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bukkiis%1. intransitive verb%► rain; fall; pour%• Ane kare hindda. Iray bukkenna.Let's go out now.%◦ It is not raining anymore.%(syn) [xoohiis, ximaaziis, soosiis, hototu giis, mulxxaa xoohiis, manxxilootaa xoohiis, hibbi giis.]%2 . transitive verb%► thresh%• Gaashshiya buukkanaw intteyyoo wolqqaa immo!%◦ May God give you the strength to thresh the teff.%► lash, hit, beat children with sticks%• La A ba yelido na'aa xam'an ayssi bukkay? Hare gaadeeyye? %◦ Why is she beating her son with a stick? Is he a donkey for her?%(syn) [sho'iis, tohayiis, gawuhayiis, bulhhayiis]► churn, shake milk to make butter%• A maattaa bukkaydda dawsu.%◦ She is churning butter.

cuchchiis%1. transitive verb%► spit; dribble %• Aw menttershshay iita qanxxuwa qanxxettin suuttaa cuchchiiddi dees.%◦ He was spitting blood from a badly cut lip. %• Asa sinttan cuchchiyogee lo''enna.%◦ It is impolite to spit in front of others. %► disown, decide that you no longer want to be connected with or responsible for someone or something %• Kare biitta asa gelido gishshaw so asay O cuchchiis.%◦ Her family disowned her for marrying a foreigner. %► spare by spitting, heal by spitting, when a person who has the evil eye heals another man whose sickness was due to the casting of a spell from the person who has the evil eye %• Goromootee miikko, pattanaayyoo cushisseettes giidi asay yootes. %◦ People say that when a person with an evil eye casts a spell on someone, they have him spit on that very man for healing. %► despise, undermine, show contempt, have no respect %► bless %• Aaway naatu bolli cuchchiis.%◦ The father blessed his children

dagammiis%1. transitive verb%► quail, be afraid, be terrified, be shocked, be startled, be alarmed, be frightened %• I daafay gakkini iita dagammiis.%◦ He was terrified by the accident. %• Macaassiya haasayaa siyada dagammada daafuraasu.%◦ The woman was shocked by the news and fainted. %• Ta na'iya oduwan dagammaasu.%◦ My daughter was alarmed by the news.%(syn) [duzhgu giis, loccu giis, sotoy duuxxiis]► fall in love %• I na'iyoo be'idi dagammiis.%◦ He fell in love with the girl. %(syn) [horppattiis, yayyiis, babbiis, yuqiyuuqiis, bobariis, dozhgu giis, waabbaqiis, bizhggamiis, yarkkiis, hoppihoppiis, qasiis, batibatiis, hodhdhihodhdhiis, qiphiqiphiis, barggaagiis]► wither; shrivel %• Zaafiya puutee awaa be'idi dagammiis.%◦ The eucalyptus seedling withered.

daro%1. adjective%► much, many, a lot of, abundant, maximum, immense, innumerable, numerous%• Daro naati tamaare keettaa otobisiyan boosona.%◦ Many children go to school by bus. %• Otobisee darikko, ishatamu tamaare naatu keessa oykkees.%◦ The bus can hold a maximum of fifty students.%• Ta oosuwappe dariya baggay silkkiyan haasayiyobaa.%◦ Much of my work involves talking on the phone.%(syn) [cora, zawi baynna, shaynna, kenchcho, dere,guyte, qoodi baynna, qoodi wurssenna, uulla, besa, guufe, likkee baynna, dibe, innaaboote, uma, guuxxana geenna, kotte]%2 . adverb%► a lot, more%• I bari ishaatoo daro haasayees.%◦ He talks a lot like his brother.%• Daro galatos.%◦ Thanks a lot.%► very daro lo'o very good

