# Ginoondawaag ina Awesiinhyag?

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# **Can You Hear the Animals?**

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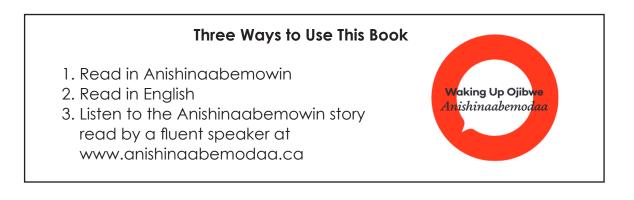
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These resources will help to wake up Anishinaabemowin within ourselves.



Ninoondawaa omagakii.

# Aaniin enwed omagakii?

Ninoondawaa waabooz.

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#### Aaniin enwed waabooz?

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Ninoondawaa ma'iingan.

Aaniin enwed ma'iingan?

Ninoondawaa mooz.

#### Aaniin enwed mooz?

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Ninoondawaa makwa.



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Ninoondawaa gookookoo'oo.



# Aaniin enwed gookookoo'oo?

Ninoondawaa ginebig.

Aaniin enwed ginebig?



Ninoondawaa aandeg.

# Aaniin enwed aandeg?



# Ninoondawaa giigoo.

# Aaniin enwed giigoo?

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Ninoondawaa meme.



#### Anikanootamaagewinan - Translations

Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a frog.
How does a frog sound?

3. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a rabbit?4. How does a rabbit sound?

5. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a wolf.6. How does a wolf sound?

7. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a moose.8. How does a moose sound?

9. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a bear.10. How does a bear sound?

11. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear an owl.12. How does an owl sound?

13. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a snake.14. How does a snake sound?

15. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a crow.16. How does a crow sound?

17. Can you hear him/her/s.them? I hear a fish?18. How does a fish sound?

19. Can you hear him/her/s.them?I hear a woodpecker.20. How does a woodpecker sound?

#### Anishinaabemodaa!

noondaw (vta) - hear him, her, singular them

ninoondawaa - I hear him/her/s.them ginoondawaa - you hear him/her/s.them

Ginoondawaa ina \_\_\_\_\_? Ninoondawaa \_\_\_\_\_. Aaniin enwed \_\_\_\_\_?

(Fill in the blanks with an animal or person)

| Anishinaabemowin<br>Vowel | Examples   | English<br>Equivalent        |
|---------------------------|--|------------------------------|
| a                         | <b>a</b> gim – count someone!'<br>n <b>a</b> m <b>a</b> d <b>a</b> bi – 'sits down'<br>baashkizig <b>a</b> n – 'gun' | <b>a</b> bout                |
| aa                        | <b>aa</b> gim – 'snowshoe'<br>m <b>aajaa</b> – 'goes away'   | f <b>a</b> ther              |
| е                         | emikwaan – 'spoon'<br>awenen – 'who'<br>anishinaabe – 'person'   | caf <b>é</b>                 |
| i                         | inini – 'man'<br>mawi – 'cries'  | p <b>i</b> n                 |
| ii                        | niin – 'l'<br>googii – 'dives'   | seen                         |
| Ο                         | <b>o</b> zid – 'someone's foot'<br>an <b>o</b> kii – 'works'<br>nib <b>o</b> – dies, is dead'                        | <b>o</b> bey, b <b>oo</b> k  |
| 00                        | <b>oo</b> dena – 'town'<br>an <b>oo</b> kii – 'hires'<br>g <b>oo</b> n – 'snow'<br>bimibat <b>oo</b> – 'runs along'  | b <b>oa</b> t, b <b>oo</b> t |

Adapted from The Ojibwe People's Dictionary - http://ojibwe.lib.umn.edu/about-ojibwe-language