



Modern Yugambah Dictionary and Language lists

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THE MODERN YUGAMBEH LANGUAGE DICTIONARY – 1st Edition

ORTHOGRAPHY

The chief points in this system are:-

1. The actual sound of the word is taken as the basis for spelling.
2. For the few sounds not conveyable by this spelling, an approximation only is aimed at.
3. The vowels are pronounced as in Italian, the consonants mainly as in English.
4. Every letter is sounded.

Hereunder are the letters with the sounds for which they stand:-

	Letters	Sounds ect.
Vowels:-	a	as "a" in "father."
	e	as "e" in "fen."
	i-	as "ee" in "beet."
	o	as "o" in "mote."
	u-	as "oo" in "boot."
Short Vowels		When the consonant following the vowel is doubled the vowel sound is shortened. Example: - "but" is sounded as the word "boot", "butt" as "but."
Diphthongs:-	ai	as "i" in "ice."
	au	as "ow" in "now."
	ei	as "ey" in "they."
Consonants	b, d, f, j, k, l, m, n, p, r, t, v, w, y.	The same as in English consonant sounds.
	q, s.	are not used.
	c, h.	are not used as single letters.
	g	always hard, as in "gap."
	z	only used in one word, "giz-gizba"-to tickle.
	ch	as "ch" in "chat."
	ng	represents a difficult sound, a combination of the "ng" as in "sing," with a sort of guttural aspirate.
	ny	is like the Spanish " ñ" in "señor."
	hn	Is a nasal guttural.

Accent:- Words of two syllables when ending in a vowel are accented on the first syllable; when ending in a consonant the two syllables are equally sounded.

Words: of three, syllables generally have the accent on the first syllable, with a secondary accent on the last syllable if the word ends in a consonant, in words with vowel endings the accent is often on the penultimate.

The acute accent is used to mark exceptions from these rules.

Common Words

And

I

Ours

They

Us

We

You

Ya

Ngaio

Ngullina

Tunnebei

Ngullingi

Ngulli

Bullei

Family members

Aunt

Brother (older)

Brother (younger)

Cousin (male)

Cousin (female)

Daughter

Father

Grandfather

Grandmother

Mother

Sister (older)

Sister (younger)

Son

Uncle

Maren

Kagohn

Banam

Gujarong

Gujarongunn

Muyumgunn

Biung

Nyajung

Kumi

Waijung

Nanang

Yilgahn

Muyum

Kauung

Reptiles

Cobra

Lizard

Snake

Snake (Black)

Snake (Carpet)

Snake (Death adder)

Snake (green)

Snake (large whip)

Snake (Ring)

Snake (Tiger)

Gumbo

Ngaurm

Dirun

Jomgwong

Kabul

Munn dulgumm

Iring

Miburralang

Juwerri

Buggull

Emotions

Calm

Desire

Dream

Funny

Happy

Sad

Sorry

Love

Durungul

Kingilyarragi

Bareibunn

Munyungmunyung

Yalburu

Gijeri

Gijeri

Gumera

Birds

Bird

Butcher bird

Cat bird

Chip Chip

Cockatoo (Black)

Cockatoo (White)

Crow

Duck

Eagle

Egg

Emu

Feather

Finch, Redhead

Fly

Hawk

Jackass

King fisher

Lyre bird

Magpie

Night Hawk

Owl

Parrot

Pelican

Pigeon

Quail

Red white sea hawk

Swallow

Swan

Turkey

Willie Wagtail

Nyombil

Golgorun

Djeegai

Dumdum

Baleirei

Geria

Wagann

Mara

Mibunn

Kabbun

Murun

Jimme

Joolimjoolim

Junburra

Bogabann

Kagaru

Deedee

Kalbun

Kulamburum

Korongunn

Karang

Bilin

Chungarra

Wumbin

Dulung

Ummunjin

Buthaibuthai

Doolee

Wagun

Jingreejingree

Nature

Cloud	Jungun
Grass	Ijun
Ground (as 'Earth)	Chagun
Leaf	Worong
Light (from fire)	Talngai
Light (from sun)	Yalnun
Lightning	Chungunn
Moon	Gibumm
Open Country	Buggeiri
Rain	Gwong
River	Ballun
Sand	Yarong
Sea	Borrogura
Sky	Ngorung
Star	Goromgunn
Sun	Nyunga
Thunder	Muggera
Water	Gwong
Wet	Jabang
Wind	Yarga
Wood	Tallei

Sea animals

Catfish	Mulunyumm
Cod	Togo
Crab	Jubei
Eel	Jurun
Fish	Jalumm
Jewfish	Wagon
Lobster	Mulang
Perch	Mogim
Prawn	Mulang
Saltwater	Biren
Shark	Bowai
Stinging fish	Jilbi
Tide	Yuien
Turtle	Pigin

Body Parts

Ankle	Wulo
Arm	Gungil
Back	Moburra
Belly	Mohn
Body	Biu
Brain	Bungbung
Breast	Nguma
Calf	Buyo
Chest	Tumerrigun
Ear	Penung
Elbow	Gurin
Eye	Mi
Foot	Jenung
Hair	Guhr
Hand	Dunngunn
Head	Baul
Heart	Dulgo
Knee	Jolonga
Knuckle	Mamon
Leg	Thanrung
Liver	Yilnahn
Lung	Bujung
Muscle	Nar
Neck	Tallun
Nose	Moro
Pelvis	Warahn
Penis	Jun
Rib	Dunnarra
Shoulder	Wallagunn
Skin	Yulung
Skull	Konggong
Spine	Moburra
Stomach	Kijerra
Teeth	Dirun
Tongue	Joroghon
Waist	Kunnim

Key words

Aborigine
Afternoon
Baugull
Buggerawana
Day
Family
Friend ship
Hot
Ice (frozen)
Oath
Please
Spirit
Strong
Tomorrow
Whisper
Wonder
Wonderful
Yesterday
Yours

