

Preverbs

Preverbs are morphemes - a meaningful unit of language that cannot be further divided.

For example: -ing in English is a morpheme

-ing

reading

walking

eating

Preverbs

Preverbs are attached to verbs, coming **BEFORE** (pre) the verb itself. Preverbs cannot stand on their own.

preverb + verb

Preverbs

miyo- well, beautifully

pê- come and (do action)

nitawi- go and (do action)

preverb + verb

miyo-

pê-

nitawi-

Preverbs

preverb + verb

miyo-kistâpihtêho

pê-sîkaho

nitawi-mêtawê

Preverbs

preverb + verb

mahti

miyo-kistâpihtêho

pê-sîkaho

nitawi-mêtawê

Preverbs

preverb + verb

êkâwiya

miyo-kistâpihtêho

pê-sîkaho

nitawi-mêtawê

Preverbs

useful hyphenation

miyokistâpihtêho versus miyo-kistâpihtêho

nitawi-miyo-kistâpihtêho

nitawimiyokistâpihtêho



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nitawi-miyo-kistâpihtêho

