

# IÑUPIATUN ILISAQTUNI APIQQUTIKSRAT

Questions to ask when learning Iñupiaq

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- Qanuq taiñaqpa \_\_\_\_\_ Iñupiatun?**  
How do you say \_\_\_\_\_ in Iñupiaq?
- Taitqikkumiñaqpiuᅇ?**  
Can you repeat that?
- Taitqikkumiñaqpiuᅇ sukaisuuraaglutin?**  
Can you repeat that more slowly?
- Kaᅇiqsiᅇitchuᅇa.**  
I don't understand.
- Suna una?**  
What is this (closer to speaker)?
- Taamna suna?**  
What is that (closer to listener)?
- Sumik una taiᅇiᅇaᅇqpa?**  
What is this called?
- Sumik una Iñupiatun pisuuvisiuᅇ?**  
What do you call this in Iñupiaq?
- Sut makua?**  
What are those<sup>3+</sup> around here?
- Sut apkua?**  
What are those<sup>3+</sup> over there?
- Suliqiviᅇᅇ / Suliqivisiᅇ?**  
What are you<sup>1</sup> doing? What are you<sup>2</sup> doing?
- Suliqiva? / Suliqivak?**  
What are they<sup>1</sup> doing? What are they<sup>2</sup> doing?
- Aasii akkupak sulana?**  
And what am I doing now?
- Iluaᅇpik? Iluaᅇqpa?**  
Am I correct? Is she/he/it correct?
- Iluaᅇpiᅇᅇ?**  
Are you correct?
- Iluaᅇnasugiviᅇᅇ?**  
Do you think you said it correctly?
- Uᅇautiyumiñaᅇqpiᅇa Iñupiatun?**  
Can you say that in Iñupiaq?
- Iñupiatun piyumiñaᅇqpiuᅇ?**  
Can you in Iñupiaq?
- Quliaᅇtuagutiyumiñaᅇqpiᅇa Iñupiatun?**  
Can you tell me a story in Iñupiaq?
- Suliᅇivat uumani qiᅇiᅇgaami?**  
What are they doing in this picture?
- Kitkut qiᅇiᅇgaami itpat?**  
Who is in the picture?
- Qanuᅇ aglagnaᅇqpa taamna uᅇaluk Iñupiatun?**  
How do you write this word in Iñupiaq?
- Qanuᅇ taiñaᅇqpa una uᅇaluk Iñupiatun?**  
How do I say this word in Iñupiaq?