**Noun Derivation Quick Reference Sheet**

Verb Stems:

1. Present Continuous *a-sdeliha* “he is helping”
2. Incompletive *a-sdelisg-v’i*  “he was helping”
3. Immediate *a-sdela* “he helped (just now)”
4. Completive *u-sdelvh-v’i* “he helped”
5. Deverbal Noun *u-sdehld-i* “for him to help”

**Set A**

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|  | Singular | Dual (DL) | Plural (PL) |
| 1st Person Inclusive | tsi- / g- | ini- | idi- |
| 1st Person Exclusive |  | osdi- | otsi- |
| 2nd Person | hi- | sdi- | itsi- |
| 3rd Person | a-/ga- |  | ani- |

**Set B**

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|  | Singular | Dual (DL) | Plural (PL) |
| 1st Person Inclusive | agi-/agw- | gini- | igi- |
| 1st Person Exclusive |  | ogini- | ogi- |
| 2nd Person | tsa- | sdi- | itsi- |
| 3rd Person | u-/uw- |  | uni- |

Noun Derivations:

Incompletive

NOM –*i* / NOM2 -*ii’i* 🡺 Agentive *adelokwasgo’i* 🡺 *didelokwasgi*

(“she learns”) 🡺 (“student”)

DVB –*vv’i* 🡺 Abstract/Concrete *atsesgo’i* 🡺 *atsesgvv’i*

(“he turns off the road”) 🡺 (“the turn-off”)

Completive

DVB –*v:’i* 🡺 resultative *gosvnv:’i* (“butter” – lit. “it is made”)

Deverbal Noun

NOM –*i* 🡺 object related to action of verb *anehlti, disesdi* (“doll,” “numbers”)

NOM2 –*i:’i* 🡺 ability to perform verb, complement of main verb, location.

*Osda dichanogisdi* *tsalisdaydi agwaduli* *tsunikwanayosdi:’i*

(“your singing is good”) (“I want for you to eat”) (“where they play cards”)

Root + *-da*

*Kanogida* – “song”

*Kanoheda* – “news/gospel”

*Ginuda* – “quarter”