

Negation

Negative statements are made by starting the sentence with *hake*, *ke*, or *keeni* and ends with *-ni*.

Example:

<i>hake</i> nuuwakni	Don't run.
<i>ke</i> yaaperesni	I don't know.
<i>keeni</i> hiperesni	He/She doesn't know yet.

Entire phrases or more complex patterns can follow this pattern.

Example:

<i>Hake</i> waisgap haipini.	I don't like bread.
<i>Keeni</i> ciinaakeja howatani	I haven't gone to town yet.
<i>Ke</i> jajanagi šgaacirekjanegi yaaperesni	I don't know when they they are going to play.