

Lesson 8 – Family

Possessive Pronouns Prefixes

Singular	Plural
My – ne-	Our – chee-
Your – me-	Your pl. – ‘ee-
His/Her/Its – ‘a-	Their – pee-

Family Words

English	Serrano	My X
Mother	-ye’	Neye’
Father	-na’	Nena’
Older Brother	-parr	Neparr
Younger Brother	-priit	Nepriit
Older Sister	-qeer	Neqeer
Younger Sister	-piit	Nepiit
Grandmother (maternal)	-chuuri’ (chuulyi’)	Nechuuri’
Grandfather (maternal)	-kwaari’	Nekwaari’
Grandmother (paternal)	-ka’	Neka’
Grandfather (paternal)	-ka’	Neka’

Suffix for the Deceased

1. – *chui’v*
2. – *nuch*

Examples:

Neka’chui’v – my deceased paternal grandfather

Cheena’nuch – Our deceased father