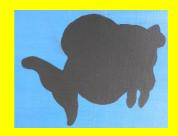




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Wanyu yinya?



Yinya walbul walbul.

That's a butterfly.



Wanyu yinya?



Yinya kuyu.

That's a fish.





Yinya bilngkumu.

That's a crocodile.





Yinya yirkuyirku.

That's a frog.





Yinya kaya.

That's a dog.





Ngayu. Juma ngajil.

Me. Goodbye

<u>Kuku</u>

Wanyu what

Yinya this / that

Walbul walbul butterfly

Kuyu fish

Bilngkumu crocodile

Yirkuyirku frog

Kaya dog

Ngayu me

Juma ngajil goodbye

This book is one of a set of four that was created for 2017 NAIDOC Week celebrating 'Our Languages Matter'. The project aim was to retrieve, maintain, preserve and protect Indigenous language by ensuring young children have access to culturally appropriate material. The booklets contain simple and grammatically correct sentences in Kuku Yalanji with illustrations provided by talented local artists.





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