Maibin
Yauun
Good
Victory
Nyangai
Junnebeineubani
Jimbelungare
Ngun
Jirunen
Anbanoba
Yilnanbaugull
Bujerum
Bullang
Mobo
Yathgalen
Gurai
Bugoram
Mobobo
Bullonga

Numbers

One
Two
Three
Four
Five

Yabru
Bula
Bulayabru
Bulabula
Dunngunn

Mammals

Bandicoot
Bat
Cat
Dingo
Echidna
Kangaroo
Kangaroo Rat
Koala
Platypus
Possum
Wallaby

Yagoi
Bilin
Bunjim
Ngurun
Buneen
Muni
Barol
Borobi
Wajin
Guran
Karil

English	Aboriginal (PRESENT)
Aborigine <i>noun</i>	Maibin
ache <i>noun</i>	gorong
admit <i>verb</i>	kailima
adopt <i>verb</i>	kangindi
after	binji
afternoon <i>noun</i>	yau-un
Ah (!)	kaka
albino <i>noun</i>	migujom
alive	mummeri
alone	dagara
alright	yau
also	nga
altogether	karulbo
always	yabruma
am able <i>verb</i>	wupin
am ashamed <i>verb</i>	ging
amuse <i>verb</i>	gnunyun
and	ya
anger <i>noun</i>	kauwunngulli
animal food <i>noun</i>	nongunn
ankle <i>noun</i>	wulo
another	gubbai
ant (bulldog) <i>noun</i>	kummon
ant (greenhead) <i>noun</i>	juloro
ant (jumper) <i>noun</i>	dirang
ant (jumper) <i>noun</i>	ging-ging
ant (sugar) <i>noun</i>	gojulann
ant (white) <i>noun</i>	ji-il
apple-tree (Australian) <i>noun</i>	bulbo
apron (woman's) <i>noun</i>	jagei-jagei
arm (with shoulder) <i>noun</i>	gungil
arm (with wrist) <i>noun</i>	jaruhn
armpit <i>noun</i>	kulun
ash (Moreton bay) <i>noun</i>	gurang
ashes <i>noun</i>	babel
aside	kurrin
ask <i>verb</i>	ingbullei
Aunt <i>noun</i>	maren
awake <i>verb</i>	girrebba
back (as 'spine') <i>noun</i>	moburra
bad <i>adjective</i>	thung
badly	thung

bag <i>noun</i>	bunbi
bag (net) <i>noun</i>	gullai
ball <i>noun</i>	bulun
bandicoot <i>noun</i>	yagoi
bare <i>adjective</i>	bugiri
bark (dry, for kindling) <i>noun</i>	tungei
bark (of a tree) <i>noun</i>	gundul
barter <i>verb</i>	nilgowola
basin <i>noun</i>	neugum
bat <i>noun</i>	bilin
bathe <i>noun</i>	kai-eijun
beach <i>noun</i>	bunburra
beads <i>noun</i>	kalgare
beak <i>noun</i>	moro-garrara
bear <i>noun</i>	borrobi
beat (strike) <i>verb</i>	baieir
beat (time) <i>verb</i>	talga
beautiful <i>adjective</i>	kubill
bed <i>noun</i>	kulbilli
bee <i>noun</i>	nyogai
bee (queen) <i>noun</i>	nyogaigunn
beetle <i>noun</i>	pinginpingin
before	ngulongbo
begin <i>verb</i>	nabei
belly <i>noun</i>	mohn
belt <i>noun</i>	garragohn
beyond	buggerrajunng
big <i>adjective</i>	gumai
bind <i>verb</i>	kunnei
bird <i>noun noun</i>	noangbil
bite <i>verb</i>	inga
bitter <i>adjective</i>	julai
black <i>adjective</i>	doandoan
bladder <i>noun</i>	bullei
bleed <i>verb</i>	gumera
blind <i>adjective</i>	mobi
blink <i>verb</i>	nyumgei
blood <i>noun</i>	gumera
bloodwood <i>noun</i>	bumtu
blow <i>verb</i>	bumbei
blue <i>adjective</i>	ninyeiri
boast <i>verb</i>	goinba
boat <i>noun</i>	gundul

body <i>noun</i>	biu
bone <i>noun</i>	tarregunn
boomerang <i>noun</i>	burragnn
boomerang (double, not for throwing) <i>noun</i>	warrun
bough <i>verb</i>	worrong
bowl <i>noun</i>	wundul
box <i>noun</i>	arol
boy <i>noun</i>	molumm
brain <i>noun</i>	bung-bung
branch <i>noun</i>	tharung (leg)
brave <i>adjective</i>	duinjumm
break <i>verb</i>	gowa
break wind <i>verb</i>	bujin
bream (black) <i>noun</i>	brigunn
bream (bony) <i>noun</i>	ngolun
breast <i>noun</i>	nguma
breathe <i>verb</i>	bui
bridge <i>noun</i>	tullei
bright <i>adjective</i>	talngai
bring <i>verb</i>	wumgin
bring forth (animal) <i>verb</i>	ramulbora
bring forth (human) <i>verb</i>	jajumbora
Brother (Elder) <i>noun</i>	Kagohn
Brother (Younger) <i>noun</i>	Banam
brown <i>adjective</i>	tulgaitulgai
bunya <i>noun</i>	buani
burn <i>verb</i>	bara
burst <i>verb</i>	bunngen
bush <i>noun</i>	bubura
bustard (turkey) <i>noun</i>	wagun
busy <i>adjective</i>	kulil
butcher-bird <i>noun</i>	golgorun
butterfly <i>noun</i>	banjilann
buttocks <i>noun</i>	kumo
by and by	yeu
calf (of the leg) <i>noun</i>	buyo
call <i>verb</i>	kunga
calm <i>adjective</i>	durungul
calm <i>noun</i>	durungul
camp <i>noun</i>	dimunn
capture <i>verb</i>	namoni
careful <i>adjective</i>	nyanya

