

Getting started with Kungarakany

Greetings

Kimak nyi-yangga?	Are you going good? (How are you?)
Kimak ngirrga.	I am good.
Kudjerrak ngirrga.	I'm sick.
Ngundjuk padji.	Tell me the news. (What's up?)
Ma.	Okay.
Mamak.	See ya.

Instructions

Yo	Yes
Morrong	No
Giya	Go
Giya-kaya	Come here
Buee	Go away
Karbi	Grab it
Karbi-kaya	Bring it here
Karbi-buee	Take it away
Wombi	Do it / Say it
May-windji	Eat
Jobo	Stand up
Nobo	Sit down
Padji	Put
Ngatbi	Look
Manmi	Smell



Questions

Wogotmi:	Ask:
Ninggay?	What?
Ninggay nyi-wombinang?	What are you doing?
Arra-giya mindjak-gini.	I'm going hunting.
Ninggay kingi nyinaba?	What's your name?
_____ kingi ngirrba.	My name (is) _____
Nginggay-gini?	What for? (Why?)
Ninggay-gini nyi-yangga alak-u?	Why are you here?
Ngirrang-gini ngirrba.	For my father.
Ninggay-gini nyi-yakayminang?	Why are you shouting?
Lirrimi bayang-arung.	The dog bit me.
Ebangga?	Who?
Ebangga kigarrak arrakany?	Who is that man?
Kingapa, meme ngirrba.	He is my uncle.
Ebangga nyinyaga?	Who are you?
Ngirrga tjangang-ga Helen-gini.	I'm Helen's daughter.
Yenwan?	When?
Yenwan nyi-yodjong alak-u?	When did you come here?
Yetjen a-yodjong.	I came yesterday
Yenwan nyi-giya?	When will you go?
Tjebi arra-giya.	I'll go tomorrow.
Anygany?	Where?
Anygany lok-u nyi-giya?	Where will you go?
Arra-giya lok-u karrang-gini.	I'll go to my mother's country.
Anygany lok-arrak nyi-widjen?	Where did you return from?
A-widjen lok-arrak ngirrang-gini.	I came back from my father's country.
Yenberr?	How?
Yenberr nyi-giya?	How will you go?
Arra-giya truck-irri.	I will go by truck.
Yenberr nyi-megalem mindjak alak?	How will you cook this meat?
Arra-megalem tjumul-irri.	I'll use the oven.

Talking about People (Pronouns)

Ebangga?	Who?
ngirrga, a-, arra-	I
-(ng)arrung	me
ngirrba	my
Heidi ngirrga.	I am Heidi
A-yangga shop-wu	I go to the shop.
Arra-giya shop-wu	I will go to the shop.
Karrang kayminy-arrung.	Mum called out to me.
Mia karrang ngirrba.	Mia is my mother.
ngamaga, ma-	we (you and I)
-ngayung	us (you and I)
ngamba	ours (yours and mine)
Ngamaga tjalat kitjerrba.	We two are sisters.
Ma-yodjong tjalalk-kini.	We went for a swim.
Ngowarlang potminy-ngayung.	Auntie followed us.
Nany kurkma ngamaba-gini.	Those chickens are ours.
nyinyaga, nyi-, -kingung	you
nyinyaba	your
Nyinyaga alak-u nobo.	You stay here.
Nyi-giya nyinyaba-gini wanan!	Go to your house!
Lirrimi morrong pu-baya-kingung.	The dog won't bite you.
kinpaga, ka-, -(g)a	he, she, it
kinpaba	his, hers, its (belonging to)
Kinpaga nany-u.	He is over there.
Ka-pumu-ngarung.	She is going to hit me.
Ka-pumu lirrimi-ga.	He hit it (the dog).
Kinpaba-gini wanan.	His house.

ngirridjirr, ngirr-	we (not including you)
ngirridjirrang	us (not including you)
ngirridjirra	ours (not including you)
Ngirridjirrga ngomot-u ngirr-yangga.	We all went out bush.
Kidjalarrak wobadjiny ngirridjirrang.	The police stopped us.
Lok alak Kungarakany ngirridjirra.	This is our country.
nirridjirr, nirri-, nirridjirrang	you mob
nirridjirra	your mob's (belonging to)
Nirridjirrga tjarrawatj yengga.	You mob are crazy.
Tjebi, nirri-ka-teptepmi.	Tomorrow, you will all paint.
A-ngatum nirridjirrang busstop-u.	I saw you mob at the busstop.
Kerra alak nirridjirra.	This is your mob's money.
pirridjirr, pirri-, pirridjirrang	them mob
pirridjirra	them mob's (belonging to)
Pirridjirrga Wagaman-arrak.	Them mob are from Wagaman.
Pirri-ka-widjen Alawa-rrak yuny.	Them mob will return from Alawa soon.
Nyi-ngatum pirridjirrang nany?	Do you see that mob over there?
Ngirrga wetji pirridjirra.	I'm grandmother for them mob.
ngokodjirr, kurr-	we (and you)
ngokodjirrang	us (and you)
ngokodjirra	ours (and yours)
Ngokodjirrga anggarrutmem.	We are all feeling hungry.
Kurru-yowidjen bus-arrak.	We all jump off the bus.
Keeyerka nganmem ngokodjirrang.	A stranger is speaking to us.
Meme ngokodjirra kudjerrak.	Our Uncle is sick.

