Detun



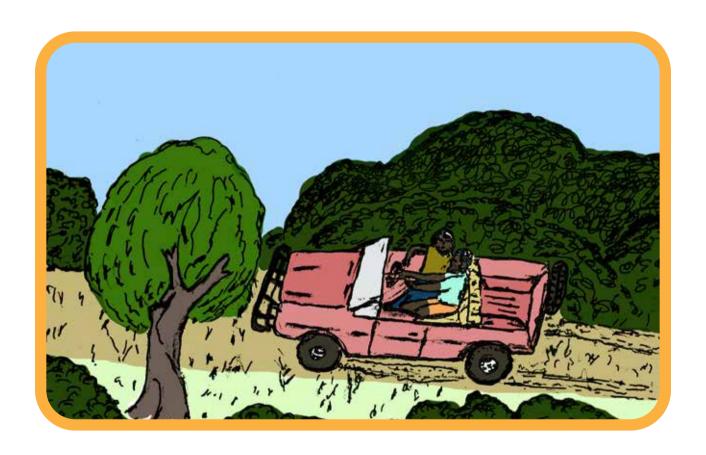
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detuŋ

märi

Detun

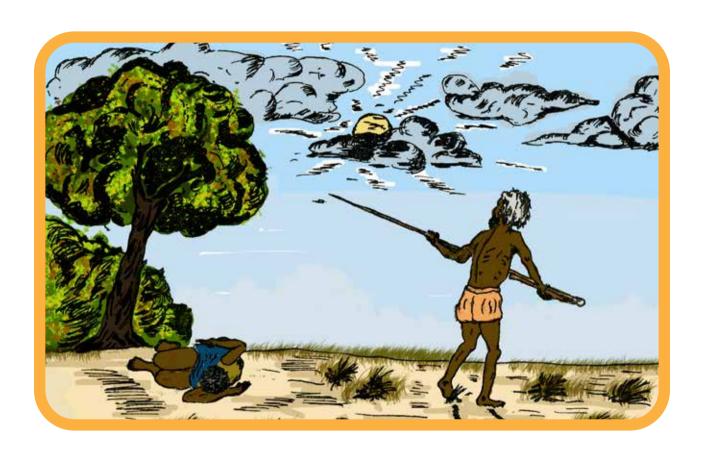




Barpuru ŋathi marrtji diltjilil mutikay manda märi.



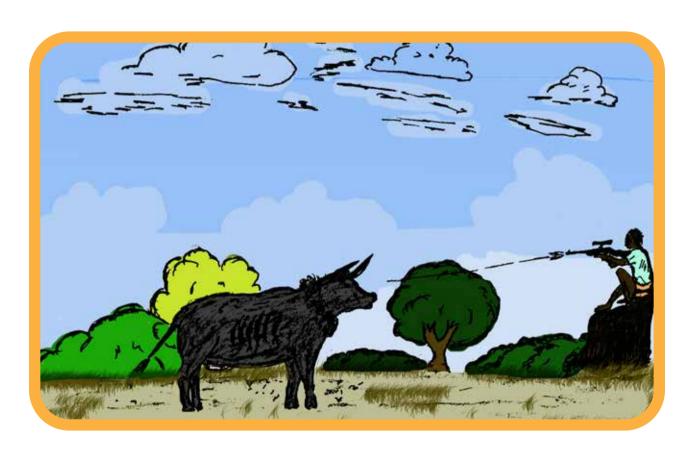
Bala manda nhäma detun nayi ga dhärra dharpanur.



Nayi ŋathi marrtji wetiw' ga märi ga ŋorra.



Bala ŋathiy nhäma detuŋ ŋayi ga dhärra märiwal.



Bala ŋayi ŋathiy märriyaŋnha märram bala nhaltjan ŋayi ŋathiy?

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- 3. Barpuru ŋathi marrtji diltjilil mutikay manda märi. Yesterday grandfather went to the bush by car with grandmother.
- 5. Bala manda nhäma detun nayi ga dhärra dharpanur. *They saw a buffalo standing by a tree.*
- 7. Nayi nathi marrtji wetiw' ga märi ga norra.

 Grandfather went hunting for a wallaby and grandmother was lying down.

- 9. Bala ŋathiy nhāma detuŋ ŋayi ga dhārra māriwal.

 Then grandfather saw the buffalo standing near where grandmother was.
- 11. Bala ŋayi ŋathiy märriyaŋnha märram bala nhaltjan ŋayi ŋathiy?

Then grandfather picked up his gun and what did he do?



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