dichchaa%1. noun%► growth (physical)%• Mitta ubbaa dichchay issuwa gidenna.%◦ The growth of every tree is not the same.%(syn) [purggettaa.]► development%• Issi biittaa dichchaa sugidi ehaanaadan allaga biittaa qohoy daanaw koshshennaagee ammanettidaagaa.%◦ It is believed that a country should pursue development without outside influence.%• Issi issi gooba goshshanchchati tal'iya qaadaa demmidaakko, gaxare dichchaw hira shin attiis.%◦ Had some brilliant

farmers been provided credit opportunities, it would have been for rural development.%(syn) [wogetaa.]%► increment; increase; addition; augmentation; raise; rise; boost%• Guutta wodiya zal''i simmin, zal''ee dichchaa beessiis.%◦ After a few times of trading, the capital showed increase.%► interest (borrowing charge or payment)%(syn) [kalaasiya, xiiliya.]

eqqiis%1. transitive verb%► stand, stand up %• Asttamaaree kifiliya geliyode tamaareti eqqudosa.%◦ The students stood up when the teacher entered the class. %• Xomoosiya uray yiyo wode eqqa denda.%◦ Stand when a visitor comes in.%(syn) [denddiis, shottu giis]%► stop%• Neenne taanne siiqo laagge, shin ooshshaappe simmin nu gaytotay eqqiis.%◦ You and I were sweethearts, but our relationship stopped after a quarrel.%► clot %• Suuttaa essiyabati suuttay eqqanaadan maaddoosona.%◦ Blood clotting agents help our blood to clot. %2. intransitive verb%► be ill-proportioned (house)%► erect; arouse

gakkiis%1. intransitive verb%► reach, arrive (at), get to a place%• Taani kerssuwa huuphiya wombbaran eqqennan gakkanaawu daddayikke.%◦ I can't reach the top shelf without a chair.%• Naa''u asati ogiyan palammettishin polisee gakkiis.%◦ The policeman arrived when the two men were disputing on the road.%► ripe, be ready for harvesting%• Badalay gakkidi cahawu gakki uttiis.%◦ The maize is ripe and ready to be harvested.%(syn) [bootiis; qorxxiis, bootiis, teeriis, yonddoddiis, suufariis, herxxexxiis, zerkkekkiis, yenkkekkiis.]%► develop, mature, arrive at maturity%• A awudee asa gammi gakkada na'a hanuwa agganee?%◦ When will she mature and stop acting so childish?%• Naati dumma dumma bariyan asa gammi gakees.%◦ Children come to maturity at different ages.%► be fulfilled

geeshshiis%1. transitive verb%► clean; purify; neaten; sanitize; scrub%• A maayuwa geeshshaasu.%◦ She cleaned the clothes.%• Bana geeshshiya uray ba heeraa geeshshatettaakka naagees.%◦ One who cleans himself, also cleans his neighborhood.%• I caammaa urqqaa geeshshiis.%◦ He scrubbed the dirty shoes.%(syn) [meecciis, hurchchu oottiis.]%► cure (of tapeworm)%• Taani xaliya mittin, koosoy geeshshiis.%◦ When I took the tablet, I was cured of tapeworms.%► sanctify, make someone or something holy%• Geesha maxaafan kristtoosa suuttay nagaraappe geeshshiyogaa yootes.%◦ In the Holy Bible it says Christ's blood sanctifies sin.%(syn) [hulluuqiis.]

gooddiis%1. transitive verb%► chase, drive away, drive away in order to catch%• Kanay garawaa gooddi simmidi xalalidaagee uttiis.%◦ The dog was tired and sat down after chasing the cat.%• I boggiyagaa gooddiis shin oykkanaw danddaybeena.%◦ He chased the burglar, but couldn't catch him.%• Qammi I godariya ba emereppe gooddiis.%◦ He chased a hyena from his backyard.%(syn) [yedettis, baanaa barssiis, sirqqiis, haphphiis]%► banish, exile, send away%• A mooranchcha gidiyogee qoncci simmin, uteeliya halaafee uteeliyan oottiyaro gooddiis.%◦ The hotel manager banished the waitress after she had been proven guilty.%• I oottido danuwa gaasuwan, heeraappe goodettiis.%◦ Because of his crime, he was sent away from the village.%(syn) [yedaa haphphiis]%► dismiss

