

# Graphical dictionary of Toki Pona


















jan Suno en jan Lapi













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This dictionary is organized to assist in the reading of Toki Pona in the *sitelen pona* system of hieroglyphs. The glyphs are grouped here according to their general shape to make it easier to see differences between similar signs. The definitions follow.





## Circles

									
ijo	lawa	isipin	kili	ma	mani	nasa	sike	suno	tenpo
									
nimi	samu	palisa	misikeke	lukin					

## People

									
jan	wawa	meli	mije	mama	tonsi	moli	toki	kokosila	lape
									
kulupu	apeja								

## Ds

			
alasa	kalama	uta	kuntu

## Sixes

		
mi	ona	sina




























## Squares

								
lipu	len	linluwi	sona	sitelen	pu	ku	pakala	leko





















## Boxes

							
monsi	sinpin	anpa	insa	poka	ete	open	poki

**Straights**

									
a	o	n	wa	kin	lon	powe	nasin	epiku	ni
									
pini	taso	nanpa	wan	po	san	sama	tu	mute	meso
									
sin	namako	majuna	seli	supa	selo	sijelo			
















**Angles**

									
kiki	ala	ante	weka	anu	e	li	suli	lili	utala
									
monsuta	pan	en	lete	ken	pi	kipisi	te	to	yupekosi

**Triangles**

									
kule	laso	loje	walo	kapesi	jelo	unu	pimeja	mulapisu	





**Curves**

									
ale	ike	pona	la	kon	telo	jasima	kute	linja	musi
									
nen	lupa	seme	tan	wile					











**Hands**

				
luka	kepeken	pana	pali	moku

**Feet**

			
noka	awen	tawa	kama

**Animals**

								
akesi	kala	pipi	sutopatikuna	waso	soweli	suwi	misa	mu
								
kijetesantakalu								

**Squiggles**

							
unpa	lanpan	jaki	esun	sewi	jo	kasi	waleja

**Pictograms**

								
olin	pilin	mun	ko	kiwen	tomo	ilo	oko	soko

**a** 𐀀 (emphasis, emotion or confirmation)  
**akesi** 𐀁 non-cute animal; reptile, amphibian  
**ala** 𐀂 no, no, zero  
**alasa** 𐀃 to hunt, forage  
**ale** 𐀄 all; abundant, countless, bountiful, every, plentiful; abundance, everything, life, universe; 625  
**anpa** 𐀅 bowing down, downward, humble, lowly, dependent  
**ante** 𐀆 different, altered, changed, other  
**anu** 𐀇 or  
**apeja** 𐀈 shame, guilt, embarrassed  
**awen** 𐀉 enduring, kept, protected, safe, waiting, staying; to continue to  
**e** 𐀊 (before the direct object)  
**en** 𐀋 (between multiple subjects)  
**epiku** 𐀌 ↑ incredible  
**esun** 𐀍 market, shop, fair, bazaar, business transaction  
**ete** 𐀎 beyond  
**ijo** 𐀏 thing, phenomenon, object, matter  
**ike** 𐀐 bad, negative; non-essential, irrelevant  
**ilo** 𐀑 tool, implement, machine, device  
**insa** 𐀒 center, content, inside, between; internal organ, stomach  
**isipin** 𐀓 think, imagine, theory, consciousness  
**jaki** 𐀔 disgusting, obscene, sickly, toxic, unclean, unsanitary  
**jan** 𐀕 human being, person, somebody  
**jasima** 𐀖 reflect, opposite, reverse, copy, contrast  
**jelo** 𐀗 yellow, yellowish  
**jo** 𐀘 to have, carry, contain, hold  
**kala** 𐀙 fish, marine animal, sea creature  
**kalama** 𐀚 to produce a sound; recite, utter aloud  
**kama** 𐀛 arriving, coming, future, summoned; to become, manage to, succeed in  
**kapesi** 𐀜 brown, grey, coffee  
**kasi** 𐀝 plant, vegetation; herb, leaf  
**ken** 𐀞 to be able to, be allowed to, can, may; possible  
**kepeken** 𐀟 to use, with, by means of  
**kijetesantakalu** 𐀠 any animal from the Procyonidae family, such as raccoons.  
**kiki** 𐀡 sharp, spike, dot, poke, angle  
**kili** 𐀢 kili fruit, vegetable, mushroom  
**kin** 𐀣 kin indeed, still, too  
**kipisi** 𐀤 split, slice, cur, division, segment  
**kiwen** 𐀥 kiwen hard object, metal, rock, stone  
**ko** 𐀦 clay, clinging form, dough, semi-solid,

