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Even though we cannot predict the exact set of utterances that each student will need for the next ten months, we can foresee many of the situations in which he will find himself, and let him practice conversation that are typpical of what might be said in those situations.

<u>Sahaptin</u>	English
1.Q. Ay, <u>x</u> itway, mish nam misha?	Hello(Hi) friend, what are you doing?
A. Wishuwa-shaash winat tawn-kan.	I'm getting ready to go to to to
2. Q. Aw nam wa wishuwanii?	Are you ready now?
A. Ii.	Yes.
3. Q. Mish na winasha inmiki kaa-ki?	Are we going in my car?
A. Kumish, awna winata imikink.	Okay, we will go in yours.
4. Q. Minan mash tamahayk-ta pachupa tawn-pa?	Where shall I let you off, in the middle of town?
A. Maykwaanik.	A little further over.
5. Q. Mun mash wishtaymamta.	When can I come meet you?
A. Paysh mun sitkumsaana <u>k</u> 'it.	Perhaps about afternoon.
6. Q. Mun?	When?
A. Mitaatipa.	Three o'clock.