

*Knowledge Bowl 2018 - Nez Perce*

**Word List**

House - ʔiní·t  
Clock – liklí·ńes  
Restroom – ʔá·tinwa·s  
Glasses – siló·ʔayn  
thimble – ǰáʔawno  
Bag – ʔitétʔes  
Scarf – yéhet wiyé·letpeʔayn  
Book – tí·mes  
Sinew – pí·s  
Earring – ʔeqí·wit  
Columbia River – ǰuyé·łp  
Moon/Sun – hí·semtuks  
Cloud – ʔipelí·kt  
Rainbow – wacámyos  
Wind – há·tya  
Mud – sitǰ  
Fog – ʔipé·cǰetit  
Rain – wé·qit  
Snow – mé·qeʔ  
Ice – téhes  
Frost – ʔísqep  
Smoke – qí·tin  
Hide/Skin – meʔéqs  
Snot – ǰi·t  
Scar – ké·skes  
Bone – pi·ps  
Bone Marrow- té·pul  
Blood – kikéʔt  
Vein – pápay  
Grease/Fat – tasǰ  
Cemetery – sáway  
Fish Trap – leqé·les  
Dipnet – teqéʔs  
Indian Suitcase – ʔisá·ptakay  
Oar/Paddle – wisalpóʔs  
Shade – sáǰis  
Travois – sepéʔsepen  
Arrow – ce·p  
Rifle – tímú·ni  
Chewing Gum – sáǰsin  
Tobacco – tu·ǰ  
Salmon Eggs – qáqil  
Mushroom – hípew  
Food – hipt

Knife – **walc**  
Plate – **ṭayctá·yc**  
Spoon – **so·ṣ**  
Fork – **có·ckakaʔs**  
Cup – **ʔipné·kuteʔs**  
Bowl – **hí·kay**  
Thief – **peṣwetípec**  
Teacher – **sepehitemenewé·t**  
Elder – **té·qis**  
Student – **hitemenewé·t**  
Soldier – **piwapciyawnawá·t**  
Writer – **tiṃenewé·t**  
Hunter – **tukelixnewé·t**  
Painter – **sepelike·ceyewé·t**  
Giver – **piʔnitípec**  
Cleaner – **capakayniwá·t**  
Trader – **taklaynawá·t**  
Asian Person – **célmen**  
Indian Person – **titó·qan**  
Weaver – **keṃwinewé·t**  
Black Person – **titámox/cicámox**  
Euro Person – **so·yá·po**  
Magpie – **ʔé·kex**  
Owl – **palṣó·ckiṃ**  
Woodpecker – **te·qt**  
Snail – **qalapó·ya**  
Cricket – **cálxcalx**  
Maggot – **mólaʔ**  
Ant – **támsoy**  
Flea – **há·slam**  
Earwig – **ʔetummqi·wit**  
Lice – **píle**  
Cow Elk – **tasí·px**  
M. Buck Deer – **té·wisi·n**  
Sturgeon – **qí·leṣ**  
Badger – **sí·kiʔ**  
Tail – **tuʔúynu**  
Hoof – **pé·yu**  
Meadowlark – **qócqoc**

Verbs & Sentences

Verb 1<sup>st</sup> person (singular)

3<sup>rd</sup> person (singular)

Be wé-s

hí-wes

Sturgeon is a hunter.

**quyé-squyes hí-wes té-q'is.**

Blue jay is an elder.

**mó-la? hí-wes ken'winew'é-t.**

Maggot is a weaver.

**?atamqi-wit hí-wes piwapciy'awnaw'á-t.**

Earwig is a soldier.

**támsoy hí-wes sepehitemenew'é-t.**

Ant is a teacher.

**?é-k'ex hí-wes hitemenew'é-t.**

Meadowlark is a student.

Throw **té-mqikeykse hité-mqikeykse**

**yóǎ hitemenew'é-t hité-mqikeykse píswene.**

The student is throwing the rock.

