

- (c) 1. *pig* — **bâk**
 2. *banana leaves* ≡ *book* — **laavuga** (because of similarity of shape and material)
 3. *sun* — **nya**
 4. *white people* — **walini'ba**

Problem 5. The word forms in the problem consist of a root and up to three suffixes. Each suffix may cause the elision of the preceding vowel:

	possessor	case	
	-p”a -sa	-p”a -t”a	-psa -txi
oral suffixes	always consume the vowel		consume the vowel if it belongs to another suffix, but leave it if it belongs to the root
	-nha, -ma	-na	
nasal suffixes	consume the vowel if they keep theirs, but leave it if they give up theirs		

Answers:

- (a) 1. **utnhantxi** — *is it in my house?*
 2. **yapp”psa** — *his field too*
 3. **yapup’psa** — *through the field too*
- (b) 4. *our₁₊₂ cliff* — **qaqsa**
 5. *in your corner* — **chushumna**
 6. *in your corner too* — **chushmanpsa**
 7. *from your corner too* — **chushumt”psa**
 8. *is it from the cave?* — **aq”it”txi**
 9. *is it the house?* — **utatxi**