



Directions: Challenge yourself! Fill in the missing parts in each row with either the English word, the written Cherokee (syllabary), or the verbal Cherokee (pronunciation). Use your references. These include: your friends, the [Cherokee syllabary chart](#), and the [Cherokee pronunciation guide](#) to help you. Good luck!

[Cherokee syllabary chart = language.cherokee.org/media/tmre3lgz/syllabarychart.pdf]

[Cherokee pronunciation guide = cherokeespeaks.com/syllabary/#syllabary-characters]

Remember:

One character = one verbal sound. So, if there are 3 characters in the syllabary, there are 3 sounds in the verbal section.

For example:

Vᵒᵒ is 2 characters. So, I need 2 verbal sounds = do ya. (English = bean)

ᵒ is 1 character. So, I need 1 verbal sound = ka. (English = Attention!)

English	Cherokee Syllabary	Verbal Cherokee
1. Hello	1.	1. O si yo
2. Cherokee	2. ᵒWY	2.
3.	3. ᵒVᵒᵒ	3. Si qwo ya
4. Thank you	4.	4. Wa do
5. Please	5. ᵒVAGT	5.
6.	6. ᵒY	6. Hi 'gi
7. No	7.	7. Tla
8. Good	8. ᵒᵒᵒ	8. O s da
9.	9. ᵒC	9.
10. Friend	10.	10. O' gi na' li