

Lesson of The Day

Um vlhtaha! I'm ready!

Context:

- 1) I'm ready as in I'm ready to go somewhere, or,
- 2) I have finished or completed a task.

Um vlhtaha tuk! I was ready!

Context:

- 1) I was ready, or,
- 2) I finished or completed a task.

Um vlhtaha chi! I will be ready!

Context:

- 1) I will be ready, or,
- 2) I will prepare to be in a state of readiness.

Word Meaning:

um (ahm) = I am

vlhtaha (ahth-ta-ha) = v.n., to be ready; to end; to finish

tuk (tuk) = past tense marker

chi (ch^enh) = future tense marker

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