paste, powder  
**kokosila** 𐀧 speak another language in a toki pona environment  
**kon** 𐀨 air, breath; essence, spirit; hidden reality, unseen agent  
**ku** 𐀩 dictionary, use the dictionary  
**kule** 𐀪 colorful, pigmented, painted  
**kulupu** 𐀫 community, company, group, nation, society, tribe  
**kuntu** 𐀬 laugh, humor, giggle  
**kute** 𐀭 ear; to hear, listen; pay attention to, obey  
**la** 𐀮 (between the context phrase and the main sentence)  
**lanpan** 𐀯 steal, grab, take, theft  
**lape** 𐀰 sleeping, resting  
**laso** 𐀱 blue, green  
**lawa** 𐀲 head, mind; to control, direct, guide, lead, own, plan, regulate, rule  
**leko** 𐀳 square, cube, block, corner, step, grid  
**len** 𐀴 cloth, clothing, fabric, textile; cover, layer of privacy  
**lete** 𐀵 cold, cool; uncooked, raw  
**li** 𐀶 (between any subject except mi alone or sina alone and its verb; also to introduce a new verb for the same subject)  
**lili** 𐀷 little, small, short; few; a bit; young  
**linja** 𐀸 long and flexible thing; cord, hair, rope, thread, yarn  
**linluwi** 𐀹 wifi, internet, network, weave, link  
**lipu** 𐀺 flat object; book, document, card, paper, record, website  
**loje** 𐀻 red, reddish  
**lon** 𐀼 located at, present at, real, true, existing  
**luka** 𐀽 arm, hand, tactile organ; five  
**luvin** 𐀾 to look at, see, examine, observe, read, watch; to seek, look for, try to  
**lupa** 𐀿 door, hole, orifice, window  
**ma** 𐁀 earth, land; outdoors, world; country, territory; soil  
**majuna** 𐁁 old, aged, worn, legacy  
**mama** 𐁂 parent, ancestor; creator, originator; caretaker, sustainer  
**mani** 𐁃 money, cash, savings, wealth; large domesticated animal  
**meli** 𐁄 woman, female, feminine person; wife  
**meso** 𐁅 average, moderate, halfway, middle  
**mi** 𐁆 I, me, we, us  
**mije** 𐁇 man, male, masculine person; husband  
**misa** 𐁈 rat, mouse, rodent, rabbit, hare