**yóǎ titó-qan hité-mqikeykse sítǎne.**

The Indian person is throwing the mud.

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Kick **tulé?pt'ese**

**petulé?pt'ese**

**yóǎ ?á-cix petulé?pt'ese mó-la?na.**

The turtle is kicking the maggot.

Hit **?ipt'é-se**

**?ipt'é-se**

**yóǎ ?é-k'ex pe?épt'ese quyé-squyesne.**

The magpie is hitting the bluejay.

Paint **sepeliké-cese**

**hisepeliké-cese**

**yóǎ palǎó-ckin' hisepeliké-cese weǎwéqtne.**

The owl is painting the frog.

**sí-ki? hí-wes sepelike-ceyew'é-t.**

Badger is a painter.

Write **tí-m'ece**

**tí-m'ece**

**té-wisi-n hí-wes tim'enew'é-t.**

Buck deer is a writer.

Clean            **ʔoykáyksa**            **ʔoykáyksa**  
**yoǎ cálxcalx ʔoykáyksa ʔiní-tne.**  
The cricket is cleaning the house  
**yóǎ há-slam ʔoykáyksa písvene.**  
The flea is cleaning the rock.

Hunt            **tukelí-kce**            **hitukelí-kce**  
  
**yóǎ mó-laʔ hitukelí-kce qí-leǎne.**  
The maggot is hunting the sturgeon.  
**qí-leǎ hí-wes tukelixnew'é-t.**  
Sturgeon is a hunter.

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Teach            **ʔiné-shimteʔkse**            **hiné-shimteʔkse**  
  
**yóǎ hitemenew'é-t hiné-shimteʔkse sepehitemenew'é-tne.**  
The student is teaching the teacher.

Shoot            **ʔewí-se**            **ʔewí-se**  
  
**yóǎ píle ʔewí-se ʔipné-kuteʔsne.**  
The louse is shooting the cup.

Marry            **hú-ǎlikeykse**            **hihú-ǎlikeykse**  
  
**palǎó-ckin' hihú-xelikeykse weǎwéqtne.**  
Owl is marrying the frog.

Lift            **ʔinakáhsasa**            **ʔinakáhsasa**  
  
**yóǎ tukelixnew'é-t ʔinakáhsasa ʔitétp'esne.**  
The hunter is lifting the bag.

Push            **sé-ptuquyce**            **hisé-ptuquyce**  
  
**yóǎ sí-kiʔ hisé-ptuquyce qí-leǎne.**  
The badger is pushing the sturgeon.  
**yóǎ téhes hisé-ptuquyce ʔiní-tne.**  
The ice is pushing the house.

Trade            **takláyca**            **hitakláyca**  
  
**yóǎ so-yá-po- hitakláyca tim'ú-nina.**  
The white person is trading the rifle.

**tasí·px hí·wes taklaynaw'á·t.**  
Cow elk is a trader.

Hear           **ʔamciyo·ǰosa**

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**yóǰ peǰwet'ípec ʔamciyo·ǰosa ʔatamqi·wit.**  
The thief is hearing the earwig.

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Give           **ʔewní·se**  
Break         **tímksa**  
Taste         **hímketewyekse**  
Drink         **ʔiné·ku·se**  
Hungry        **heyé·qce**  
Learn         **cú·kwece**  
Decide        **timmíyuce**  
Enter         **ʔá·csa**  
Fight         **ʔiyeq'í·swise**  
Exit           **ʔá·tsa**  
Eat            **hipíse**  
Kill           **wapciyáwca**  
Want          **wéwluqse**

**peʔní·se**  
**tímksa**  
**hímketewyekse**  
**ʔipné·ku·se**  
**he·yé·qce**  
**hicú·kwece**  
**hitimmíyuce**  
**haʔá·csa**  
**piyeq'í·swise**  
**haʔátsa**  
**hi·píse**  
**hiwapciyáwca**  
**hiwéwluqse**