careless <i>adjective</i>	karulgarul
carry <i>verb</i>	warrei
carving <i>noun</i>	mulgurra
cat (native, blood-sucker) <i>noun</i>	buron-buron
cat (native, meat-eater) <i>noun</i>	bunjim
catfish <i>noun</i>	mulunyumm
cave <i>noun</i>	ngorui
cedar <i>noun</i>	wojei
centipede <i>noun</i>	barara
charm <i>verb</i>	biboro
cheek <i>noun</i>	tungang
chest <i>noun</i>	tumerrigunn
chew <i>verb</i>	jardirungo
chief <i>noun</i>	kaialgumm
Child <i>noun</i>	Jajumm
chilli <i>adjective</i>	wogoru
chin <i>noun</i>	yaran
choke <i>verb</i>	wulba
chop <i>verb</i>	kalga
cinders <i>noun</i>	nindun
clay <i>noun</i>	tallun
clean or clear (not dirty) <i>adjective</i>	talguljumm
clear <i>verb</i>	bugirei
cliff <i>noun</i>	birin
climb <i>verb</i>	wundei
close <i>adjective</i>	tanyung
cloud <i>noun</i>	jungun
cloud of dust <i>noun</i>	bubei
club <i>noun</i>	morotung
clumsy <i>adjective</i>	jumm
cobra <i>noun</i>	gumbo
cobweb <i>noun</i>	barahn-barahn
cockatoo (black) <i>noun</i>	baleirei
cockatoo (white) <i>noun</i>	geira
cod <i>noun</i>	togo
cold <i>noun</i>	waring
cold <i>adjective</i>	wuring
comb <i>noun</i>	bimbura
come <i>verb</i>	wumgin
companion <i>noun</i>	nau-un
contented <i>verb</i>	yalboru
cork tree <i>noun</i>	baga
cork tree <i>noun</i>	wundul

corner <i>noun</i>	karin
cough <i>verb</i>	ghinyilgai
count <i>verb</i>	juriga
country <i>noun</i>	jagun
court <i>verb</i>	meibilam
Cousin (male) <i>noun</i>	Gujarong
Cousin (female) <i>noun</i>	Gujarongunn
cover <i>verb</i>	bunma
covet <i>verb</i>	gujarlbelim
crab <i>noun</i>	jubei
cramp <i>noun</i>	kirin
crane (black and white or gigantic) <i>noun</i>	gilgil
crane (lead coloured) <i>noun</i>	wulbu
crane (white) <i>noun</i>	ngaugunn
creek <i>noun</i>	ballun-ballun
creep <i>verb</i>	yarole
crooked <i>adjective</i>	wumdun
crop <i>noun</i>	noung-tallunga (food of neck)
cross <i>noun</i>	wau-rang
crow <i>noun</i>	wagahn
crown (as of feathers) <i>noun</i>	mogun
crown (of head) <i>noun</i>	billei-billei
cut <i>verb</i>	gaugunn
dance <i>verb</i>	ngari
dark <i>adjective</i>	doandoan
darkness <i>noun</i>	doan
Daughter <i>noun</i>	Muyumgunn
day (suntime) <i>noun</i>	nyunga-i
day (for one)	yabru nyungai
daybreak or dawn <i>noun</i>	parabang
dead <i>adjective</i>	dugai
deaf <i>noun</i>	penungnamung
deaf <i>adjective</i>	wongul
deaf <i>adjective</i>	kungajumm (not hear)
decaying substance <i>noun</i>	birrebunn
deep <i>adjective</i>	gurul
delay <i>verb</i>	kulgoll
descend <i>verb</i>	gargei
desire <i>verb</i>	kingilyarragi
dew <i>noun</i>	jilbi
diarrhoea <i>noun</i>	mujerri-majiri
die <i>verb</i>	kilung
dig <i>verb</i>	duwa

dillybag <i>noun</i>	bindun
dingo <i>noun</i>	ngurun
dirt <i>noun</i>	tulgul
dirty <i>adjective</i>	tulgul
dive <i>verb</i>	kalgalei
doing <i>verb</i>	yabruma
down	djui
down (feathers) <i>noun</i>	jimme
dread <i>verb</i>	kalgauwarrei
dream <i>noun</i>	bareibunn
dream <i>verb</i>	bareibun
drink <i>verb</i>	jar
drip <i>verb</i>	jumgin
drive <i>verb</i>	gaia
drop <i>verb</i>	bunngen
drought <i>noun</i>	guongjumm
drown <i>verb</i>	morogaia
drum <i>noun</i>	bunngunn
dry <i>adjective</i>	darum
duck <i>noun</i>	mara
dugong <i>noun</i>	yungunn
dumb <i>adjective</i>	ngauraijumm
dust <i>noun</i>	bubei
eagle <i>noun</i>	mibunn
ear <i>noun</i>	penung
Earth (as "ground") <i>noun</i>	Chagun
East <i>noun</i>	Djui ("down" i.e. sloping seaward)
eat <i>verb</i>	jar
echidna <i>noun</i>	buneen
edge (as "corner") <i>noun</i>	karin
edible <i>adjective</i>	tabaigubi
eel <i>noun</i>	jurun
egg <i>noun</i>	kabbun
elbow <i>noun</i>	gurin
embrace <i>verb</i>	numala
empty <i>adjective</i>	kumbunn
empty <i>verb</i>	kumbunn
emu <i>noun</i>	murun
enclose <i>verb</i>	bunja
end <i>noun</i>	jimm
end (as an affix)	jimm
enraged (to be) <i>verb</i>	gaugunn
envy <i>noun</i>	kujarl-bulim
evening (just dark) <i>noun</i>	yau-un-yau-un

