

Wolof Language and Senegalese Cultural Exchange Class

Class #6 - Pronouns, Nouns, Action Verbs and Family

Zoom virtual conference call

- 6:00pm – 7:00pm EST, Thursday, April 23rd, 2020
- Class admin - Ed Rosemond
- Guest instructor - Mamedjarra Diop

Background

EBAN was created to encourage African-Americans and the entire African Diaspora to Live Life Loud and Unapologetically. Unifying the Diaspora is a critical piece of of fully living the EBAN life.

So, it's pretty simple, there is no unity without understanding and communication.

This exchange is designed to broaden your understanding of your cousins in Senegal and to help you have a conversation with a part of your family. A part of the African Diaspora, the Senegalese.

Vocabulary

WOLOF	ENGLISH
Tank	Leg
Loxo	Arm
Nop	Ears
Bakén	Nonse
Bat	Neck
Butt	Eyes
Guémén	Mouth
Bop	Head
Mangi	I am
Yangi	You are
Mungi	He/She is
Nungi	We are
Yeén	You are (pl)
Nungi	They are
Mangi ndekki	I am having breakfast
Mangi añ	I am having lunch
Mangi Reer	I am having dinner
Lekk	To eat
Naan	To drink
Ñibbi	To go home
Tëddi	To go to bed
Nelow	To sleep



WOLOF	ENGLISH
Raxas(u)	To wash one's hands
Seeti	To go to visit
Waxtaan	To discuss
Seetan	To watch
Déglu	To listen
Sangu	To shower
Jot	To receive
Jël	To take
Fo	To play
Fòot	To do the laundry
Toog	To sit
Togg	To cook
Baay / papa	Father
Yaay	Mother
Waajur	Parents
Jëkkër	Husband
Jabar	Wife
Doom	Child
Ak	And
Sama	My
Sunu	Our

We look forward to seeing you in our next class!