
sorrowful, she/he is ...	yek'enadlı	
sorry, she/he is ...	yek'elı	

soul / spirit	bedáyiné	
soup bowl	thechás tth'áy	
soup/stew	thecháze	
south wind	sayez nıłts'ı	
space (air)	ya	
spades	lıbík	
spark	kún yěltěl	
spear	thúth	
spear throwing	thoth yałıgúl	
spelling	yatı ıełghárélye	
spider	ıurádzı	
spinal cord	denets'uré	
spit	se	
spitting, she/he is ...	ıaze	
spooked, she/he/it is...	héłghëth	
spoon	łus	
spoon (table)	łuscho	
sport	są	
sprain	hełkér	
spring	łuk'é	
spring (early)	ıeghá ıolër or ıeghá ıolër or ıeghá nałghı	

spruce	ts'u	
spruce bough	ʔël	
spruce bough floor	ʔël	
Spruce Point	Ts'uchela	
spruce sap	dechën dzéh	
square	nat'ëth	
squirrel	dlíe	
squirrel (flying)	dechąkáy	
stairs/ladder	kátsedíl	
Stand up (a group)	nųhdél	
Stand up (one person)	thıyı	
standing, she/he/it is ...	theyı	
stands up, she/he/it ...	níya	
stapler	bet'á ʔerehtł'ís ʔełuríltse	
star	ʔetthén	
star (shooting)	ʔetthén nátł'ır	
startled, she/he/it is ...	naíltłı	
STD (sexually transmitted disease)	dádasłıne	
steamboat	kúnts'ı	

Steamboat Channel	Des Nedhaze	
steering wheel (boat)	bet'á ts'ı k'anı	
steering wheel (vehicle)	bet'á bethchén k'anı	
stereo	tł'ísjën	
stick pull	dechën ɤelch'ats'ult'ı	
stiff (muscle)	bet'ı ɤelk'ás	
still	ɤaɭɔ hát'e	
stinging nettle	bek'éł ts'ıɤaze	
stingy, she/he is ...	ɤelghatsén	
stinky	mą	
stitches	nánałda	
stockings (long)	lıbá nenéth	
stockings (nylon)	lasúé lıbá	
stomach	denebér	
stomach (inside)	denebéryághe / denebíyághe	
stomach ache	bebér ɤeya	
stone	tthe	
Stoney Island	Tthenu / Ttheno	
Stoney Point	Tthechela	
stool	tsá	
storage shed	ɤası k'ání kųę	
store	nánık'é	

stove	tsánk'ën	
stovepipe	tsánk'ën k'oth	
strawberries	ʔɪdzɪaze	
strawberry	ʔɪdzɪaze	
strong	nátsër	
stroud	ʔehtɫ'un	
stubborn, she/he is ...	dene k'áɪdhenle	
student	dëne honeɫtën	
stuffy nose	betsɪ dárɛɫtth'ur	
sucker	dëldële	
suffering, she/he is ...	daɪʔa	
sugar	súga	
sugar	súka	
Sulphur Point	Dork'achela	
summer	sɪne	
sun	sa	
sunburn	sa t'á bek'e denɪk'ə	
Sunday	Dzɪk'e	
sundog	sa ʔéɪgëth	
sunny	ts'eɪël	
sunny - partially	sa k'oth yénat'a	
sunray	sadí	
sunray going up from	sa k'e náshús detth'ɪ	

sun		
sunrise	sa háʔáɫ	
sunrise	sa háʔáy	
sunset	sa náʔáɫ	
sunshine	ts'eʔël	
surprised, she/he is ...	betɫ'ak'es	
surprised, she/he is ...	betɫ'a k'eze	
surveyor	ní húɫdzáy dëné	
suspenders	hehtɫ'ul	
swallow	thelats'áze	
swamp	ʔelel	
swamp grass	tetɫ'ó	
swan	gagos	
sweater	síʔɫ	
sweater wool	lalén ʔɫ	
sweats, she/he/it ...	bek'etaneyɫ	
sweet	ʔasí ɫekën	
swollen throat	bek'ás hílghas	
sympathetic, she/he is ...	ʔestonéʔɫn	
syrup	k'ɫtú	
table	bek'eshélyɫ	

