

PRESCHOOL PHRASES

Wolasihkawotin	<i>Greeting and Getting Settled</i>
Woli-spasuwiw, psi-te wen.	<i>Good morning, everyone.</i>
Tan kahk?	<i>How are you?</i>
Monehlan ktoptan naka ktekhulan asit ktoqtoputik.	<i>Take your coat off and hang it on the back of your chair.</i>
Keceht/Moneht ktahsосуwon.	<i>Take off your hat.</i>
Keceht/Moneht ktahsосуwon naka kpunomun kpihtonakonok.	<i>Take off your hat and put it in your sleeve.</i>
Monehlan kmolcessok.	<i>Take off your mittens.</i>
Monehlan kmolcessok naka kpunan kpitsonakonok.	<i>Take off your mittens and put them in your pocket.</i>
Kisacultin	<i>Getting Organized</i>
Ckuwi / Ckuwiyawolotiq, lintultine.	<i>Come here, let's all sing.</i>
Lihtune petqakik naka ktopiyanen.	<i>Let's all make a circle.</i>
Koliptinentultine.	<i>Let's all hold hands.</i>
Oliyane / Oliyawolotine.	<i>Let's go! (2, >2)</i>
Oliyane / Oliyawolotine qocomok	<i>Let's go outside! (2, >2)</i>
Nutahane / Nutahawolotine.	<i>Let's go out! (2, >2)</i>
Ksahane / Ksahawolotine.	<i>Let's go in! (2, >2)</i>
Wikuwamsis	<i>Going to the Bathroom</i>
Ktahcuwi-nacisk? Ktahcuwi-li wikuwamsisok?	<i>Do you have to go pee? Do you have to go to the bathroom?</i>
Ntahcuwi-natuwehkan wikuwamsis. Nkotuwisk / Nkoti-nacisk.	<i>I have to go use the bathroom. I want to (go) pee.</i>
Macelukhotin	<i>Initiating Activities</i>
Ckuwi / Ckuwiyawolotiq, lintultine.	<i>Come here, let's all sing.</i>
Lintuwatomone lintuwakon.	<i>Let's sing a song.</i>
Puntokopiyak toke, koti-akonutomulpa.	<i>Calm down now, I'm going to tell you a story.</i>
Natay. Natayyawolotiq. / Natayyawolotine.	<i>Go play. / Let's go play.</i>

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Mitsultin, Atolahsimuhtin	<i>Eating and Resting</i>
Nacihpultine.	<i>Let's go eat.</i>
Naci-kosiptinens. Kosiptinensultine.	<i>(Go) wash your hands.</i>
Kotuwossom? / Kotuwossomuhtipa?	<i>Are you thirsty?</i>
Kotuhp? / Kotuhpultipa?	<i>Are you hungry?</i>
Kmemihp? / Kmemihpultipa?	<i>Are you done eating?</i>
Apca?	<i>Do you want more?</i>
Naci-kossapitens. / Naci kossapensultiq.	<i>Go brush your teeth.</i>
Kotuks? / Kotuksultipa?	<i>Are you tired?</i>
Tuhki. / Tuhkiyawolotiq.	<i>Wake up.</i>
Ksiktewoc? / Ksiktewocultipa?	<i>Are you cold?</i>
Yalokitomuhtin	<i>Giving Directions</i>
Opultine. Natqepultine yet.	<i>Let's sit down. Let's go sit over there.</i>
Yut kil opin, naka yet kil ktopin.	<i>You sit here, and you sit over there.</i>
Lapotomun yut / Lapotomuk yut.	<i>Look at this.</i>
Lapotomun yet / Lapotomuk yet.	<i>Look at that.</i>
Tpostuwin / Tpostuwiq.	<i>Listen to me.</i>
Tpinuwin / Tpinuwiq.	<i>Look at me.</i>
Menakac / Menakacultiq.	<i>Quiet down. Be quiet.</i>
Milan. Milin.	<i>Give it to h/. Give it to me.</i>
Milin nit.	<i>Give me that.</i>
Temonu.	<i>Wait a minute.</i>
Keq koti-olluhk toke?	<i>What do you want to do now?</i>
Keq koti-ollukhotipon pemkiskahk?	<i>What are we going to do today?</i>
Etolewestuwamultimk, Elomolsultimk	<i>Communicating and Feelings</i>
Knostuwi? / Knostuwipa?	<i>Do you understand me?</i>
Knostomon nit? / Knostomoniya nit?	<i>Do you understand that?</i>
Tan ktolomolsin? Tan ktolomolsultiniya?	<i>How do you feel?</i>
Nulitahas.	<i>I'm happy.</i>
Naskatahas. Nutamols.	<i>I'm sad.</i>
Kosqenin. Ehkosqenin.	<i>Give me a hug.</i>
Ehkosqenan kmuwinehsisom.	<i>Hug your teddy bear.</i>
Wicuhkemin.	<i>I need help.</i>
Ma-te keq knituwiw?	<i>Do you need anything?</i>
Temonuk ntapaci.	<i>I'll be back soon.</i>
Coqahk-al! Kehtol-al! Kehtol-ote!	<i>Certainly! Of course!</i>
Tan ktolessin? Tan ktoleyin?	<i>What's the matter?</i>
Keq leyu?	<i>What happened?</i>
Ma-te keq ktolessiw?	<i>Are you OK? (Is nothing the matter with you?)</i>
Kat-te keq leyiw.	<i>It's OK. It's all right. (Nothing's the matter.)</i>