Prefix Sets

Warm up!

Isolate the **pronominal** (pronoun) prefix in the following verbs, then identify the prefix set (**A** or **B**) that the verb is using:

Ex: ᎠᏆᏚᎵᎭ - agwaduliha; ‘I want it’ ᏕᏥᎪᏘᎭ - detsigotiha; ‘I see them’

 Prefix - \_\_\_agw-\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_B\_\_\_ Prefix - \_\_tsi\_\_ Set - \_\_\_A\_\_\_

1. ᎤᏂᏲᏏᎭ - uniyosiha; ‘they are hungry’

Prefix - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. ᏥᏔᏛᎲᎦ - tsitadvhvga; ‘I am hearing it/listening to it’ / ‘I am asking him/her’

Prefix - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. ᎦᏛᏁᎭ - gadvneha; ‘I am doing it’

Prefix - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. ᏚᏯᏪᎦ - duyawega; ‘(s)he is tired’

Prefix - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. ᏕᏣᎸᏫᏍᏔᏁᎰᎢ - detsalvwistaneho’i; ‘you are always working’

Prefix - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. ᎭᏓᎾᏖᏍᎪᎢ - hadantesgo’i; ‘you are always thinking’

Prefix - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. ᎯᏗᏬᏂᎭ - hidiwoniha; ‘all of us are speaking’

Prefix - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Answer Key

1. ᎤᏂᏲᏏᎭ - uniyosiha; ‘they are hungry’

Prefix - \_uni-\_\_ Set - \_\_B\_\_\_

1. ᏥᏔᏛᎲᎦ - tsitadvhvga; ‘I am hearing it’

Prefix - \_\_\_tsi-\_ Set - \_A\_\_\_

1. ᎦᏛᏁᎭ - gadvneha; ‘I am doing it’

Prefix - \_\_g(a)-\_\_ Set - \_\_A\_\_\_

1. ᏚᏯᏪᎦ - duyawega; ‘(s)he is tired’

Prefix - \_\_u-\_\_\_ Set - \_\_B\_\_\_

1. ᏕᏣᎸᏫᏍᏔᏁᎰᎢ - detsalvwistaneho’i; ‘you are always working’

Prefix - \_\_tsa-\_\_ Set - \_B\_\_

1. ᎭᏓᎾᏖᏍᎪᎢ - hadantesgo’i; ‘you are always thinking’

Prefix - \_h-\_\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_A\_\_\_

1. ᎯᏗᏬᏂᎭ - hidiwoniha; ‘all of us are speaking’

Prefix - \_(h)idi-\_\_\_\_ Set - \_\_A\_\_\_\_