

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 "butt."
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	Ya
I	Ngaio
Ours	Ngullina
They	Tunnebei
Us	Ngullingi
We	Ngulli
You	Bullei

Family members

Aunt	Maren
Brother (older)	Kagohn
Brother (younger)	Banam
Cousin (male)	Gujarong
Cousin (female)	Gujarongunn
Daughter	Muyumgunn
Father	Biung
Grandfather	Nyajung
Grandmother	Kumi
Mother	Waijung
Sister (older)	Nanang
Sister (younger)	Yilgahn
Son	Muyum
Uncle	Kauung

Reptiles

Cobra	Gumbo
Lizard	Ngaurm
Snake	Dirun
Snake (Black)	Jomgwong
Snake (Carpet)	Kabul
Snake (Death adder)	Munn dulgumm
Snake (green)	Iring
Snake (large whip)	Miburrallang
Snake (Ring)	Juwerri
Snake (Tiger)	Buggull

Emotions

Calm	Durungul
Desire	Kingilyarragi
Dream	Bareibunn
Funny	Munyungmunyung
Happy	Yalburu
Sad	Gijeri
Sorry	Gijeri
Love	Gumera

Birds

Bird	Nyombil
Butcher bird	Golgorun
Cat bird	Djeegai
Chip Chip	Dumdum
Cockatoo (Black)	Baleirei
Cockatoo (White)	Geria
Crow	Wagann
Duck	Mara
Eagle	Mibunn
Egg	Kabbun
Emu	Murun
Feather	Jimme
Finch, Redhead	Joolimjoolim
Fly	Junburra
Hawk	Bogabann
Jackass	Kagaru
King fisher	Deedee
Lyre bird	Kalbun
Magpie	Kulamburum
Night Hawk	Korongunn
Owl	Karang
Parrot	Bilin
Pelican	Chungarra
Pigeon	Wumbin
Quail	Dulung
Red white sea hawk	Ummunjin
Swallow	Buthaibuthai
Swan	Doolee
Turkey	Wagun
Willie Wagtail	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	Maibin
Afternoon	Yauun
Baugull	Good
Buggerawana	Victory
Day	Nyangai
Family	Junnebeineubani
Friend ship	Jimbelungare
Hot	Ngun
Ice (frozen)	Jirunen
Oath	Anbanoba
Please	Yilnanbaugull
Spirit	Bujerum
Strong	Bullang
Tomorrow	Mobo
Whisper	Yathgalen
Wonder	Gurai
Wonderful	Bugoram
Yesterday	Mobobo
Yours	Bullonga

