

Wasco lessons

**WASCO LANGUAGE LESSON
TELLING TIME
MONDAY**

Let's review our numbers before we start the lesson on telling time.

- 1 Ixt
- 2 Makwsht
- 3 Lun
- 4 Lakt
- 5 Gwnma
- 6 Txm
- 7 Snmakwst
- 8 Gutlqt
- 9 Kw'is
- 10 Yáilxam
- 11 Yáilxam ik'un ixt
- 12 Yáilxam ik'un makwsht



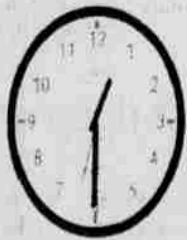
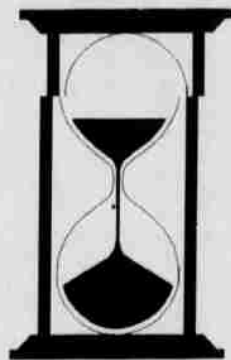
**TELLING TIME
TUESDAY**

Telling time in Wasco is very simple. To say the Wasco equivalent of "at ___ o'clock," simply add the suffix -ba to the appropriate number. For the Wasco equivalents of "one o'clock" and "ten o'clock," special forms are used:

- Aixtba (at) one o'clock
- Makwshtba (at) two o'clock
- Lunba (at) three o'clock
- Laktba (at) four o'clock
- Gwnmaba (at) five o'clock
- Txmba (at) six o'clock
- Snmakwstba (at) seven o'clock
- Gutlqtba (at) eight o'clock
- Kw'isba (at) nine o'clock
- Chalixamba (at) ten o'clock

These forms are also used for "eleven and twelve o'clock:"

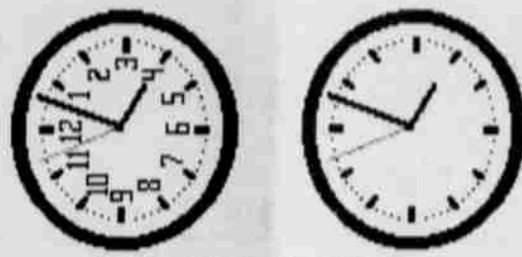
- Chalixam ik'un aixtba (at) eleven o'clock
- Chalixam ik'un makwshtba (at) twelve o'clock



**TELLING TIME
WEDNESDAY**

To say "half past" or ":30", aixtl'akwdix is placed before the number:

- Aixtl'akwdix Aixtba (at) 1:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Makwshtba (at) 2:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Lunba (at) 3:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Laktba (at) 4:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Gwnmaba (at) 5:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Txmba (at) 6:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Snmakwstba (at) 7:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Gutlqtba (at) 8:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Kw'isba (at) 9:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Chalixamba (at) 10:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Chalixam ik'un aixtba (at) 11:30
- Aixtl'akwdix Chalixam ik'un makwshtba (at) 12:30



**TELLING TIME
Thursday**

Special times in the day. The word kadúx can be added to indicate "morning," chushdix to indicate "evening", and ixabaxix to indicate "night":

- Gutlqtba Kadúx (at) 8:00 in the morning, 8 A.M.
- Kw'isba Kadúx (at) 9:00 in the morning, 9 A.M.
- Chalixamba Kadúx (at) 10:00 in the morning, 10 A.M.
- Aixtl'akwdix Txmba Chushdix (at) 6:30 in the evening, 6:30 P.M.
- Aixtl'akwdix Snmakwstba Chushdix (at) 7:30 in the evening, 7:30 P.M.
- Aixtl'akwdix Gutlqtba Chushdix (at) 8:30 in the evening, 8:30 P.M.
- Kw'isba Ixabaxix (at) nine o'clock at night, 9:00 P.M.
- Chalixamba Ixabaxix (at) ten o'clock at night, 10:00 P.M.
- Chalixam Ik'un Aixtba Ixabaxix (at) 11:00 at night, 11:00 P.M.
- Qiqayak Ixabaxix (Midnight (literally "middle night").
- Shaiba agaax (Noon (literally "straight-up sun").
- Sitkumsán. (Noon" or "lunchtime" (Chinook jargon)



WASCO PEOPLE!!
July 14, 1997 at 1:30 pm
Hank Millstein will be at the Language Program Trailer to meet with elders and other Wasco participants that would like to have input with the development of a Wasco dictionary. All are welcome to join the group!!!

LANGUAGE COMPUTER LAB.
Come and listen to the Warm Springs languages - Paiute! Wasco! Sahaptin! on our computers. Location of the lab is at the Culture and Heritage office. The office is open for all ages to practice language at your own leisure.
LEARN YOUR LANGUAGE!!

WELCOME HOME!!
Val Aguilar, Buford Johnson, Elaine Clements
The Program is happy that these people were able to attend the "American Indian Language Development Institute" for Wasco language curriculum development. They were funded by a grant for teacher development. Your dedication to keeping the Wasco language alive is appreciated.

PAIUTE LESSON II

This Fridays' lesson will continue with sounds from the Paiute alphabet. Visit our Language Computer lab to hear more of the sounds used with the Paiute language. The lab is located at the Culture and Heritage office. See you there!!



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Ha'oo-What

- Ha'oo u manewunu? (What are you doing?)
- Ha'oo tamme manekwe? (What are we going to do?)
- Ha'oo namani? (What happen?)

Haakutsabu-Scarf

- U pesa tabuadu haakutsabu kayoo. (You have a beautiful scarf!)
- U haakutsabu wi haneo! (Put on your scarf!)
- Ya'a sumu'yoo haakutsabu. (Here is one scarf.)



Haba-Shade

- Ya'a haba wi katupunee. (Come sit down here in the shade.)
- Obetoo pesa haba tabuapunee. (It looks nice and shady over there.)
- Pesa haba witu numapunee. (It feels food in the shade!)