kaamiya%1. noun%► car; vehicle%• Ta ishaya kaamiya akeekan laaggees; ay daafikka A gaakkenna.%◦ My brother drives the car carefully; he doesn't have accidents.%• Assi daro miishshaya de'ees; ooratta kaamiya shammana kooeess.%◦ He has a lot of money; he would like to buy a new car.%• Kaamiya laaguwa eray?%◦ Are you able to drive a vehicle?%• Kaamiya dirbbada laaggoppa!%◦ Don't drive the car fast!%• Taayyoo kaamiya laagganaw marka woraqatay de'ees, hegaa gishshaw taayyoo laagganaw anttettees.%◦ I have a license, so I am allowed to drive a car.%(syn) [makiinaa, ziittaa]%► street; road; way; path%• Godaree kaamiya qammi hemettanaw yayyees.%◦ A hyena is afraid of walking on the streets at night.

keettaa%1. noun%► house; mansion%• Taani yelettido keettan de'ays.%◦ I live in the house where I was born.%• I ooratta keettaa keexxana hanees.%◦ He is going to build a new house.%(syn) [golliya]%► home%• I nu keettaa geli erenna.%◦ He has never entered our home.%► floor%• Hayyanaa, keettaa meeccuutee?%◦ Would you clean the floor, please?%► family%• Keettaa asay gita katamaa yeehuwa biis.%◦ The whole family traveled to the city for the funeral.

kiyiis%1. intransitive verb%► go out, come out, be free, leave%• I miishshaa saaxiniyan qottidi kare kiyiis.%◦ He hid the money in the box and left.%• I ta yiyo wode kare kiyiichchiis. %◦ He came out when I came back.%• Ta manaariyappe sohuwara kiyaas.%◦ I left immediately from the bus stand/bus station.%• I nu gakkiiyode kare kiyiiddi dees.%◦ He was going out when we arrived at home.%► be; become; happen%• I asttamaare kiyi simmidi oosuwa doommi aggiis.%◦ He started his career after he had become a teacher.%► be churned (the milk)%• Maattay

kiyiis.%◦ The milk was churned.

xala%1. adjective%► bold; daring; reckless%• Kaamiya laaggiya xala bitanee asa ubbaa daafan gelissii.%◦ The reckless driver placed everyone in danger.%• I xala 0 sinttankka haasayanawu yayyenna.%◦ He is bold; he is not afraid of speaking in front of anybody.%• Xala bitanee olaa ba sheniyani biis.%◦ The brave man has gone to battlefield willingly.%(syn) [tuulama.]%► presumptuous; disrespectful; overconfident%• Nuuni kaamiya garxxarkkii giidi oychchiyogee nuna xala giissanddeeshsha?%◦ Would it be presumptuous of us to ask to borrow your car?%• Likkiyappe aadhdhida xala qofay lo''enna.%◦ Overconfident thought is not good.%(syn) [gayra, meeluula, elcco, diljjo, wociilla, oca, xexxela, melleejja, shillaajje, xiixala, jeere, xiixaawa, millijja, milli'a, wociigga, milxxixxa;]% (syn) [milxxixxa.]

zaaruwa%1. noun%► answer; reply; response%• Ha oyshawu zaaruwa asttamaariyappe attin haray oonne demmanawu danddayenna.%◦ Nobody can find the answer to this question except the teacher.%• A ta dabidaabbiiyawu zaaruwa kiittabeykku.%◦ She has not sent a reply to my letter.%• Oyshawu tumu zaaruwa imma.%◦ Give the right answer to the question.%• Ta oyshaa ayssi zaarkkii?%◦ Why don't you respond my question?%► proposal%• A ta oyshawu ay zaaronne immabeykku.%◦ She she didn't give any response to my proposal.%► panacea; solution; remedy%• Issippetettaa duussaa metuwassii zaaruwa demmanawu asay baaxetanawu bessees.%◦ People should work hard to bring about a solution for social ills.