

Karuk Orthography Key

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modern Karuk	Bright	Harrington typed	Harrington notes	IPA
CONSONANTS				
p	p pp	p pp	p pp	p pp
t	t tt	t tt	t tt	t tt
ch	č čč	tc ttc?	tc ttc?	tʃ tʃtʃ
k	k kk	k kk	k kk	k kk
'	ʔ	' ʔ ʔ	' ʔ	ʔ
f	f ff	f ff	f ff	f ff
th	θ θθ	θ θ θθ	θ θθ	θ θθ
s	s ss	s ss	s ss	s sʃ
sh	š šš	c cc	c cc	ʃ ʃʃ
x	x xx	x xx	q	x xx
h	h	h '(end of word)	h '(end of word)	h
v	v	v	v	β
r	r	r	r	r
y	y	y	y	j
m	m mm	m mm	m mm	m mm
n	n nn	n nn	n nn	n nn
CONSONANT SEQUENCES & SECONDARY ARTICULATIONS				
s-h	sh	sh	sh	sh
t-h	th	th	th	th
chh	čh	tc	tc	tʃh
ts	ts	ts t.s	ts t.s	ts
tch	čč	ttc?	t.c?	tʃtʃ
not written	not written	C ^y	C ^y	j (palatalization)
not written	not written	C ^w	C ^w	w (labialization)
not written	not written	' C	' C	ʔ (glottalization?)
BASIC VOWELS				
i ii	i i' i:	i i'	i i' ī	i i'
ee	e'	e'	e' ē	e'
a aa	a a' a:	a a'	a a' ā	a a'
oo	o'	o'	o' ō	o'
u uu	u u' u:	u u'	u u' ū	u u'
RARE VOWELS				
ii	i̇'	i̇'	i̇'	ĩ'
ã ãã	ã ã'	ã ã'	ã ã'	ã ã' ã:
		o		
e ee	ε ε'	æ æ'		ε ε'