

Lesson 17 - Complex Consonants HM , HL , KH

Tsiaj Ntawv Txiv Txooj (HM , HL , KH)

(hm) hmuuv spear

(hl) hlua rope

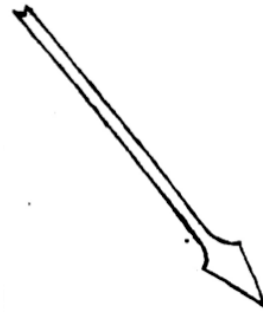
(kh) khau shoe

Hmuuv

(hm)

Hos + mos = Hmos

Hmos + uv = Hmuuv



Text

Hmoob nyob pem roob. Lawv tham ib hmos kaj ntug. Nees ko tw ua quav hma. Peb yuav mus nram Moos Loob. Tus hmuuv lwj tas. Nyob ntawm txoj hmoov. Hmob qaib tom neeg. Hmo ntuj hmo teb nti tsis pom kev. Lawv ntaus hmuuv mus cuab dais.

Hmoob Lees hnav txawv Hmoob Dawb.

Vocabulary

1) Hmoob

Hmong

- 2) hmo night , evening
- 3) hma wolf
- 4) hmoov fate , fortune
- 5) hmos qaib chicken flea

Additional Vocabulary and Pronunciation

- 6) Hmab = hos mos hmos (hm) + (a) + (b) = hmab vine
- 7) Hmoo = hos mos hmos (hm) + (oo) = hmoo luck , fortune
- 8) Hmos = hos mos hmos (hm) + (o) + (s) = hmos night , evening
- 9) Hmov = hos mos hmos (hm) + (o) + (v) = hmov miss (hmov tshua)
- 10) Hmoob = hos mos hmos (hm) + (oo) + (b) = hmoob Hmong

Text Translation

Hmong lives in the mountain. They talked for the whole night. The horse's feet is all tangle up. We will go to Moos Loob. The spear is tearing apart. It's up to fate. Flees bite the horse. It is so dark and cannot see anything. They prepare the spear to hunt for bear. Hmong Leng wear different from White Hmong.

Hlua

(hl)

Hos + los = Hlos

Hlos + ua = Hlua



Text

Ib tug hluas nraug tuaj yos tim peb zos. Lub kaum ob hlis peb yuav mus nram Los Tsuas. Suav tuaj muag hlaws. Koj hlawv hlau kom liab. Txog caij hlais yeeb lawm. Rau tes hlav. Nws fee hlawv hlo. Nws tuaj hlib peb roj mus haus yeeb. Kuv tus tub hlob tiav hluas hlo. Tus me nyuam hlob mos nyoos. Kuv tes tawm ib lub hlww.

Vocabulary

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| 1) hluas nraug | young adult , young man |
| 2) hlis | month |
| 3) hlaws | pearls |
| 4) hlawv | burn |
| 5) hlau | iron |
| 6) hlais | slice , to slice |
| 7) hlav | to sprout |
| 8) hlib | get , to pour |
| 9) hlob | grow , older |
| 10) hlww | blister |

Additional Vocabulary and Pronunciation

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| 11) Hlub = hos los hlos (hl) + (u) + (b) = hlub | love , to love |
| 12) Hloov = hos los hlos (hl) + (oo) + (v) = hloov | change , to change |
| 13) Hla = hos los hlos (hl) + (a) = hla | cross , cross over |

- 14) Hlaws = hos los hlos (hl) + (aw) + (s) = hlaws pearls , rubies
- 15) Hlwb = hos los hlos (hl) + (w) + (b) = hlwb brain

Text Translation

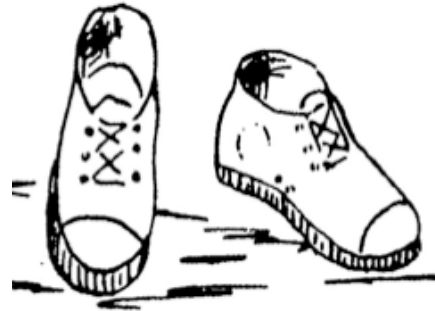
A young man came to visit our village. We will go to Laos in December. Chinese came to sell pearls. You fire the steel so it will turn red. It's time to cut the poppy. Fingernails grow. He turn away. He came to get our oil to smoke opium. My older son is a grown man. The baby grew up very cute. My hand had a blister.

Khau

(kh)

Kos + hos = Khos

Khos + au = Khau



Text

Lawv pov khaub hnab. Nws khiab ib lub hnab. Mov khub lauj kaub. Peb yawg khoov duav. Kuv tsis tau kev khaub zig leej twg. Me nyuam quaj khaws khiam. Nws lub khauj khaum taub hau tawg. Txoj khiab txia nees tu. Poj niam me nyuam khuam yus siab hww. Muab vab khwb yias.

Vocabulary

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| 1) | khaub hnab | cotton ball |
| 2) | khiab | hang , carry |
| 3) | khub | dirty , sticky |
| 4) | khoov duav | hump back |
| 5) | khaub zig | mess with other |
| 6) | khauj khaum | shell |
| 7) | khuam | hang |
| 8) | khwb | cover |
| 9) | khaws khiam | adverb to describe crying (quaj) |

Additional Vocabulary and Pronunciation

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| 10) | Khoob = kos hos khos (kh) + (oo) + (b) = khoob | empty |
| 11) | Khib = kos hos khos (kh) + (i) + (b) = khib | jealous |
| 12) | Khob = kos hos khos (kh) + (o) + (b) = khob | cup |
| 13) | Khvw = kos hos khos (kh) + (w) + (v) = khvw | work to earn money |
| 14) | Khawb = kos hos khos (kh) + (aw) + (b) = khawb | scratch |

Text Translation

They toss cotton ball. She carry a purse. The left over rice stick to the pot. Our grandfather is hump back. I have not mess with any one. The baby cry. The head of the shell is broken. The strape for the horse breaks. Wife and kids worry my heart very

much. Cover the bamboo tray over the pan.

Progress Checklist

After finishing this lesson, you should be able to



Be able to read any word that starts with consonant hm , hl , kh



Know how to construct any word using the consonant hm , hl , kh



Be able to pronounce any word that starts with hm , hl , kh

* When you are able to do the above, move on to lesson 18! If you are still having troubles, review the lesson until you fully understand all the vocabularies and the text content.

Next Lesson : Complex Consonants NK , PL , NQ