everything <i>noun</i>	karul
expect <i>verb</i>	wulung
expert <i>adjective</i>	wupin
eye <i>noun</i>	mi
eyebrow <i>noun</i>	ilim
fade <i>verb</i>	tulgaitulgai
faeces <i>noun</i>	gunung
fall <i>verb</i>	karrunjalei
false <i>adjective</i>	ungjurra
Family <i>noun</i>	Junnebei-neubani
far	gauwull
farther	gauwulljunng
farthest	gauwullbunngil
fast <i>adjective</i>	wogin
fat <i>noun</i>	gajuru
fat <i>adjective</i>	gajul
Father <i>noun</i>	Biung
fear (as verb 'to fear') <i>noun</i>	duin
feather <i>noun</i>	jimme
features <i>noun</i>	ibru
feed <i>verb</i>	jar
feel <i>verb</i>	munai
Female (under 8) <i>noun</i>	Jabun
Female (8-15) <i>noun</i>	Modulumm
Female (15-25) <i>noun</i>	Wulbungunn
Female (25-30) <i>noun</i>	Talgunn
Female (30-50) <i>noun</i>	Merinjjin
Female (over 50) <i>noun</i>	Merungunn
fig <i>noun</i>	buyei
Female (over 50) <i>noun</i>	bumalen
fight (spear, boomerang & shield) <i>verb</i>	nabullen
fight (see "to fight") <i>noun</i>	bumalen
fighting stick <i>noun</i>	kalgurru
fill <i>verb</i>	dumburru
fin <i>noun</i>	karen
find <i>verb</i>	mya
fire <i>noun</i>	waiburra
fish <i>noun</i>	jalumm
fish (with hook) <i>verb</i>	jalumbiralei
five (2+2+1 or hand) <i>adjective</i>	bulabulayabru
five (2+2+1 or hand) <i>adjective</i>	dunngunn
flame (as "light") <i>noun</i>	taingai
flea <i>noun</i>	chindil
flee <i>verb</i>	kalgorei

flee (in panic) <i>verb</i>	yaroyarole
flesh <i>noun</i>	igumm
flint <i>noun</i>	yugunn
flood <i>noun</i>	ngulyaa
flower <i>noun</i>	wongara
fly (animal) <i>noun</i>	junburra
fly (flight) <i>verb</i>	yarole
flycatcher (black fantail) <i>noun</i>	chingerrichingerrri
fog <i>noun</i>	nongunn
food <i>noun</i>	noung
food (animal) <i>noun</i>	nongunn
foot <i>noun</i>	jenung
footprint <i>noun</i>	charara
forehead <i>noun</i>	ngiri
forepaw <i>noun</i>	mummun
foretell <i>verb</i>	ngulungbo
forget <i>verb</i>	wongul
fork <i>noun</i>	mijul
fork (of tree) <i>noun</i>	talbulla
four (2+2) <i>adjective</i>	bulabula
freeze <i>verb</i>	jirun
fresh (as young) <i>adjective</i>	bulin
friend <i>noun</i>	jimbelung
friendship <i>noun</i>	jimbelungare
frighten <i>verb</i>	duin
frog <i>noun</i>	taran
frost <i>noun</i>	jirun
fruit <i>noun</i>	same as tree or plant of the particular kind
full <i>adjective</i>	dumburra
fun <i>noun</i>	ngarrijun
funny <i>adjective</i>	munyungmunyung
fur <i>noun</i>	gurra
game <i>noun</i>	ngareia
generous <i>adjective</i>	kanahngin
ghost <i>noun</i>	duggai
giddy <i>adjective</i>	biboro
gift <i>noun</i>	mulgerri
give <i>verb</i>	wula
go <i>verb</i>	yana
go round <i>verb</i>	kalgama
good <i>adjective</i>	baugull
Grandfather <i>noun</i>	Nyajung
Grandmother (Father's Mother) <i>noun</i>	Kumi
Grandmother (Mother's Mother) <i>noun</i>	Barbun

grass <i>noun</i>	ijun
grass (tussocky & bulbous) <i>noun</i>	bai-bai
grass (blady) <i>noun</i>	barul
grasshopper <i>noun</i>	tibirei
grass-tree <i>noun</i>	garragull
grasshopper <i>noun</i>	thurragull
gravel <i>noun</i>	tarautarau
greedy <i>adjective</i>	munum
green <i>adjective</i>	pujarbinn
grind (sharpen on a stone) <i>verb</i>	yanba
ground (as earth) <i>noun</i>	chagun
ground (open country) <i>noun</i>	buggeiri
grow <i>verb</i>	duran
growl <i>verb</i>	ngoro
grub <i>noun</i>	jabumm
guide <i>verb</i>	nyumbar
gullet <i>noun</i>	jogala
gum (edible from wattle) <i>noun</i>	ngirum
gum (other kinds) <i>noun</i>	ngau-uin
gumtree (blue) <i>noun</i>	mungera
gumtree (silver-leaf ironbark) <i>noun</i>	undula
gumtree (narrow-leaf ironbark) <i>noun</i>	biggera
gumtree (bally) <i>noun</i>	ballugumm
hail <i>noun</i>	darrobahn
hair <i>noun</i>	guhr
half	bam
hand <i>noun</i>	dunngunn
handle <i>noun</i>	jarun
hang <i>verb</i>	wulbar
Happy <i>adjective</i>	Yalburru
Happy (to be) <i>verb</i>	Yalboru
Happy Family <i>noun</i>	Buthaibuthai
hard <i>adjective</i>	jungumm
hawk (kite) <i>noun</i>	bogabann
hawk (sparrow) <i>noun</i>	kalanbann
hawk (fish) <i>noun</i>	ungau
He	Neule
head <i>noun</i>	bau;
headache <i>noun</i>	malun
hear <i>verb</i>	kunga
heart <i>noun</i>	dulgo

