

BeingAfrican, LLC Curriculum-Lesson 17

Objectives

Upon completion of this lesson, students will be able to:

1. Translate words and sentences from work covered in previous sessions

Let's say it even better: Names of places.

Natulande bwino: Amashina ya nchende

Take note of these little syllables that go before a place noun: Pre-positions.

(i) Ku- =in =to =at	e.g ku sukulu – at school -to school
(ii) Pa- =at =on	e.g pa tebulo –at the table -on the table
(iii) Mu- =in	e.g mu in'ganda -in the house -in school

Try to translate these sentences WITHOUT the help of your notes/previous lessons.

Pilibula ama senteshi kwabula ubwafwilisho bwa ma somo yafumapo:

1. Ine ndenda pakuya ku sukulu.
2. Mwibala muli umusalu
3. Pa tebulo balalya inama, ifilashi fya kusalula na matimati.
4. Pa n'ganda imfwe twikala na Talilo na Fanesu
5. Ku Zambia nako balangala ku sukulu.
6. Iwe ulabutuka nge ndyabuluba
7. Panse pali abeni.

Self Assessment Break.

Here are some more place nouns to help you say what you may want -

Ngawa lolesha panshi apa, pali ama nouns aya ncende aya kukwafwako

ukulanda ifyo ulefwaya:

Let's practise saying the following: Natweshe ukulanda aya malembo

ayali panshi:

In'ganda ya Mulungu	Church
Umumana	River
Ulupili	Mountain
Ipanga	Forest
Inshila	Road
Tauni	Town
Panse	Outside
Umulu, Umutenge	Sky, roof
Icalo, panshi	Earth, down, floor
Ku Mushi	Home, village

Now you are ready to communicate in Bemba
Nomba waipékanya ukulanda Ibibemba

I	You	We	He	She
Ine	Iwe	Imfwe	Umwaume (uyu)	Umwanakashi (uyu)

Build up 20 words from the syllable chart in [lesson 8](#)

Read the sentences below.

Belenga ama senteshi aya pashi:

I work hard.
Ine ndabombesha

You read books.
Iwe ulabelenga ifitabo

We go to church.
Imfwe tulaya ku n'ganda ya Mulungu

He is feeding the chickens.
Uyu alepele inkoko ifyakulya

She is sweeping in the house.
Uyu alepyanga mu n'ganda.

Revision greetings.

Ukuibwekeshapo ukuposha.

Mulishani Shikulu?

Hello grandfather, how are you?

Ulushani we mushikulu wandi, ine ndifye bwino

Hello grandson, I am very well.