Numbers

One	Yabru
Two	Bula
Three	Bulayabru
Four	Bulabula
Five	Dunngunn

Mammals

Bandicoot	Yagoi
Bat	Bilin
Cat	Bunjim
Dingo	Ngurun
Echidna	Buneen
Kangaroo	Muni
Kangaroo Rat	Barol
Koala	Borobi
Platypus	Wajin
Possum	Guran
Wallaby	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	buggerajunng
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>	burragunn
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>	tal guljumm
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) noun	gilgil
crane (lead coloured) noun	wulbu
crane (white) noun	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>	Merinjin
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) verb	yaroyarole
flesh noun	igumm
flint noun	yugunn
flood noun	ngulyaa
flower noun	wongara
fly (animal) noun	junburra
fly (flight) verb	yarole
flycatcher (black fantail) noun	chingerrichingerri
fog noun	nongunn
food noun	oung
food (animal) noun	nongunn
foot noun	jenung
footprint noun	charara
forehead noun	ngiri
forepaw noun	mummunn
foretell verb	ngulungbo
forget verb	wongul
fork noun	mijul
fork (of tree) noun	talbulla
four (2+2) adjective	bulabula
freeze verb	jirun
fresh (as young) adjective	bulin
friend noun	jimbelsing
friendship noun	jimbelsingare
frighten verb	duin
frog noun	taran
frost noun	jirun
fruit noun	same as tree or plant of the particular kind
full adjective	dumburra
fun noun	ngarrijun
funny adjective	munyungmunyung
fur noun	gurra
game noun	ngareia
generous adjective	kanahngin
ghost noun	duggai
giddy adjective	biboro
gift noun	mulgerri
give verb	wula
go verb	yana
go round verb	kalgama
good adjective	baugull
Grandfather noun	Nyajung
Grandmother (Father's Mother) noun	Kumi
Grandmother (Mother's Mother) noun	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>	himerra
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 baiabaeir
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>	ungjurranning
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) noun	Giberra
Male (25-40) noun	Marrogunn
Male (40-50) noun	Bangin
Male (about 50 yrs) noun	Mata
Male (over 50) noun	Gijumm
Man (black fellow) noun	Maibin
Man (white) noun	Duggai
Man (white gentleman) noun	Kamerun
Man (white workman) noun	Karapi
many adjective	wallull
many	wallul
Married Couple noun	neubani
marry verb	kunjelinn
marsh noun	nyunda
me	unyi
measure verb	juriga
meat (as muscle, flesh) noun	igumm
meet verb	gnirigomindala
mend verb	mumgar
middle adjective	kilei
midnight noun	nalo
milk noun	milung
mine	unya
mistletoe (fire of bat) noun	bilingawaiburra
moan verb	neurbullen
moon noun	gibumm
more adjective	kurrull
morning noun	bujera
mosquito noun	munnjur
most adjective	kurrullbungil
most of all	kurrullbungil
Mother noun	Waijung
mountain (range or peak) noun	borrol
mountain (spur) noun	tugai
mouth noun	jeng
move verb	wagai
mud noun	dulgurra
muddy adjective	tulgul
mullet noun	goyung
murder verb	bumilun
muscle noun	nar
mussel noun	eugari
nail (of hand or foot) noun	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>	balingull
Niece <i>noun</i>	Burujummgunn
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>	dundunngau
opossum (grey male) <i>noun</i>	iricing
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>	Kulummgunn
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>	mundu
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>	debbradebbra
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) noun	bunan
satin-bird noun	wambun
scarce adjective	bulagalun
scare verb	duin
scatter verb	dalbadalban
scratch verb	munda
scrub noun	kabunn
sea noun	borrogura
see verb	nya
seed noun	same as tree or plant of the particular kind
send verb	jaugar
Seven Sisters (Group of Stars) noun	Jirun
sew (as mend) verb	mumgar
shade noun	malong
shadow noun	ngoro
shake verb	jiga
shallow adjective	junjeiri
shark noun	bowai
she	neulegunn
shell noun	nirill
shield noun	baga
shin or shinbone (large) noun	narim
shinbone (fibula, small) noun	bimbara
shine verb	yalnun
shoot (of plant) noun	jurunjurun
shoot (throw) verb	nabun
shooting star noun	kapun
short adjective	mul
short-tempered adjective	barulbarul
shoulder noun	wallagunn
shoulderblade noun	bugaba
show verb	nyumbar
shrill (as light) adjective	yalul
shut verb	bunja
sick adjective	yuljul
side noun	dunnerra
sign noun	wogai
sinew noun	nar
sing verb	yarrabil
Sister (Elder) noun	Nanang
Sister (Younger) noun	Yilgahn
sit verb	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>	miburrallang
snake (green) <i>noun</i>	iring
snake (ring) <i>noun</i>	juwerri-kummbunn-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>	jurai
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) verbs	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) noun	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 noun	wulenbil
thou	wallo
three (2+1) adjective	bulayabru
throw verb	bira
throw away verb	talba
thunder noun	mugerra
tick noun	kulunn
tickle verb	gizgizba
tide (falling) noun	kunajaru
tide (rising) noun	yeien
tie verb	kunne
timid adjective	duin
tired adjective	yilen
tired (to be) verb	yilen
today	barang
tomahawk noun	bundahn
tomorrow	mobo
tongue noun	jorogohn
touch noun	munai
touch verb	munai
track verb\	charara
tree noun	tullei
tremble verb	duralei
trot verb	carburrabul
true adjective	jundi
truth noun	ungjurrajumm
try verb	yagulgoma
turkey noun	wagun
turn verb	kurawallei
turtle noun	pingin
two adjective	bula
Uncle (Father's Brother) noun	Biung
Uncle (Mother's Brother) noun	kauung
Uncle's Wife noun	ngarun
undo verb	bura
up	dugun
upwards	burrai
urine noun	challubai
us	ngullingi
vein noun	gumeragubi
very	yilen
very much indeed	baugullbaugullen

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