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Places and People Vocabulary in nuučaaᓃuᓃ

waasiᓃa Oliver (Where is Oliver?)

Have you heard Gale Johnsen's story "Where is Oliver"? The girl in the story learns words for different places and people in the community as she tries to find her cat.

Let's practice our nuučaaᓃuᓃ vocabulary for these words with some fun activities!

Activity #1: Oliver's Favourite Places and People

Oliver, the cat, is missing again! Let's look for him by checking out his favourite places and people to visit.

In each box below, read the nuučaaᓃuᓃ word and draw a picture of the place or person it describes.

You can draw places and people from around Toquaht or from your imagination!

hitinqis (beach)	naniiqsu (Grandmother)	muut (boat)
qicuwit (school)	tuukuwas (garden)	ᓃaᓃaᓃsᓃyiqsu (female's sister)



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Activity #2: Have You Seen This Cat?

Let's try making a poster to help people find Oliver.

In the space below, write 5 to 10 sentences in nuučaanuᑭ to describe Oliver. Use First Voices to learn more words in nuučaanuᑭ (<https://bit.ly/35L7UWj>).

You can describe how he looks or invent some facts about the places he visits, the people he loves, and the activities he likes to do.

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Activity #3: Safe and Sound

Did you hear? They found Oliver again, and now he's back at home safe and sound.

Look at how cozy and relaxed he is! How does that make you feel?



In the space below, write down 5 to 10 words in nuučaañuł to describe a place that makes you feel happy.

Use these words to write a lullaby, song, or poem in nuučaañuł that can make someone feel safe and sound like Oliver.

When you're finished, read it out loud to someone you care about!