

Ashi-niswi giizisoog (Thirteen Moons)

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Anishinaabemowin Lessons

Basic Ojibwe words and phrases:

Double Vowel Chart

This is how to pronounce Ojibwe words.
All consonants sound the same as in English.
“Zh”- sounds like the “su” in measure

“a”- sounds like the “u” in sun
“aa”- sounds like the “a” in father
“i”- sounds like the “i” in sit
“ii”- sounds like the “ee” in feet
“o”- sounds like the “o” in go
“oo”- sounds like the “oo” in food
“e”- sounds like the “ay” in stay

Biiwan blizzard

Ningwaanakwad.....cloudy
Awan foggy (be)
Zasakwaa..... frost (heavy)
Mashkawadin.....frozen (be)
Dakaanimadwind (cold)

Waabani-noodin wind (east)
Giiwedini..... wind (north)
Zhaawani-noodinwind (south)
Goon..... snow
Maajipon..... snow (start to)

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Find the Ojibwe words in the puzzle below

N W H T A H O D M C W N J R G C X U T A
 V A N C X R X B A S E I E V J X V Q T O
 L E A E M S L A A Q T H M U M B W Q Z J
 T T O Z N P C D M N O S Y F K Y F C F J
 K G L N I O P E A W T O H K I C S Z E Z
 H C R H I B O A K Y W G D B P U Y V X B
 L T O O E G R K A Q A I A Y Z B U R I B
 X C S B P X A W A E A D Q P K Y O G A O
 T H N Y E W P M D S G O H H Z B I A W F
 G W E K I W E B I N I G A N R S W U N G
 O M A S H K O O Z I N S C J H G P M I F
 N A G A A N I K I D N A X K I J C T S P
 H W A A D A U I O C P S A T Y W I V Q F
 Z Y C T V J J K P V U N I W I G X I L D
 K H K T H T C A T P A M V N A X U P X U
 C B N A L G J S F D S A X A G K B Z E Y
 Y P L V N J Y H N P X R N O Z O I M D N
 F S Z T U S O G N I H Z W L A G X M J L
 R R A S J L L H D T Y Y B K T K J X I F
 F M A X F L O H Q R J I D T Z P M M T B

- BIGISHKANAD/Rotten
- BIMIKAWAAN/Footprint
- BIZAAN/Quiet
- DIKINAAGAN/Cradle Board
- GITIGAAN/Garden
- GODIGOSHIN/Injured
- GWEKIWEBINIGAN/Pancake
- MAAMAKAADIZ/Astonish
- MITIGWAAB/Bow
- NENOOKASI/Humming Bird
- OMASHKOOZ/Elk
- ONIGAMIINSING/Duluth
- WETOTWAAG/Jello
- ZHINGOS/ Weasel