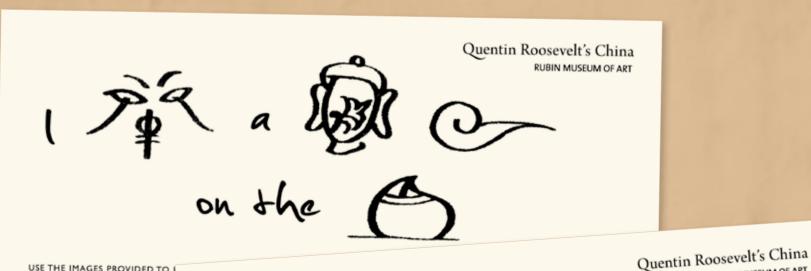
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Sample sentences



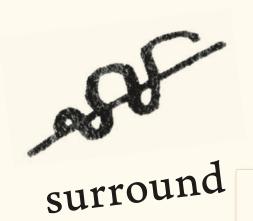
USE THE IMAGES PROVIDED TO FORM YOUR OWN SENTENCES USING DONGBA SCRIPT. TO LEARN MORE VISIT RMANYC.ORG/NAXI

When Quentin Roosevelt explored China he was careful to record as much information about Naxi culture as possible, including their written languages. One such language was the pictographic, or illustrative, Dongba script. Used mainly by Dongba priests, there is no universal way of writing this pictographic text, which is mainly used as prompt for recitations during religious ceremonies.

Use the images provided to form your own sentences using Dongba script.

ARCHITECTURE







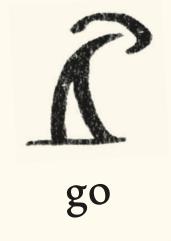
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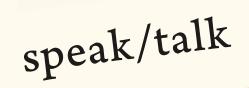
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bite



fast



slow

CLIMATE



GEOGRAPHY



ANIMALS













pig



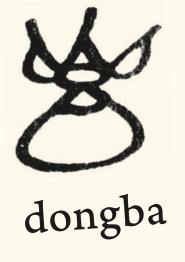
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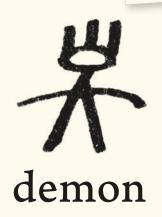




fox

RELIGION







the great god (who created the heaven)



dongba reciting a sutra



the founder of dongba

eyes

BODY



nose



head

neck



beautiful





mouth

