

Denesųłłıne (Chipewyan) Practical Syllabics

Onset	Vowel				Final
	a	e	i	u	
V	◁	▽	△	▷	
γ	◁`	▽`	△`	▷`	
ʔ	◁〃	▽〃	△〃	▷〃	◁〃
h	◁'	▽'	△'	▷'	◁ _h
w	◁̣	▽̣	△̣	▷̣	◁ _o
b	<	v	^	>	◁<
d	c	u	n	ɔ	◁ ₋
r	ɽ	ɽ̣	ɽ̇	ɽ̈	◁ _z
t	e	ɘ	ə	ɤ	◁ _ɬ
t'	e'	ɘ'	ə'	ɤ'	
g	ɣ	ɣ̣	ɣ̇	ɣ̈	◁
gw	ɣ̣	ɣ̣̣	ɣ̣̇	ɣ̣̈	
k	b	q	p	d	◁ _\
kw	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	
k'	b'	q'	p'	d'	
kw'	̣b'	̣q'	̣p'	̣d'	
gh	ɽ	ɽ̣	ɽ̇	ɽ̈	◁ _ı
ghw	̣ɽ	̣ɽ̣	̣ɽ̇	̣ɽ̈	
kh	◁̣	▽̣	△̣	▷̣	◁ _x
khw	̣◁̣	̣▽̣	̣△̣	̣▷̣	
l	ɥ	u	ɲ	ɫ	◁ _s
ł	◁̣	▽̣	△̣	▷̣	◁ _ɥ
dl	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	
tł	̣b'	̣q'	̣p'	̣d'	
tł'	̣b'	̣q'	̣p'	̣d'	
m	L	ɿ	ɿ̇	ɿ̈	◁ _c
n	ɽ	u	ɲ	ɫ	◁ _b
z	ɽ̣	ɽ̣̣	ɽ̣̇	ɽ̣̈	◁ _u
s	ɥ	ɥ̣	ɥ̇	ɥ̈	◁ _n
dz	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	
ts	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	
ts'	̣b'	̣q'	̣p'	̣d'	
y	ɥ	ɥ̣	ɥ̇	ɥ̈	◁ ₊
zh	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	◁ _p
sh	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	◁ _b
j	̣ɥ	̣ɥ̣	̣ɥ̇	̣ɥ̈	
ch	ɥ	ɥ̣	ɥ̇	ɥ̈	
ch'	ɥ'	ɥ̣'	ɥ̇'	ɥ̈'	
dh	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	◁ _ɥ
th	ɥ	ɥ̣	ɥ̇	ɥ̈	◁ _ɥ
ddh	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	
tth	̣b	̣q	̣p	̣d	
tth'	̣b'	̣q'	̣p'	̣d'	

Notes:

- A dot over a u-syllabic indicates the vowel /o/: ◁̣ is /nu/ while ◁̣̣ is /no/.
- The dot over an e-syllabic indicates the reduced /ë/ sound: ◁̣̣ is /ne/ while ◁̣̣̣ is /në/. Many Roman orthography Chipewyan texts use a different analysis of the e-vowel, namely the division is between /e/ and /ɛ/. For this reason, the dot over the e-series could on occasion be omitted by some writers.
- Tone is not generally included when writing in Practical Syllabics. High tone can be indicated with an accent over the syllabic: e.g. ◁̣̄, ◁̣̣̄. Tone might only be written: for pedagogical purposes, for a dictionary, or to specifically mark a syllable for tone to disambiguate the word.