heat <i>noun</i>	ngun
heat <i>noun</i>	ngun
heavy <i>adjective</i>	junduro
Her	Neulegunni
here	gulli
hereafter (as 'by and by')	yeu
Hers	Neulegunna
hide <i>verb</i>	worbullei
high <i>adjective</i>	barai
hill <i>noun</i>	mulei
Him	Neulongi
His	neulonga
hold <i>verb</i>	Iba
hole <i>noun</i>	gubung
hollow <i>noun</i>	kubun
honey (from big bee) <i>noun</i>	kujei
honey (from small bee) <i>noun</i>	kabei
hornet <i>noun</i>	dugull
hot <i>adjective</i>	ngun
house <i>noun</i>	ngumbin
how	minyung
hump or hunch <i>noun</i>	kulbun
hungry <i>adjective</i>	gubberri
hunt <i>verb</i>	gaia
Hurrah (!)	baubau
hurt <i>verb</i>	purgul
hurt (see verb) <i>noun</i>	purgul
Husband <i>noun</i>	Neubung
i	ngaio
ice <i>noun</i>	jirunen
if	geung
iguana (black) <i>noun</i>	giwa
iguana (ground) <i>noun</i>	maron
inside (generally)	djuya
inside (house)	gunulla
intestines (small) <i>noun</i>	gunungbojarrabinn
intestines (big) <i>noun</i>	bulaubinn
invite <i>verb</i>	goenbunnei
island <i>noun</i>	charrabumm
jackass <i>noun</i>	kagaru
jawbone <i>noun</i>	nogul
jealous <i>adjective</i>	mibunjala
jewfish <i>noun</i>	wagun

joint <i>noun</i>	gindin
jump <i>verb</i>	julbalei
kangaroo <i>noun</i>	muni
kangaroo (old man) <i>noun</i>	gromun
kangaroo (female) <i>noun</i>	himmerra
kangaroo (weaner) <i>noun</i>	wogulpun
kangaroo (young, in & out of pouch) <i>noun</i>	julen
kangaroo (baby) <i>noun</i>	nyamul
kangaroo rat <i>noun</i>	barol
kick <i>verb</i>	jenung baiabaieir
kidneys <i>noun</i>	mongerra
kill <i>verb</i>	buma
kindle <i>verb</i>	kunjelinn
knee <i>noun</i>	gindil
kneel <i>verb</i>	jolonga
knife <i>noun</i>	jungnuru
knot <i>noun</i>	kunne
knot (on a tree) <i>noun</i>	gindim
know <i>verb</i>	migunn
knuckle <i>noun</i>	mamon
kunjeboi (tree) <i>noun</i>	bujaie
kurrajong (tree) <i>noun</i>	yabara
lake <i>noun</i>	nanda
lame <i>adjective</i>	wungahn
laugh <i>verb</i>	minjei
lazy <i>adjective</i>	il
lead <i>verb</i>	juriga
leaf <i>noun</i>	worong
lean <i>verb</i>	noala
lean (of meat) <i>noun</i>	gajuljumm
lean (not fat) <i>adjective</i>	gajuljumm
least	bijungulunn
leather-head (bird) <i>noun</i>	gulgulung
leave (depart) <i>verb</i>	inama
leave alone <i>verb</i>	wunna
leave off <i>verb</i>	wunnalei
leech (water) <i>noun</i>	jurrungil
leech (scrub) <i>noun</i>	nyanai
left-hand side <i>noun</i>	warrumbil
leg <i>noun</i>	tharung
less	bijungai
let <i>verb</i>	jauga

liar <i>noun</i>	ungjurraning
lick <i>verb</i>	buinbei
lie (falsehood) <i>noun</i>	ungjurra
lie (bad lie) <i>noun</i>	ungjurragulli
lie (rest) <i>verb</i>	ina
lift <i>verb</i>	jurema
light (from fire) <i>noun</i>	talngai
light (from sun) <i>noun</i>	yalnun
light (weight) <i>adjective</i>	yalul
light (shine) <i>verb</i>	talngai
lightning <i>noun</i>	chungunn
like	ninyeire
like <i>verb</i>	baugull
lip <i>noun</i>	jeng
little <i>adjective</i>	bijung
little <i>ad-verb</i>	bijung
liver <i>noun</i>	yilnahn
lizard (frilled) <i>noun</i>	ngarum
lizard (house) <i>noun</i>	djulon
lizard (sleeping) <i>noun</i>	gobagunn
lizard (scrub, black) <i>noun</i>	bauyam
lobster <i>noun</i>	mulang
locust <i>noun</i>	yerrimbumm
log <i>noun</i>	tulleiri
log (burning) <i>noun</i>	theidungari
loins <i>noun</i>	kunnim
long <i>adjective</i>	gurara
long ago	gutilabo
long ago (very)	gurilabunngil
lose <i>verb</i>	walan
louse <i>noun</i>	tulumm
love <i>noun</i>	gumera
love (see bleed) <i>verb</i>	bujera
low <i>adjective</i>	julogull
lower <i>verb</i>	kargilima
lung <i>noun</i>	bujung
lyre-bird <i>noun</i>	kalbun
mad <i>adjective</i>	wongwong
magpie <i>noun</i>	kulamburunn
make <i>verb</i>	yaga
Male (child) <i>noun</i>	Molumm
Male (12-15) <i>noun</i>	Jabo
Male (15-20) <i>noun</i>	Jabojil

Male (20-25) <i>noun</i>	Giberra
Male (25-40) <i>noun</i>	Marrogunn
Male (40-50) <i>noun</i>	Bangin
Male (about 50 yrs) <i>noun</i>	Mata
Male (over 50) <i>noun</i>	Gijumm
Man (black fellow) <i>noun</i>	Maibin
Man (white) <i>noun</i>	Duggai
Man (white gentleman) <i>noun</i>	Kamerun
Man (white workman) <i>noun</i>	Karapi
many <i>adjective</i>	wallull
many	wallul
Married Couple <i>noun</i>	neubani
marry <i>verb</i>	kunjelinn
marsh <i>noun</i>	nyunda
me	unyi
measure <i>verb</i>	juriga
meat (as muscle, flesh) <i>noun</i>	igumm
meet <i>verb</i>	gnirigomindala
mend <i>verb</i>	mumgar
middle <i>adjective</i>	kilei
midnight <i>noun</i>	nalo
milk <i>noun</i>	milung
mine	unya
mistletoe (fire of bat) <i>noun</i>	bilangawaiburra
moan <i>verb</i>	neurbullen
moon <i>noun</i>	gibumm
more <i>adjective</i>	kurrull
morning <i>noun</i>	bujera
mosquito <i>noun</i>	munnjur
most <i>adjective</i>	kurrullbungil
most of all	kurrullbungil
Mother <i>noun</i>	Waijung
mountain (range or peak) <i>noun</i>	borrol
mountain (spur) <i>noun</i>	tugai
mouth <i>noun</i>	jeng
move <i>verb</i>	wagai
mud <i>noun</i>	dulgurra
muddy <i>adjective</i>	tulgul
mullet <i>noun</i>	goyung
murder <i>verb</i>	bumilun
muscle <i>noun</i>	nar
mussel <i>noun</i>	eugari
nail (of hand or foot) <i>noun</i>	dungoing