<b>misikeke</b> $\emptyset$ medication, pill, cure, therapy	drawer, vessel
<b>moku</b> $\mathcal{R}$ to eat, drink, consume, swallow, ingest	<b>pona</b> $\cup$ good, positive, useful; friendly, peaceful; simple
<b>moli</b> $\otimes$ dead, dying	<b>powe</b> $\propto$ false, unreal, pretend, lie, hypocrisy
<b>monsi</b> $\sqsubset$ back, behind, rear	<b>pu</b> $\boxtimes$ interacting with the official Toki Pona book
<b>monsuta</b> $\text{^}\text{^}\text{^}$ monster, scary, afraid, horror, fear	<b>sama</b> $=$ same, similar; each other; sibling, peer, fellow; as, like
<b>mu</b> $\mathcal{V}$ (animal noise or communication)	<b>samu</b> $\text{⤵}$ wanting to create words, wasteful, profligate, vain
<b>mulapisu</b> $\blacktriangle$ pizza, eat pizza, make pizza, wedge-shaped	<b>san</b> $\text{≡}$ three
<b>mun</b> $\mathcal{D}$ moon, night sky object, star	<b>seli</b> $\text{⚡}$ fire; cooking element, chemical reaction, heat source
<b>musi</b> $\mathcal{V}$ artistic, entertaining, frivolous, playful, recreational	<b>selo</b> $\text{≡}$ outer form, outer layer; bark, peel, shell, skin; boundary
<b>mute</b> $\text{   }$ many, a lot, more, much, several, very; quantity; 125	<b>seme</b> $?$ what? which?
<b>n</b> $\downarrow$ uh, um	<b>sewi</b> $\text{≡}$ area above, highest part, something elevated; awe-inspiring, divine, sacred, supernatural
<b>namako</b> $\text{^}\text{^}$ spice, something extra	<b>sijelo</b> $\text{≡}$ body (of person or animal), physical state, torso
<b>nanpa</b> $\#$ -th (ordinal number); number	<b>sike</b> $\odot$ round or circular thing; ball, circle, cycle, sphere, wheel; of one year
<b>nasa</b> $\odot$ unusual, strange; foolish, crazy; drunk, intoxicated	<b>sin</b> $\text{^}\text{^}$ new, another, more
<b>nasin</b> $\uparrow$ way, custom, doctrine, method, path, road	<b>sina</b> $\circ$ you
<b>nen</b> $\cap$ bump, button, hill, mountain, nose, protuberance	<b>sinpin</b> $\text{┘}$ face, foremost, front, wall
<b>ni</b> $\downarrow$ that, this	<b>sitelen</b> $\boxminus$ image, picture, representation, symbol, mark, writing
<b>nimi</b> $\square$ name, word	<b>soko</b> $\mathcal{V}$ mushroom, fungus
<b>noka</b> $\text{┘}$ foot, leg, organ of locomotion; bottom, lower part	<b>sona</b> $\text{┘}$ to know, be skilled in, be wise about, have information on; to know how to
<b>o</b> $!$ hey! O! (vocative or imperative)	<b>soweli</b> $\text{≡}$ animal, beast, land mammal
<b>oko</b> $\mathcal{V}$ eye, detect	<b>suli</b> $\vee$ big, heavy, large, long, tall; important; adult
<b>olin</b> $\mathcal{V}$ to love, have compassion for, respect, show affection to	<b>suno</b> $\odot$ sun; light, brightness, glow, radiance, shine; light source
<b>ona</b> $\circ$ he, she, it, they	<b>supa</b> $\text{≡}$ horizontal surface, thing to put or rest something on
<b>open</b> $\text{┘}$ to begin, start; open; turn on	<b>sutopatikuna</b> $\text{≡}$ platypus
<b>pakala</b> $\boxtimes$ botched, broken, damaged, harmed, messed up	<b>suwi</b> $\text{^}\text{^}$ sweet, fragrant; cute, innocent, adorable
<b>pali</b> $\mathcal{R}$ to do, take action on, work on; build, make, prepare	<b>tan</b> $\curvearrowright$ by, from, because of
<b>palisa</b> $\circ$ long hard thing; branch, rod, stick	<b>taso</b> $\text{┘}$ but, however; only
<b>pan</b> $\text{≡}$ cereal, grain; barley, corn, oat, rice, wheat; bread, pasta	<b>tawa</b> $\wedge$ going to, toward; for; from the perspective of; moving
<b>pana</b> $\text{^}\text{^}$ to give, send, emit, provide, put, release	<b>te</b> $\text{┘}$ “open quotes”
<b>pi</b> $\sqsubset$ of	<b>telo</b> $\approx$ water, liquid, fluid, wet substance; beverage
<b>pilin</b> $\heartsuit$ heart (physical or emotional); feeling (an emotion, a direct experience)	<b>tenpo</b> $\odot$ time, duration, moment, occasion, period, situation
<b>pimeja</b> $\blacktriangle$ black, dark, unlit	<b>to</b> $\text{┘}$ “close quotes”
<b>pini</b> $\text{┘}$ ago, completed, ended, finished, past	<b>toki</b> $\text{⤵}$ to communicate, say, speak, say, talk, use
<b>pipi</b> $\text{≡}$ bug, insect, ant, spider	
<b>po</b> $\text{┘}$ four	
<b>poka</b> $\text{┘}$ hip, side; next to, nearby, vicinity	
<b>poki</b> $\square$ container, bag, bowl, box, cup, cupboard,	

	language, think	<b>waleja</b> $\Psi$ topic, context, salient, relevant, emphasize
<b>tomo</b> $\square$	indoor space; building, home, house, room	<b>walo</b> $\triangle$ white, whitish; light-colored, pale
<b>tonsi</b> $\bigcirc$	non-binary person, LGBTQ+	<b>wan</b> $\uparrow$ unique, united; one
<b>tu</b> $\parallel$	two, also	<b>waso</b> $\triangleleft$ bird, flying creature, winged animal
<b>unpa</b> $\wp$	to have sexual or marital relations with	<b>wawa</b> $\text{!}\text{O!}$ strong, powerful; confident, sure; energetic, intense
<b>unu</b> $\text{Z}$	purple	<b>weka</b> $\times$ absent, away, ignored
<b>uta</b> $\cap$	mouth, lips, oral cavity, jaw	<b>wile</b> $\omega$ must, need, require, should, want, wish
<b>utala</b> $\times$	to battle, challenge, compete against, struggle against	<b>yupekosi</b> $\gamma$ to intend to improve a piece of art but unintentionally make it worse
<b>wa</b> $\downarrow$	wow, whoa, ooo	