

March 2021 Ute Lesson Plan

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Speak Ute Now Website

References to the audio and video recordings for this content is posted on the *Speak Ute Now* website (videos are posted as soon as they are available). SUIMA classes from Infant through Upper Elementary refer to Google Classroom for daily lessons.

Conversational Ute (weeks 1 and 3)

Máchaa?	What's up?
Navas 'uni'ni.	I am just hanging out.
Nú' Píinunúuchi. 'Uməysaa?	I am Southern Ute. And you?
Túu 'ayaqh 'uməy puchuchugway.	It is good to know you.
Pághanukwichaanu.	I am taking off.
Kachinu. 'Uməysaa?	I am not doing anything. And you?
'Umə 'ara 'ini núuchi?	What tribe are you?
Nú' 'Avaachi.	I am Apache.
Toghoy.	Okay.
'Uvusagha.	Good-bye.

Curriculum I (weeks 2 and 4)/ Singular Verbs

Nu' na'ay'ay.	I am angry.	Nú' naru'ay.	I am shopping.
'umə na'ay'ay.	You (singular) are angry.	'umə naru'ay.	You (singular) are shopping.
Maas na'ay'ay.	S/he (visible) is angry.	Máas naru'ay.	S/he (visible) is shopping.
'uwas na'ay'ay.	S/he (invisible) is angry.	'uwas naru'ay.	S/he (invisible) is shopping.

Language Writing Lesson (weeks 2 and 4)

kh (k with a puff of air)		qh (q with a puff of air)	
pa'amanukhutu	all thing/everything	qóqho	bull snake
maykh	hello	Nú ayaqh.	It is windy.
tuka'inikh	cook	Tamari'iaqh.	It's becoming spring.
Suwaaykhpáro.	Let us be happy.	qhaqháaruchi	chicken

Song(s) (practice daily)

Review songs on *Speak Ute Now!* website <https://www.suima.org/speak-ute-now/>

Ute Culture - Winter Story

- "Peppermint and Spearmint" (The Ute Circle of life-Ute Plant Legends)
- Fun Fridays will be posted in Google Classroom.

SUIMA Staff

- Expected to learn all the content above.
- Participate in Ute language Class once a week.
- Attend monthly Ute Language Staff Meeting.
- Continue working on their beaded moccasins.