name <i>noun</i>	ngarri
name <i>verb</i>	ngarrima
navel <i>noun</i>	jinnimiri
nearly	duggull
neck (front) <i>noun</i>	tallun
neck (back) <i>noun</i>	dorobin
necklace (of beads) <i>noun</i>	kalgare
Nephew <i>noun</i>	Brujumm
nest <i>noun</i>	jinndi
net (for catching wallaby) <i>noun</i>	yauung
net (for fishing) <i>noun</i>	net (for catching wallaby)
new <i>adjective</i>	balinggull
Niece <i>noun</i>	Burujumgunn
night <i>noun</i>	ondirei
night <i>noun</i>	inala (rest time)
night hawk <i>noun</i>	korongunn
nits (young of louse) <i>noun</i>	dimin
no	yugumm
noisy <i>adjective</i>	gurrgunngulli
North <i>noun</i>	Kugin
nose <i>noun</i>	moro
now	barang
nullah <i>noun</i>	jabiri
oak <i>noun</i>	bilung
oath (as taken at bora) <i>noun</i>	anbanoba
Oh (!)	pabo
old <i>adjective</i>	kobungil
one <i>adjective</i>	yabru
open country <i>noun</i>	buggeiri
opossum <i>noun</i>	guran
opossum (black male) <i>noun</i>	kunumm
opossum (black female) <i>noun</i>	dundungau
opossum (grey male) <i>noun</i>	iriging
opossum (grey female) <i>noun</i>	ngaurul
opossum (ringtail) <i>noun</i>	wing
Orion's Belt (stars) <i>noun</i>	werl
Orphan (male) <i>noun</i>	Kulumm
Orphan (female) <i>noun</i>	Kulumgunn
ours	ngullina
outside	burum
owl (morepork) <i>noun</i>	kumgunn
owl (small, slate-coloured) <i>noun</i>	karang
owner <i>noun</i>	jimmbilun

oyster <i>noun</i>	kinyingarra
paddle (any stick to shove or poke with) <i>noun</i>	djulung
pain <i>noun</i>	baragull
pain <i>verb</i>	burragull
painful (as 'pain') <i>adjective</i>	burragull
paint <i>verb</i>	bummaleir
paralysed (without feel) <i>adjective</i>	munaijumm
parrot <i>noun</i>	bilin
part (little) <i>noun</i>	bijung
pass (go by and leave alone) <i>verb</i>	buggerrawunna
peevish (querulous owing to ill-health) <i>adjective</i>	karokarolen
pelican <i>noun</i>	chungarra
pelican (child's nickname for) <i>noun</i>	nyajungnoro (got my grandfather)
pelvis <i>noun</i>	warahn
pendant (shell) <i>noun</i>	julim
penis <i>noun</i>	jun
perch (fish) <i>noun</i>	mogim
perhaps	waun
pewit <i>noun</i>	bulummbulumm
phlegm (from nose and throat) <i>noun</i>	nirunn
pigeon (flock) <i>noun</i>	burrabumm
pigeon (wanga) <i>noun</i>	wumbin
pigeon (wampo) <i>noun</i>	mummogunn
pinch <i>verb</i>	munda
pine <i>noun</i>	bimbul
plain <i>noun</i>	gunungai
platypus <i>noun</i>	wajin
play <i>verb</i>	nabei
please <i>verb</i>	yilnanbaugull
plover <i>noun</i>	debradebbra
point <i>noun</i>	kulun
poison <i>verb</i>	diggerei
poison <i>noun</i>	diggerei
pole <i>noun</i>	djulung
pour <i>verb</i>	garbei
praise <i>verb</i>	kunbunden
prawn <i>noun</i>	mulang
pregnant <i>adjective</i>	ngarraghai
pretend <i>verb</i>	ungjarra
protect <i>verb</i>	munjindei

pull along <i>verb</i>	buyei
pull off <i>verb</i>	buya
pull out <i>verb</i>	bora
push <i>verb</i>	djulung
quail <i>noun</i>	dulung
quiet <i>adjective</i>	ningning
quiet <i>adjective</i>	numnum
rain <i>noun</i>	gwong
rain <i>verb</i>	gwong
rainbow <i>noun</i>	chalahn
rat <i>noun</i>	kundera
reckless <i>adjective</i>	wuiwui
red (light) <i>adjective</i>	gogin
red (dark) <i>adjective</i>	goging
red (bright) <i>adjective</i>	djairi
redhead (bird) <i>noun</i>	wagaiwagai
regent-bird <i>noun</i>	ninganunga
relics or remains <i>noun</i>	galba
return <i>verb</i>	nimbulima
revenge <i>noun</i>	karbahn
rib <i>noun</i>	dunnara
ride <i>verb</i>	umbei
ridge <i>noun</i>	mulei
right-hand side <i>noun</i>	junimba
ring <i>noun</i>	boul
ripe <i>adjective</i>	bogumm
rise <i>verb</i>	bagojei
river <i>noun</i>	ballun
road <i>noun</i>	kulgunn
roast (cooking) <i>verb</i>	kwiba
roast (burn) <i>verb</i>	murba
roll <i>verb</i>	gurawa
root <i>noun</i>	waran
root out <i>verb</i>	mundan
rough <i>adjective</i>	millerrijumm
rub <i>verb</i>	dorama
run <i>verb</i>	gauarei
sacred <i>adjective</i>	bugeram
sad <i>verb</i>	gijeri
saliva <i>noun</i>	ungirei
salt-water <i>noun</i>	biren
sand <i>noun</i>	yarong
sapling <i>noun</i>	bijungann

