

NATIVE VOCABULARY

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(All marked words in Vasse vocabulary)

Curr's Vocabulary's unrelatable,

✓ Kangaroo	youngar
✓ Opossum	goomal
✓ Tame dog	dwoda
✓ Wild dog	yakkine
✓ Emu	weja
✓ Black duck	wannina
✓ Wood duck	goorak
✓ Pelican	potalong
Laughing Jackass	goorbeet
White cockatoo	manitcha
✓ Crow	wardong
✓ Swan	gooljak
✓ Egg	boya
✓ Track of a foot	jenna
Lobster	murrin ?
✓ Crayfish	koonak
✓ Mosquito	newrga
✓ Fly	noorda
✓ The blacks	youngar
✓ A blackfellow	youngar
✓ A blackwoman	yoka
✓ Nose	moolia
✓ Hand	mara
✓ Two blacks	goojal youngar
✓ Three "	mardine "
✓ One	kaih
✓ Two	goojal
✓ Three	mardine
✓ Four	boola goojal (many two)
✓ Father	mammon
✓ Mother	nongan
✓ Sister (elder)	jindam
✓ " (younger)	kowat
✓ Brother (elder)	ngoondan?, bordang
✓ " (younger)	karding
✓ A young man	goolam
✓ An old man	moorgat
✓ An old woman	manjung

A baby	gootang, boola (goolongur? baby many?)
✓ A white man	tunja (jenga?)
Children	gootang-boola
✓ Head	kata
✓ Eye	meal
✓ Ear	dwonga
✓ Mouth	da
✓ Teeth	nolga
✓ Hair of the head	mungar
✓ Beard	nonga
✓ Thunder	mulgar
✓ Grass	batta (rushes)
✓ Tongue	daline
✓ Stomach	gobbair
Breasts	narile
✓ Thigh	dowilr
✓ Foot	jenna
✓ Bone	quegi
✓ Blood	nooba
✓ Skin	nooba
✓ Fat	boin
✓ Bowels	gawbool
✓ Excrement	koonna
✓ War spear	gigee
✓ Wommera	miro
✓ Shield	woonda
✓ Sun	(ngunga?) nungar
✓ Moon	(meeka?), meggi
✓ Star	jindang
✓ Dark	jidaluk (gidalyuk?)
✓ Cold	netyne
✓ Heat	moornak
✓ Fire	karla
✓ Water	gabba
✓ Smoke	bwoya
✓ Ground	boojar
✓ Wind	mar

Rain	gabba-ukine
✓ Ghosts	junga (jenga?)
✓ Boomerang	kylee
✓ Hill	moorda (point of hill)
✓ Wood	boona
✓ Stone	hooye
Camp	binma?
✓ Yes	koo
✓ No	oocarda (yocada?)
✓ I	nanya
✓ You	noonak
✓ Bark	booda
✓ Good	quabba
✓ Bad	wakine
Sweet	mindanga?
✓ Food	marine
Hungry	goober?
✓ Thirsty	gabba weening
Sleep	bigan (beejar?)
✓ Drink	nanning
✓ Walk	barding
✓ See	jenong
✓ Sit	nyning
✓ Yesterday	kurrinea
✓ Today	yaiya
Tomorrow	nokkar (myeruk?)
✓ Where are the blacks?	winja youngar?
Idon't know	wa (?)
✓ Plenty	boola
✓ Big	wardagadup
✓ Little	nanbejet
✓ Dead	wannagee
✓ By and bye	mailam (meela?)
Come on	yalbert?
Milk	goonda?
Eaglehawk	warja (walja?)
✓ Wild turkey	bibilerong (beebilyerra?)
✓ Wife	kordo