Lesson of The Day

Negation of the verb form 'hvchik-o,' means "you, not." 'Hvchik' is prefixed before a verb (hvchik+verb) and the last vowel of the word is converted to an 'o,' (hvchik+verb+o) unless the verb already ends in an 'o,' then it remains the same.

Base word: $\frac{\text{haklo}}{\text{haklo}} = \text{to hear} \quad (\frac{\text{hvchik} + \text{haklo}}{\text{haklo}} + \mathbf{o}) \rightarrow \frac{\text{hvchikhaklo}}{\text{haklo}} = \text{you didn't hear}$

Vocabulary: hvchikhaklo – you didn't hear

Hattak vt kania tuk <u>a</u> hvchikhaklo tuk <u>o</u>?

Did you all not hear that the man is lost?

Nana pima chi k<u>a</u> hvchikhaklo tuk <u>o</u>?

Did you all not hear what he said to us?

Word Meaning: **hattak** (haht-tahk) = man

tuk (tohk) = past tense marker <u>a</u> (ahn) = object marker

hvchikhaklo (ha-chihk-hahk-loh) = you didn't hear

o (ohn) = question marker nana (nah-nah) = anything

pim (pihm) = to or for us **achi** (ah-chih) = said

ka (kahn) = a conjunction used when the subject is the same

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