sapling (small) <i>noun</i>	bunan
satin-bird <i>noun</i>	wambun
scarce <i>adjective</i>	bulagalun
scare <i>verb</i>	duin
scatter <i>verb</i>	dalbadalban
scratch <i>verb</i>	munda
scrub <i>noun</i>	kabunn
sea <i>noun</i>	borrogura
see <i>verb</i>	nya
seed <i>noun</i>	same as tree or plant of the particular kind
send <i>verb</i>	jaugar
Seven Sisters (Group of Stars) <i>noun</i>	Jirun
sew (as mend) <i>verb</i>	mumgar
shade <i>noun</i>	malong
shadow <i>noun</i>	ngoro
shake <i>verb</i>	jiga
shallow <i>adjective</i>	junjeiri
shark <i>noun</i>	bowai
she	neulegunn
shell <i>noun</i>	nirill
shield <i>noun</i>	baga
shin or shinbone (large) <i>noun</i>	narim
shinbone (fibula, small) <i>noun</i>	bimbara
shine <i>verb</i>	yalnun
shoot (of plant) <i>noun</i>	jurunjurun
shoot (throw) <i>verb</i>	nabun
shooting star <i>noun</i>	kapun
short <i>adjective</i>	mul
short-tempered <i>adjective</i>	barulbarul
shoulder <i>noun</i>	wallagunn
shoulderblade <i>noun</i>	bugaba
show <i>verb</i>	nyumbar
shrill (as light) <i>adjective</i>	yalul
shut <i>verb</i>	bunja
sick <i>adjective</i>	yuljul
side <i>noun</i>	dunnerra
sign <i>noun</i>	wogai
sinew <i>noun</i>	nar
sing <i>verb</i>	yarrabil
Sister (Elder) <i>noun</i>	Nanang
Sister (Younger) <i>noun</i>	Yilgahn
sit <i>verb</i>	wein

skin <i>noun</i>	yulung
skull <i>noun</i>	konnong
sky <i>noun</i>	ngorung
sky blue <i>adjective</i>	ngorung
sleep <i>noun</i>	nguram
sleep <i>verb</i>	nguram
slide <i>verb</i>	kadei
slippery (as smooth) <i>adjective</i>	millerri
slow <i>adjective</i>	munmul
slowly	munwull
smash <i>verb</i>	bathai
smell <i>verb</i>	neumbinne
smoke <i>noun</i>	jum
smoke <i>verb</i>	jom
smooth <i>adjective</i>	millerri
snake <i>noun</i>	dirun
snake(diamond) <i>noun</i>	juworri
snake (carpet) <i>noun</i>	kabul
snake (black) <i>noun</i>	jomgwong
snake (death adder) <i>noun</i>	munndulgumm
snake (large whip) <i>noun</i>	miburralang
snake (green) <i>noun</i>	iring
snake (ring) <i>noun</i>	juwerri-kumbunn-kummbang
snake (tiger) <i>noun</i>	buggull
soak <i>verb</i>	junnba
soft <i>adjective</i>	bujera
soften (see 'love') <i>verb</i>	bujera
soldier bird <i>noun</i>	bimbim
Son <i>noun</i>	muyum
soon	ngolongmai
soot <i>noun</i>	ninduin
sore <i>noun</i>	jigai
sore <i>noun</i>	jiggai
sorry <i>adjective</i>	gijeri
sorry (see 'sad', to be) <i>verb</i>	gijeri
sour <i>adjective</i>	julai
south <i>noun</i>	ngaugai
speak <i>verb</i>	ngaurai
spear <i>noun</i>	joan
spear (small) <i>noun</i>	billara
spew <i>verb</i>	molong
spider <i>noun</i>	barahnbarahn
spin <i>verb</i>	gurawalen

spine <i>noun</i>	moburra
Spirit (Ghost) <i>noun</i>	Bujerum
Spirit (Ghost) <i>noun</i>	Bullogahn
spit <i>verb</i>	ungiri
spilt <i>verb</i>	juba
spread <i>verb</i>	birangma
spring (see jump) <i>verbs</i>	julbalei
squeeze <i>verb</i>	nima
squirrel (large) <i>noun</i>	waiam
squirrel (small) <i>noun</i>	worara
stale <i>adjective</i>	malgun
stand <i>verb</i>	jana
star <i>noun</i>	goromgunn
stare <i>verb</i>	katarmila
start <i>verb</i>	marere
starve <i>verb</i>	gabri
steal <i>verb</i>	wurga
stick (fighting) <i>noun</i>	kalgurru
stick (yam) <i>noun</i>	gunnai
stick (adhere) <i>verb</i>	majen
stiff (or cramped) <i>adjective</i>	kirin
stinging fish (found in Albert R) <i>noun</i>	jibi
stinging tree <i>noun</i>	kulburu
stinging tree bark (prepared for holding honey) <i>noun</i>	kuleirei
stingy (as greedy) <i>adjective</i>	munum
stink <i>verb</i>	bugau
stomach <i>noun</i>	kijerra
stone <i>noun</i>	darrau
story <i>noun</i>	gaureima
straight <i>adjective</i>	jundi
strike (beat, hit) <i>verb</i>	baieir
string <i>noun</i>	wagoei
strip (as of bark) <i>noun</i>	birreba
strip (skin) <i>verb</i>	birreba
strong (muscular) <i>adjective</i>	narbullang
strong (generally) <i>adjective</i>	bullang
stump <i>noun</i>	gunum
stun <i>verb</i>	biboro
suck <i>verb</i>	tung
sulky <i>adjective</i>	morunbul
summer <i>noun</i>	nungalgiri
sun <i>noun</i>	nyunga

