

Lao Lesson 25

long: ໂX = "O" _____

practice writing here: _____

short: ໂXະ = "O" _____

practice writing here: _____

short sandwich: X̣X̣ = "O" _____

practice writing here: _____

<p>comfort / console</p> <p>ປອບໂຍນ</p> <p>"pohb-ñOn"</p>	<p>beneficial</p> <p>ເປັນປະໂຫຍດ</p> <p>"pen-pa-ñOd"</p>
<p>table</p> <p>ໂຕະ</p> <p>"tO"</p>	<p>chapter / writing</p> <p>ບົດ</p> <p>"bOd"</p>
<p>refugee</p> <p>ຄົນອົບພະຍົບ</p> <p>"khOn-Op-pha-ñOp"</p>	<p>practical value</p> <p>ມີຜົນໃຊ້ໄດ້</p> <p>"mee-phOn-sai-dai"</p>
<p>all</p> <p>ທັງໝົດ</p> <p>"thang-mOd"</p>	<p>have a nice day, there's no 8th word!</p> <p>(this time....)</p>

Grammar Notes: The silent H

Notice the words for "beneficial" and "all" use the silent "H", and combines with the following consonant to form 'one' consonant. You can tell they're silent if you account for every vowel used.

For "beneficial," if the ຫ wasn't silent, the ຢ letter would have no vowel attached.

The silent "H" ຫ combo is limited to these letters: ງ ຢ ນ ມ ລ ວ