table	bek'e shéts'elyı	
table spoon	łuscho	
tablecloth	tth'áy dhéth	
tablespoon	łus nechá or łuscho	
tack	thatséłaze	
tail feather	beché chuzé	
tailwind	set'as nıłts'ı or sek'íne nıłts'ı	
Take it	ná	
take it easy	ʔeschıa / ʔesjıa	
taking apart, she/he is ...	ʔełch'aíle	
taking it off, she/he is ...	het'ar	
talented, she/he is ..	horıshą	
talkative is, she/he/it ...	bedhá ʔalą	
talks, she/he/it ...	yałtı	
tallow	tłeslu	
tamarack	nıdhe	
TB (tuberculosis)	bedzıdıth dáda	
tea	lıdí	
tea	lıdí or ledí	

tea boiling contest	lɪdí ɿeɭch'á nílghës	
tea dance	shën t'á dats'eldíl	
teacher	sekuɪ honeɭtën	
teaching, she/he is ...	hóneɭtën	
teacup	lɪdí tth'áy	
teapot	lɪdí tɪl	
teardrop	denenatué	
teaspoon	ɭuzaze	
teaspoon	ɭuzaze	
teepee	nɪbál (ch'ú)	
television	TV	
ten	ɭóna	
ten cents	ɭóna satsánaze	
ten people	ɭóna hɪlt'e	
tendon	ɿech'ééré	
tent	tɭ'ɔbále	
tent	tɭ'ɔbál	
tent pole	tɭ'ɔbál dhayé	
tent poles	tɭ'ɔbál dhay	
termites	dechëne xáídhe	
terrific job	la nezɔ thɪɭtsɪ	
thank you	mársɪ	
thank you very much	mársɪ cho	

thankful/ appreciative, she/he is ...	mársı yenıthën	
thanks, live long	mársı, thá ɣuná	
thaw out	nalghı	
thawing	nalgı	
The fish are swimming.	ɭue ts'érelɣul	
The fish is swimming.	ɭue ts'érbı	
then	ɣeyëre ts'ı	
then	ɣeyër ts'ı / ɣeyër tɭ'aghe	
thermometer	beghár hak'ëth hadı	
thigh	deneghoth	
thighbone	deneghothtth'ënë	
thimble	t'ăɭkə	
Think about it!	Beghə nánıdhër.	
thinking, she/he is	nánıdhër	
thirsty, she/he/it ...	tu badhı	
thirteen	taghedhel	
thirty	tɔna	
thirty cents	tona satsánaze	
this side	dısdézı	

thorn	dalgózé	
thousand	limíl	
thread	ʔáɫdëth	
three	taghe	like leave like
three hundred	tonona	
Three Kings' Day	K'odhinedhé Ta Dzı́né	
three people	ta hı́lt'e	
throat	dënek'ázé	
throb	heɫts'aɪ	
through it	beghą	
through it	beghą	
Thubun River	Tɫ'óresche	
thumb	denelachéth	
thunder	hurelyel	
Thursday	Dzı́k'ér Dı́ Dzı́né	
tick (moose)	deníyá	
time out (Sit alone.)	Then thı́da.	
tin can	satsán tıl	
tingle	hı́lthų	
tı́pı	nı́bélch'ué	
tı́pı pole	nı́mbál dhayé	
tired, she/he is ...	nénı́tsą	
tired, she/he/it is ...	nínı́tsą	
to where	ʔedlínı ts'én	

tobacco	ts'élt'u	
tobacco	ts'élt'u	
today	durı dzı k'e	
toe	denekets'él	
toe (big)	denekets'élcho	
toe (bird)	beke ts'élé	
toe (little)	denekets'élaze	
toenail	denekegané	
toilet	tsá kúę	
toilet paper	tsá tsıl	
tomorrow	k'abı	
tongue	dënetthú	
tonsils	dënek'ástłuré	
tool box	bet'á ıeghálada tıle	
tools	bet'á ıeghálada	
tooth drill	bet'á dëneghú heldath	
tooth/teeth	deneghú	
toothache	beghú ıeya	
toothbrush	bet'á deneghú k'enáłts'ıl	
toothpaste	bet'á deneghú k'enáłts'ıl	
toque	ts'asgúl	
tornado	nıłts'ı słıne	
torso	denezí	
touches him/her/ıt,	yeréhdı	

she/he/it ...		
tourist	jéth dënë	
towel	t'ásëlday	
town	náyurɿla	
traditional knowledge	dene ch'anie	
trap	ɿeɿdzus	
trap (wooden)	dechën ɿeɿdzus	
trapping, she/he is ...	ɿeɿdzus heɿa	
treasurer	tsɿaba k'élní	
treatment centre	nats'ejí kɿɿɿ	
treaty (money)	tsɿaba nályé	
Treaty Day	Tsɿaba Nályé Dzɿné	
tree	dechëne	
tree (tall)	dechën nenéth	
treeline	hazú k'abɿ	
tripe	ɿebérðhéth	
trips, she/he/it ...	ɿekeɿttth'ër	
trolling, he/she is ...	jéth ɿedzéreɿkɿ	
troubled, she/he is ...	nánɿdhër	
trout	ɿuezané	
Trout Lake	ɿuezaɿtúé	

