

***Tsel iyóthet kw'éls lam
te xwelált skwúl.***



I started going to
night school.

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***Welh ísá:le máqa kw'éls
yi hálém te xwelált
skwúl.***



I've been attending
night school for two
years.

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***Ílhtsel kwút te
totílt-stames lhí:s
xwelált.***



I've been taking
courses at night.

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***Xwemxwémthet te
swáyel kw'ás yekw'es.***



Time goes fast when
you're busy.

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***Lí ste'á tethá kw'és
híths?***



Has it really been that
long?

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***Xét'e álhtel kw'eses
xwémxwemthet te
swáyel lhíxw éystexw ta'
syó:ys.***



They say the day
goes quickly when
you enjoy your work.

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***Lí ste'á tethá kw'és híths
kw'ás se māmilyí?***



Has it been that long
that you've been
married?

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***Tsel lhq'élexw te íxw
qwóqweles.***



I know what you
mean.

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***Xwémxwém te swáyel
lhíxw xwoyíwel, wel
the'ít étl'?***



Time seems to fly
when you're happy,
it's really true eh?

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***Tsel hálém skwúkwel
lúlh isá:le silólém.***



I've been going to
school for two years.

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Qéx tel skwúkwel syó:ys.



I have a lot of school
work.

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***Selchím kw'és híths
kw'ás se yóyes?***



How long have you
been working?

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***Selchím kw'és híths
kw'ás se hálém
skwúkwel?***



How long have you
been going to school?

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***Híth teló qá:ys kw'els
hálém te tl'í:thet skwúl.***



I've been going to
college a long time
now.

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Áletse te xéltel?



Where is the pencil?

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***Lúlh ísá:le máqa kw'éls í
iyóthet te skwúl.***



It's two years since I
started school.

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***Isá:le máqa kw'éls totí:lt
tloqá:ys.***



I've been studying for
two years now.

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***Áletse te xéltel? Lichexw
la kwú:t?***



Where is the pencil?
Did you take it?

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***Éwe. Kwútes tl' Chól.
Sts'ets'a li te
shxwelathílé.***



No. John took it. It's
on the shelf.

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***Kwútes tl' Chól ta' xéltel.
Ch'áxes la te
shxwelathílés.***



John took your pencil.
He put it on his shelf.

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Lí ew ste'á kw'es híths?



Has it been that long?
/ Has it really been
that long?

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Á':a, lí ste'á.



Yes, it has.

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***Xwém kw'ses le yilá:w te
isá:le síylólém.***



The two years went
by fast.

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***Yáq'! El stl'í tel xéltel
tloqá:ys.***



Darn! I need my
pencil now.

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***Yáq'! Iyolem kw'es mes
q'élstexwes.***



Darn! He should
return it.

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***Xét'e yutl'ó:lem
xwemxwém te swáyel
líxw éystexw ta' syó:ys.***



They say the days go
quickly when you like
your work.

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***Xwém te swáyel kw'as
yékw'es, the'ít étl'?***



The days go fast
when you're busy,
don't they .

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