surround <i>verb</i>	kalgulma
swallow <i>noun</i>	buthaibuthai
swallow <i>verb</i>	jogar
swan <i>noun</i>	dulei
sweat <i>verb</i>	nyungul
sweep <i>verb</i>	bulara
sweet <i>adjective</i>	minin
swell <i>verb</i>	bummbumm
swelling <i>noun</i>	bummbumm
swing <i>verb</i>	jurei
tail <i>noun</i>	jun
take <i>verb</i>	kanga
tall <i>adjective</i>	gurara
tangle <i>verb</i>	gunnei
tap <i>verb</i>	bunjei
taste <i>noun</i>	nang
tattoo <i>verb</i>	biran
teach <i>verb</i>	nyeumba
tear <i>verb</i>	dunmun
tears <i>noun</i>	nulara
tease <i>verb</i>	mulgunnmujumm
teeth <i>noun</i>	dirun
tell <i>verb</i>	gia
tell a tale <i>verb</i>	gaureima
testicles <i>noun</i>	bul
that	mulli
that	gilli
thee	wani
their	tunnebeinga
them	tunnebeingi
there (somewhere thereabout)	gagahna
there (not very far off)	mulli or gilli
there (far away)	gilli
there (close)	mamulli
there (somewhere)	munga
they	tunnebei
thick <i>adjective</i>	gumai
thigh or thighbone <i>noun</i>	tharung
thin <i>adjective</i>	gajuljumm
thine	wonga
think <i>verb</i>	kungullanji
thirsty <i>adjective</i>	ngauuin

this	gulli
thorn <i>noun</i>	wulenbil
thou	wallo
three (2+1) <i>adjective</i>	bulayabru
throw <i>verb</i>	bira
throw away <i>verb</i>	talba
thunder <i>noun</i>	mugerra
tick <i>noun</i>	kulunn
tickle <i>verb</i>	gizgizba
tide (falling) <i>noun</i>	kunajaru
tide (rising) <i>noun</i>	yeien
tie <i>verb</i>	kunne
timid <i>adjective</i>	duin
tired <i>adjective</i>	yilen
tired (to be) <i>verb</i>	yilen
today	barang
tomahawk <i>noun</i>	bundahn
tomorrow	mobo
tongue <i>noun</i>	jorogohn
touch <i>noun</i>	munai
touch <i>verb</i>	munai
track <i>verb</i>	charara
tree <i>noun</i>	tullei
tremble <i>verb</i>	duralei
trot <i>verb</i>	carburrabul
true <i>adjective</i>	jundi
truth <i>noun</i>	ungjurrajumm
try <i>verb</i>	yagulgoma
turkey <i>noun</i>	wagun
turn <i>verb</i>	kurawallei
turtle <i>noun</i>	pingin
two <i>adjective</i>	bula
Uncle (Father's Brother) <i>noun</i>	Biung
Uncle (Mother's Brother) <i>noun</i>	kauung
Uncle's Wife <i>noun</i>	ngarun
undo <i>verb</i>	bura
up	dugun
upwards	burrai
urine <i>noun</i>	challubai
us	ngullingi
vein <i>noun</i>	gumeragubi
very	yilen
very much indeed	baugullbaugullen

waist (lions) <i>noun</i>	kunnim
walk (as 'go') <i>verb</i>	yana
wallaby (scrub) <i>noun</i>	karil
wallaby (red, river) <i>noun</i>	gribunn
wallaby (red, flat) <i>noun</i>	burrigin
wallaby (pretty face) <i>noun</i>	wongari
wallaby (black) <i>noun</i>	jumgumm
wallaby (rock) <i>noun</i>	magun
wanting in health <i>adjective</i>	bumbung
War <i>noun</i>	Kornara
warn <i>verb</i>	woba
wash <i>verb</i>	junnba
water <i>noun</i>	gwong
waterhole <i>noun</i>	gwonggubunga
waterlily <i>noun</i>	moiyum
wattle (black) <i>noun</i>	chumau
wattle (green) <i>noun</i>	thaii
we	ngulli
weak <i>adjective</i>	narjumm
wear <i>verb</i>	gabullei
weep <i>verb</i>	dunga
weight <i>noun</i>	jungul
well	baugull
well (as 'good') <i>adjective</i>	baugull
west <i>noun</i>	dugunn
wet <i>adjective</i>	jabang
what	minyung
when	innjigunn
where	illi
which	minyung ganga
whirlwind <i>noun</i>	ungau
whirlwind <i>noun</i>	boulmung
whiskers <i>noun</i>	yarung
whisper <i>verb</i>	yathgalen
whistle <i>verb</i>	wungumbil
white <i>adjective</i>	talngai
who	nan
whose	nanang
why	minyungi
Widow <i>noun</i>	Kunimbuggaugunn
Widower <i>noun</i>	Kunimbuggau
Wife <i>noun</i>	Neubungunn
willing to do <i>verb</i>	gulil

win <i>verb</i>	buggerrawunna
wind <i>noun</i>	yarga
wing <i>noun</i>	jaruhn
winter <i>noun</i>	warringin
wipe <i>verb</i>	doroma
without (affix)	jumm
Woman <i>noun</i>	Talgunn
wonder (exclamation of)	gurai
wonderful <i>adjective</i>	bugoram
wood (tree) <i>noun</i>	tallei
wood (small branches) <i>noun</i>	tinnerii
wood (dry bark) <i>noun</i>	tungei
wood adder <i>noun</i>	bolumm
wrestle <i>verb</i>	biama
yam <i>noun</i>	dum
yellow <i>adjective</i>	tharagumm
yes	yauung
yesterday	mobobo
you	bullei
you (as obj)	bullungi
young (of any animal) <i>noun</i>	nyamul
young (as 'fresh') <i>adjective</i>	bulin
yours	bullonga