

# Gumbaynggirr Language Introduction

## Animals, landscape and body parts

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### Animals

Magpie.....	ngaambul
Dog.....	waanyji
Black duck.....	ngarlagan
Porcupine.....	mujaay
Emu.....	gugaamgan
Kangaroo.....	nunguu
Goanna.....	wirriiga
Carpet snake.....	jumbaal
Water dragon.....	magaam
Long-neck turtle.....	ngurlaa
Koala.....	dunggiirr
Blue-tongue lizard.....	wandarrga
Kookaburra.....	garruuga

### Landscape

Cloud.....	gaara
Mountain.....	julum
Sea.....	gaagal
Moon.....	baali
Flower.....	balaawa
Tree.....	jaliigirr
Sun.....	ngayan

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Belly.....	buluyn [buluuny]
Neck.....	wuru
Arm.....	jaalbarr
Hand.....	maana
Hair.....	maara
Leg.....	ngaari
Face.....	waan
Back.....	jiiba
Tongue.....	ganyaambil
Teeth.....	diira
Head.....	gaali
Knee.....	barliin
Foot.....	jiina
Eye.....	miil
Ear.....	ngaalgan
Mouth.....	jalaayn [jalaany]
Nose.....	jingaam