**Verbs – 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- |

**Combined**

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|  | Singular | Dual (DL) | Plural (PL) |
| 1st person subject 🡺 2nd person object | gv-/gvy- | sdv-/sdvy- | itsv-/itsvy- |
| 2nd person subject 🡺 1st person object | sgi-/sgw- | sgini-/sgin- | isgi-/isgiy- |

1st Person: “I, me, we, us” (the speaker)

2nd Person: “you/y’all” (the person the speaker is talking to)

3rd Person: “he/she/it, they” (someone else)

 Singular - Dual - Plural

 1 person 2 people more than 2 people

 Inclusive - Exclusive

Includes person you’re talking to Excludes person you’re talking to.