Trout Lake People	łuezantúét'ıné	
truck	satsán bethchén	
truck (transport)	bethchéncho	
truck driver	bethchén k'élnı	
true	ʔełttth'ı	
trunk	dechén tıl	
t-shirt	t'ızı ʔıt'ár	
Tuesday	Dzık'ér Náke Dzıné	
tug of war	tl'ul ʔełch'ats'ult'ı	
tugboat	tłests'ı	
tulabee	łuek'áta	
tundra	hazú	
turkey	bálay k'ásbacho(gh)	
turkey	bálay k'ásbacho	
turnip	k'ezeldél	
turns head left, right, she/he/it ...	ts'etthít'a	
turns his head, she/he/it ...	natthírét'ą	
turquoise	tsátsıghézé láht'ı	
twelve	nákedhel	
twenty	nóna	
twenty five cents	nónasqlá satsánaze	
twilight	habadhel	

twins	nált'íke	
two	náke	
two dollars / toonie	náke tsąba	
two hundred	nánona	
two people	nádene, ná hılt'e	
ugly	ıakenét'ıle	
ulcer	denebér yá ıeka	
unconscious	dene k'órelyąıle	
under	beyaghe	
under	beyaghe	
under it	beyaghe	
under it	beyaghe	
under me	seyaghe	
underarm	dėnek'eze	
understands him/her/ıt, she/he/ıt ...	yenerení	
underwear	tł'áııt'ár	
underwear	yút'ár	
unfriendly, she/he is ...	dene nélıle	
unhappy, she/he is ...	bahorélyąle	
United States	Bescho(gh) Néné	

universe	belə húle	
up	yudaghé	
up	yudaghé	
up	yudaghé	
up north	yutthé	
up river/ upstream	nɪlɪ dá	
uppermost	k'éda	
upstairs	dahkuɛ	
urine	denelezé	
useless	ʔasí ʔút'ɪle / bet'óre ʔáíle	
uterus	sekuɪ dhéth	
valley	húʔa	
vegetables	níuneshe	
velvet	levlúr	
vertebrae	denenéntth'éné	
very much	ʔasí ɭa	
vest	bebár húle	
vest (moosehide)	denídhéth ʔɪ bebár húle	
vice principal	ʔerehtɭ'ís kuɛ k'áldhër k'éni theda	
visiting, he/she is ...	hótáya	
vomits, she/he ...	nakuɪ	

votes, she/he ...	ʔełıgıth	
wagon	dechën b̥ath	
waist	denenize	
Wait!	Nórułʔ̥.	
Wait! (to one person)	k'aré / Nórelʔ̥.	
wake (for deceased)	denetth'én thetḁ	
wakes up, she/he it ...	ts'ıdhër	
walking stilts	dechën dzare	
walks (leisurely), she/he/it ...	naret'eth	
walks, she/he/it ...	hegël	
wall	yat'aré	
wallet	tsábadhéth	
warehouse	bér yeh	
warm (how warm is it?)	ʔedlánélt'e haldhël nélʔ̥a?	
warming up	ʔeduʔane	
wart	shıth	
wash basin	beyé k'ázélde tth'áy	
washes it, she/he/it ...	yek'áltsıl	
washes own hands, she/he/it ...	belá k'enaltsıl	

washing machine/ washtub	beyé yú k'analtsıl	
washroom (boys)	deneyuaze tsákuę	
washroom (girls)	ts'ékuaze tsákuę	
washroom / toilet	tsákuę	
wasp	níyaghehna	
waste basket	beyé ɿasí heldel	
watch out (to more than one person)	Húłnıla.	
watch out (to one person)	Húłnı.	
watches, she/he/ıt ...	hałnı	
watching TV, she/he is ...	TV nełɿɿ	
water (freezing)	detën	
water (open)	tatth'ı	
water (open, after ice is gone)	tën húle	
water (opening in ice caused by current)	thałdel	
water (opening in ice caused by melting)	tatth'ı	
water (overflow)	ɿekáılbën	
water barrel	líbarı	

