

Unit 7. [] • Counting

Learning goals

- to count from one to twenty
- to count people, days, years, and chunks
- to use plural forms when appropriate

Words

huksaa	counting	ćawaak ^w ał.....	nine
huksčił.....	start counting	ħayu	ten
?ana.....	how many	caqic.....	twenty
quńaa	how many (indirect)	?uħ?iš	and
?aya.....	many	?iš.....	and
kańaa.....	few	quu?as	person
wikiit.....	none	quutquu?as.....	people
ćawaak	one	ćakup.....	man
?ała	two	ćakupiiħ.....	men
qacća	three	ħuucsma	woman
muu	four	ħuucsamiiħ	women
suća	five	ťańa	child
ńupu	six	ťaatńa	children
?ałpu	seven	hupał	sun, moon, month
?ałak ^w ał.....	eight	taanaa*	dollar, money

Conversations

- 1A huksaańitasin. huksči?ałi!..... We're going to count. Start counting!
- 1B ćawaak, ?ała, qacća, muu, suća..... One, two, three, four, five.
- 2A ?anaħa ťaatńe?is. How many children are there?
- 2B sućama ťaatńe?is..... There are five children.
- 2B ?ayama ťaatńe?is. There are many children.
- 2B wikiitma ťaatńe?is. There aren't any children.
- 3A ?aqańałaħa ńaas. What day is it?
- 3A ?anaćił?ałaħa.* What day is it?
- 3B ńupćiił?ałma..... It's Monday.
- 3B hayaa?akaħ q^wińałii ńaas.* I don't know what day it is.
- 4A ?anaq?ićħ?ałħak. How old are you?
- 4B ?ałak^wałq?ićħ?ałaħ. I'm eight years old.
- 4B ħayu ?iš ńupuq?ićħ?ałaħ. I'm sixteen years old.

- 5A ?anaqimnakhak taanaa.*How many dollars do you have?
- 5B ?aʕqimnakah taanaa.*I have two dollars.
- 5B ?ayaakah taanaa.I have lots of money.
- 5B wikiituk^wah taanaa.I don't have any money.