

CHAHTA ANUMPA I  
Chapter Six - Lesson 3

**Chapter 6:** Hohchifo ʋlhtoba  
**Lesson 3:** Model 2 Sentences

**Starter:** Students will give the greeting, day of the week, month, date, and weather in Choctaw.

**Objective:** Students will be introduced to Model 2 Sentences and past tense marker 'tuk.' To show past tense the word 'tuk' is added to the end of a sentence.

Example sentence: Ofi yvt impa. The dog is eating.

Past tense sentence: Ofi yvt impa tuk. The dog ate.

**Presentation:** Model 2 Sentences

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| a) Issi nipi hoponi li tuk.  | a) I cooked venison.           |
| b) Issi nipi ish hoponi tuk. | b) You cooked venison.         |
| c) Issi nipi hoponi tuk.     | c) (He/She/It) cooked venison. |

**Activity 1:** Student will repeat these modeled sentences until they are familiar with the Choctaw past tense marker at the end of a sentence. Students will continue to review 'li' and 'ish' in these sentence structures.

**Activity 2:** WHO COOKED?

This activity will review Model 2 Sentences and reinforce the past tense marker 'tuk.'

**Closure:** Teacher will read sentences from the student worksheet in English and students will read back the corresponding sentence in Choctaw.