water fowl	hətsəl	
water lily	tetɫ'ókál	
water treatment centre	tu kʷə	
water truck	tu bethchéné	
waves, she/he/it ...	yárelnɪ	
weak	nátsërle	
wealthy person	ʔaxelɪ	
weasel	ttheɫk'ayle	
weather (bad)	yatsén	
weather (good)	hurélyə	
Wednesday	Dzɪk'ér Ta Dzɪné	
weed	tɫ'ogh	
week (one)	ʔɪɫághe dzereta	
weighs it, she/he ...	yenáreldëth	
weight	t'áɪldëth	
welder	thatsóné ʔelíɫt'us or satsóné ʔelíɫt'us	
west wind	nës nɪɫts'ɪ	
wet	betsəl	
wet	betsəl	
whale	ɫuecho(gh)	
whale	ɫuecho	
what	ʔedɫághe	

What do you want to eat?	ʔedlághe gh̥ashénetɿ ʔurílʔɿ-u?	
what's happening?	ʔedlághe núdhırá	
when	ʔedló	
where	ʔedlínɿ	
Where do fish live?	łue ʔedlínɿ nádé-a.	
whirlwind	nɿłts'ɿ ʔeɫdëth	
whiskey jack	jíze	
whispers, she/he/it ...	yatıreɫʔus	
whistling, she/he is ...	yushıs	
white	delgay	
white fish	łú	
white wavey	haga lureze	
Whiteman Channel	That'índezé	
whiteout	yet'ıle	
who	ʔedlághe	
who knows	ʔedlághe yek'órelya	
whooping cough	nédenelkuıth	
why	ʔedlághe	
why	ʔedlághe ha / ʔedláa	
wide	dekóth	
wide place	hurıkóth	
willow	k'ái	

willow (diamond)	k'áí hedeth	
willow (red)	k'áí k'os	
willow bush	k'áíchł yás	
Willow Lake	K'áíhatethtú	
wind	nłłts'ł	
wind (shelter from the)	Ɂedunechaghe or dunecha	
wind (strong)	nłłts'ł nátsër	
windburnt	bek'erets'ł	
window	Ɂejak'é	
window	jek'é	
window	Ɂejak'é	
windpipe	deneghol	
windy	nłłts'ł netł'éth	
wing (bird)	bets'éné	
wing feather	t'a	
wing-tip (bird)	bets'énlá	
winks, she/he ...	hunets'íl	
winter	xaye or xay	
wisdom teeth	deneghúcho	
wise, she/he is ...	huyą	
with it	bexél	
with it	bexél	
without it	bedł	

without it	bed _ɿ	
wolf	nun ^{ie} / nun _ɿ	
wolverine	nághaye	
woman	ts'éku _ɿ	
woman (old)	ts'áku _ɿ	
woman (young)	ʔet'eke	
wood (dry)	détsës	
wood (green)	dedl _ɿ n	
wood (lumber)	dechënkél	
wood box	lagés	
Wood Buffalo National Park	ʔejëre Nén	
wood shavings	nágath	
wood shed	tsës yeh	
wooden trunk	dechën t _ɿ l	
woodpecker	dechënych'ɿ	
woodstove	tsánk'ën	
woodworm	dechëne xáídhe	
wool	lalén	
working for self, she/he is ...	ʔedeba ʔeghálana	
working in office, she/he is ...	ʔerehtɿ'ís kúę ʔeghálana	
working, she/he is	ʔeghálana	

...		
world	dırɪ nɛn	
worried, she/he is	nánɪdhër	
...		
worship (a group)	ʔeghá dásorelnɪ	
worship (one person)	ʔeghá sorelnɪ	
worthwhile	bet'óredhɪr	
wrench	bet'á haldeth háldeth	
wrist	denelachené	
writing, she/he is	ʔerehtɫ'ís	
...		
yawns, she/he/it ...	ʔedhél	
year (ago)	yunígháí k'e	
yeast cake	bet'á lés níyɪ	
yellow	delttho	
Yellowknife	Beghúldeschet'ɪné	
Yellowknife	Beghúledesche	
Yellowknife River	Beghúldezé	
yes	ʔé	
Yes, thank you very much.	ʔé mársɪ cho.	
yesterday	hunídztɛ	
You too	nen tth'ú or nen tth'ɪú	