

wh-questions

1st set

[whose bow 1.WAV](#)

1. hikei-ka didisa ama-ri
who-POSS bow EQU-QU
whose bow is this?

[whose father died.WAV](#)

hikei badi abai-no
who father die-?
whose father died?

[whose karaboa broke.WAV](#)

hikei-ka karabowa baka tona-ni
who-POSS blowgun break-?-?
whose blowgun broke?

[who made this karaboa.WAV](#)

hikei karabowa mowa hi-nani ama-ri
who blowgun make 3-? EQU-QU
who made this blowgun?

[who gave bow to child.WAV](#)

hikei didisa daa hi-nani ama-ri nemedede-niya
who bow give 3-? EQU-QU child-to?
Who gave the bow to the child?

[who killed the pig.WAV](#)

hikei kobaya tao-hi-kana-hina ama-re
who pig shoot-3-? EQU-QU
Who killed the pig?

[where is Toefi-short.WAV](#)

a) Toefi eeri
name.M where

[where is Toefi-long.WAV](#)

b) Toefi beni to-wari
name.M where away-?-QU
Where is Toefi?

[where is your fathers house.WAV](#)

beni ti-ka abi-ka yobe were-re
where 2S-POSS dad-POSS house located-QU
Where is your father's house?

9. [where did you see the jaguar.WAV](#)

beni-ya yomai ti-ari
where-LOC jaguar 2S-?
Where did you see the jaguar?

10. a) [why is the child crying-short.WAV](#)

taaba nemedede owi-na
why child cry-AUX

b) [why is child crying-long.WAV](#)

taa nemedede ebe na maku owi-na
what child happen-AUX therefore? cry-AUX
Why is the child crying?

11. a) [why back already.WAV](#)

taaba wede ti-na-mine
why return 2S-AUX-early

b) [why back already-long.WAV](#)

taa ebe ti-makuni wede ti-na-mine
what happened 2S-therefore return 2S-AUX-early
Why are you back already? (lit. what happened that made you come home early?)

12. a) [why did you kill the animal.WAV](#)

taaba bani tao-ti-kana
why animal shoot-2S-AUX

b) [why did you kill the large animal.WAV](#)

taaba bani badi tao-ti-kine
why animal big shoot-2S-AUX
Why did you kill this animal?

13. a) [when will your father return.WAV](#)

tanima ti-ka abi amonineya kamai ba amare

[when will your father return 1.WAV](#)

b) taa nima tika abiamonineya wede namai ba amare
When is your father going to return?

14. [when did the snake bite the dog- bad.WAV](#)

taanima yama amoni-ni-ya yumai maka wayi-hi-nei-no ama-re
when thing day-TM dog snake bite-3-AUX.M-? EQU-QU
When did the snake bite the dog?

15. [when will the women hunt kobaya-still too slow.WAV](#)

tanima yama niya fana yumai to-wa-ka-rawa ba ama-ri
when thing ? woman dog away-COM-come/go-F.PL FUT EQ-QU

When are the women going to hunt pigs? (lit. when are the women going with the dogs?)

16. [what is your child doing.WAV](#)

taa ti-ka nemedede moa-na
what 2S-POSS child do/make-AUX
what is your son doing/making?

17. [what did your spouse eat yesterday.WAV](#)

taa ti-ka karibute kaba-ri-ni
what 2S-POSS spouse eat-QU-?
What did your family eat yesterday?

18. [how do you make a blowgun.WAV](#)

taanima karabowa mowa-ni ti-ni-ri
how blowgun make-AUX 2S-?-QU
How do you make a blowgun?

19. [how did you kill the pig.WAV](#)

taanima kobaya na-boi ti-ni-ri
how pig CAUS-die 2S-AUX-QU
How did you kill the pig?

20. [how did he kill the pig.WAV](#)

taanima kobaya naboi-nai-no aware
how pig CAUS-die-?-? ?-QU
How did he kill the pig?

21. [how many fish hooks does damiro need.WAV](#)

taanima kabikana na damiro nofa-re
how fishhook ? name.M like/want-QU
How many fishhooks does Damiro need?

22. [how many fish did Nefi catch.WAV](#)

taanima aba-mena nefi me hi-nawasine
how fish-PL-COLL name.F 3PL 3-fish-?
How many fishes did Nefi catch?

23. a) [what is your younger brother's name.WAV](#)

taanima ti-ka nosu ino-na
what 2S-POSS brother name-?

b) [what's the name of your younger brother.WAV](#)

taanima ti-ka nosu ino-re
what 2S-POSS brother name-QU
What is your brother's name?

24. [who did Beto give the bow to.WAV](#)

hikei-ka didisa-bune beto daa-na
who-POSS bow-INT name.M give-AUX
who did Beto give the bow to?