

'IIPAY AA

Kumeyaay Language

CORRECT SPELLING	PHONETICALLY	ENGLISH	ACTION
Haawka! Memeyu temewa?	Howka! Meme-u tem-a-wa	Hello! How are you?	Sitting
Haawka! Memeyu teme yuuw?	Howka! Meme-tem-a-yo?	Hello! How are you?	Standing
Haawka! Memeyu teme yuu?	Howka! Meme-u-tem-a-u?	Hello! How are you?	Walking
Haawka! Memeyu teme yaq?	Howka! Meme-u-tem-a-yuk?	Hello! How are you?	Lying
Haawka! Memeyu temenyeway?	Howka! Meme-u-ta-men-u-way?	Hello! How are you all?	A group

5 ways to say hello

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Aahan ta'waa or Aahan pii 'waa	Ah-hun ta-wa or Ah-hun-pe-wa	I'm fine	Sitting
Aahan ta'waa or Aahan pii'yuuw	Ah-hun ta-wa or Ah-hun-pe-yo	I'm fine	Standing
Aahan ta'waa or Aahan pii'yuu	Ah-hun ta-wa or Ah-hun-pii-u	I'm fine	Walking
Aahan ta'waa or Aahan pii yaw	Ah-hun ta-wa or Ah-hun-pii-yuk	I'm fine	Lying
Aahan ta'nyeway	Ah-hun ta-an-u-way	We're fine	Group

5 ways to respond

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★ Haawka! Memeyu temewa?
(Hello how are you?)

⚡ Haawka! Aahan ta'waa or Aahan pii 'waa
(I'm fine)

⚡ Mah-vah?
(and you?)

★ 'ehan 'Ich wiich mechuuyhii?
(Good, What is your name?)

⚡ _____ wii nyechuuhii
(Your Name) (My name is)

⚡ Mah-vah?
(and you?)

★ _____ wii nyechuuhii
(Your Name) (My name is)

★ Nya'aamh nawooma
(I'm going now/goodbye)

⚡ Nya'aamh nawooma
(I'm going now/goodbye)