Balanda Language

Alphabets and Pronunciations



Α



Alimgba - eagle



В

B (be)

Bila – perhaps



D



Deye – develop



E

(e)

Fege - cherish



F



Fulu – thank/praise



G

G (ge)

Ginda – gun



Н



Hah – hah









Lï – dream



J

J (je)

Jere - catch



K



 ${\sf Kiti-beauty}$



L

(le)

Laworo – yesterday



M



Muruti – greeting



V



Nokoro - to wrinkle



ŋ



0



Lo – face



Öö

Öö (ö)

Völö – stubborn



P (pe)

Pinzi – career



R



Roko – few



S

S (se)

Siggi – message



T



Turunvili – car



U



Udoo - male name



Ü



Ülü – dancer (male)





Vosiri – star







Wutdu - person





Yehe – behavior



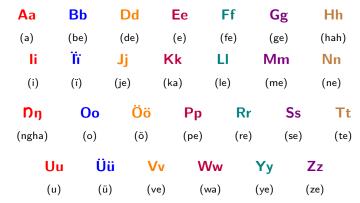
Z

 $\frac{Z}{(ze)}$

Zanga – fast



Alphabet and Pronunciation





Special Sounds



Gb

 $\mathop{Gb}_{(gb)}$

Gbito - slow



Kp

 $\displaystyle \mathop{\text{Kp}}_{\text{(kp)}}$

Kpotdu – elder



Nd

 $\mathop{\text{Nd}}_{\text{(nd)}}$

Nde - work



Ng

 $\underset{(\mathsf{ng})}{\mathsf{Ng}}$

Ngu – new



Ngb

 $\underset{(\mathsf{ngb})}{\mathsf{Ngb}}$

Ngba – theft



Dh



Dhe - find



 $N_{j} \atop \text{(nj)}$

Njee – one



Nz

 ${\displaystyle \mathop{N_{Z}}_{(nz)}}$

Nza - food

