

Lesson of The Day

Adverb: beka - usually

Svshki yvt a hoponi beka tuk.

My mother usually cooks for me.

Okhata ya nani hoklit ia beka tuk.

He usually goes to the lake to fish.

Word Meaning: **svshki** (sahsh-kih) = my mother

yvt (yaht) = subject marker

ia (e-yah) = to go

a (ahn) = to me or for me

ya (yahn) = object marker

hoponi (hoh-poh-nih) = to cook

nani (na-nih) = fish

beka (be-kah) = usually

tuk (tohk) = past tense

okhata (ohk-ha-tah) = lake

hokli (hohk-le) = to catch **hoklit** – picks up a suffix ‘t’ when two verbs are together in a sentence.

*To see previous lessons visit the **Chahta Anumpa Aïkhvna** (School of Choctaw Language) website at: www.choctawschool.com*