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Living Room Vocabulary

Some homes have an area called a "living room." It can be any space for relaxing, comfort, sharing with guests, and making new memories together.

What objects or activities could we see in a living room? What nuučaanuł vocabulary describes this space and makes someone feel welcome? Let's practice our living room vocabulary with these language activities.

Activity #1: Draw the Object

Each of these nuučaanuł words describes an object that you can find in a living room.

Read each word and draw the object in the space below.

ċiitkuk [∞] iłỷak	pikcăsću	nuukċuu	?inkċuu?i
nunuukỷak	łiłiiḥsamim	kʷaasaċus	łiciłim

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Activity #2: Continue the Conversation

Below are nuučaanuł questions and statements about objects or actions in the living room. You can look for English translations in Ucluelet dialect domain sets (<u>https://bit.ly/3qhKrFK</u>), or find a fluent speaker in your community to help you.

You are Speaker 2. Respond to Speaker 1 in nuučaanuł.

Example:

Speaker 1:

λułmaa ?ahkuu kwaasacus nanaanicai λatquu. (This is a good chair for reading.)

Speaker 2:

<u> Λułmaa kwaasacus. (It's a nice chair.)</u>

a. Speaker 1:

?aaqičiłhak?aała yaa?ał. (Do you always watch [TV]? What's your favourite show?)

Speaker 2:

b. Speaker 1:

?uupaaphak ?ahkuu načaałýak. (Do you like this magazine?)

Speaker 2:



c. Speaker 1:

cušukha ?iyaqhmis ?uumacuk. (Is that this week's newspaper?)

Speaker 2:

d. Speaker 1:

wikim wahpiλ. (Don't trip on the rug.)

Speaker 2:

e. Speaker 1:

 \dot{k}^{w} ixmiiisim?a λ ma iciiim. (The carpet needs vacuuming.)

Speaker 2:

f. Speaker 1:

timałassim?aXma łuupi. (The shelves need dusting.)

Speaker 2:



Activity #3: Sharing Comfort with Others

What items in your home make you feel happy and comfortable? How can you share these items and good feelings with others? How would you describe these items to someone else in nuučaanuł?

Imagine you are cleaning out your home or about to move away and need to give away some of your belongings. Practice having a conversation in nuučaanuł with a friend or family member. You are speaker 1 offering item(s) from your home to Speaker 2.

Speaker 1: ?unaakšiāmiḥsaḥak (Do you want to have, own, take possession of a_____?)

Speaker 2:

haa?a, ?unaakši^xmihsamah. (Yes, I'd like to have it.)

wikaah ?usim. (I don't need it.)

Write a list of items in the following chart. Use Ucluelet dialect domain sets (<u>https://bit.ly/3qhKrFK</u>), FirstVoices (<u>https://bit.ly/35L7UWj</u>), or ask a fluency language speaker to help you learn the nuučaanuł names of your items and descriptions.

?unaakši ጺmiḥsaḥak (Do you want to have, own, take possession of a?)			
qʷičłaayii (what it's called)	qwiqwikukwii (what it looks like)		
Example: kwaasacus (chair)	Example: ?uucita naniiqsakitqas. (My grandparent owned it.)		