

LangTime Chat Episode 66

Suh Ankripton: The Language of Krypton

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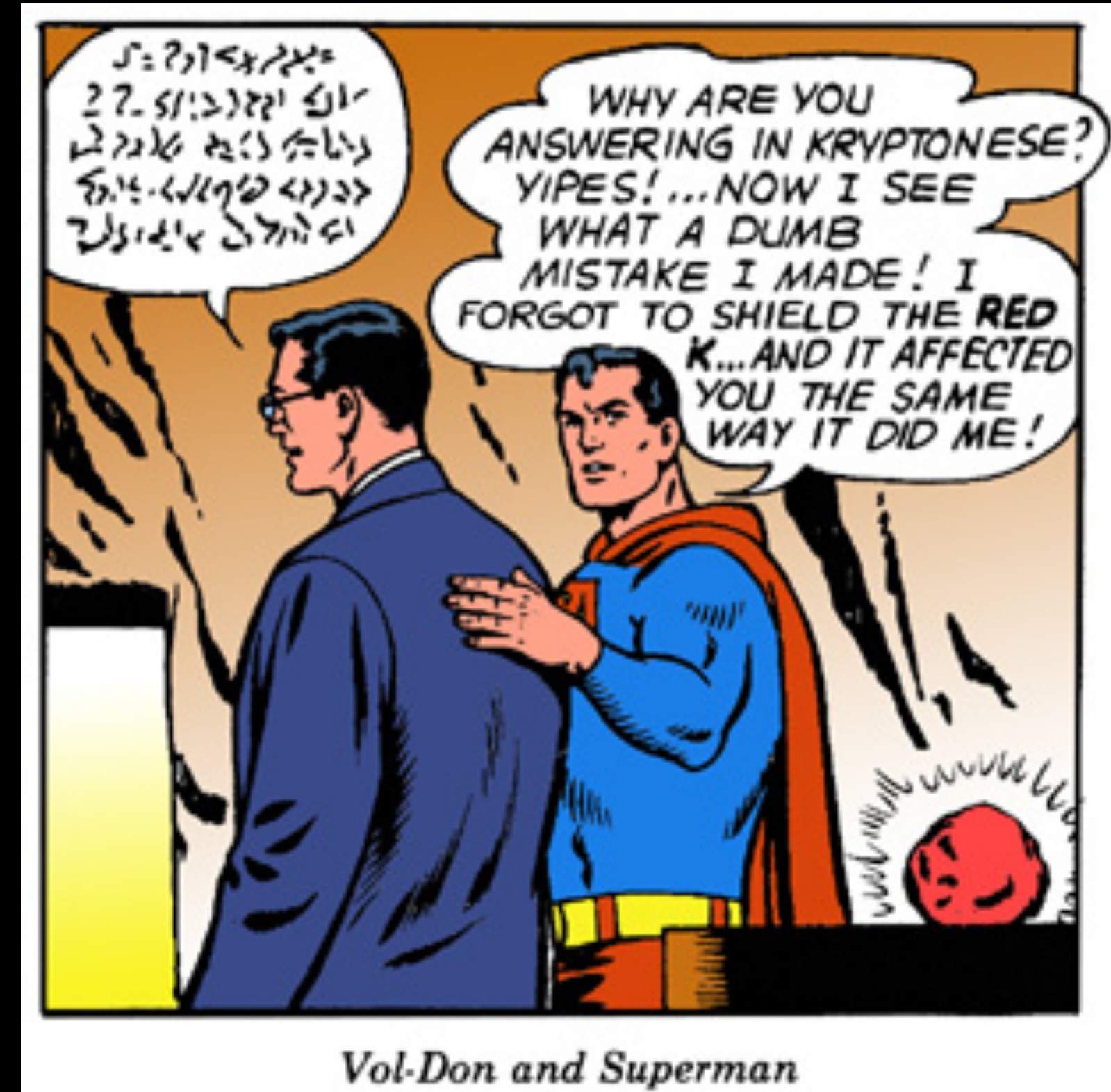
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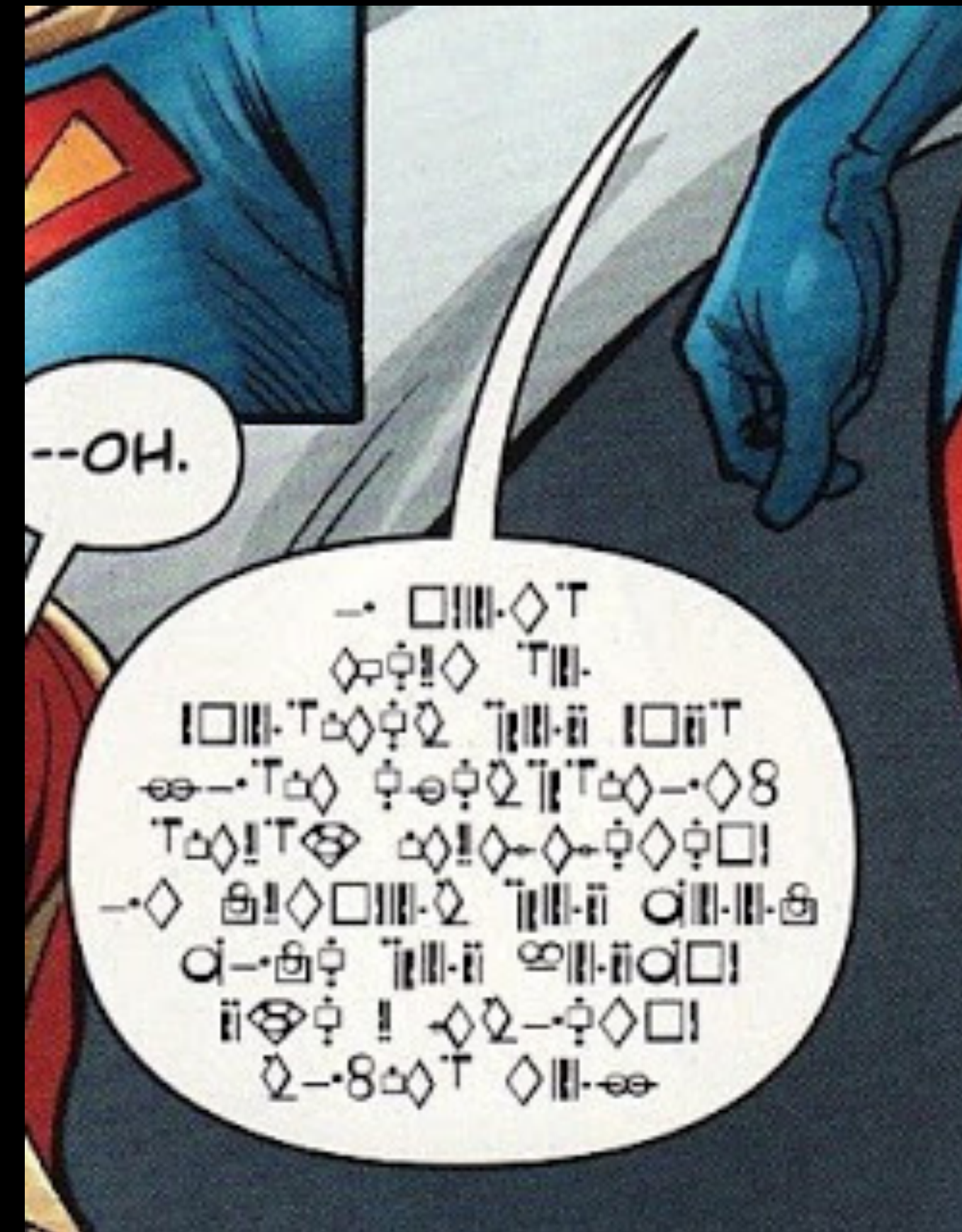
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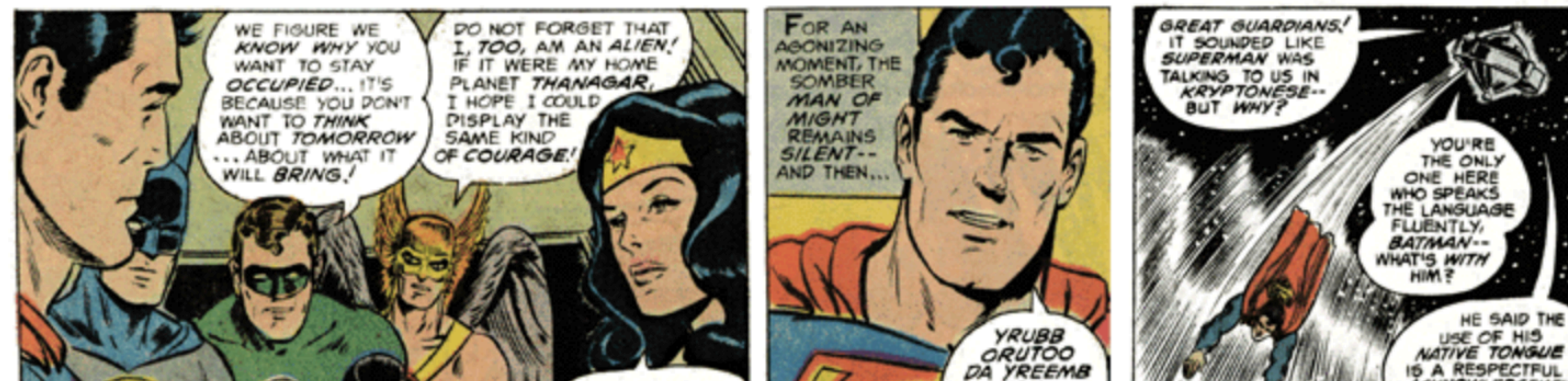
Inspirations



CRIME, MOLIO MO*-- ONE OF THE FEW MAJOR ILLS OF SOCIETY WHICH THE SCIENCE OF THIS WORLD HAS NOT BEEN ABLE TO CURE! NOR CAN WE HOPE FOR IMMEDIATE SOLUTIONS--

*PLURAL OF MOLIO MO: MEMBER OF THE SCIENCE COUNCIL.-- ENB

--FOR AS LONG AS MEN ARE MEN, THERE WILL BE THOSE WHO ACT *AGAINST* THEIR BROTHERS! BUT WE SHOULD SEEK TO *REHABILITATE* THESE RENEGADES... YET THE PRISONS ARE OVERCROWDED-- AND WE ABOLISHED THE DEATH PENALTY LONG AGO!



Dumped Stuff

fanff: Kryptonian week

tanth: sir

tynth: madame

oliphent: space elephant

Kryptonopolis: Superman's city of birth

Dumped Stuff



Phonological Inspirations

grahu: Kryptonian plastic

droth: a kind of seabird

Krypton

Shyla

bethgar: ruler

Lorax: Kryptonian month

Rao: Kryptonian sun god

Vas-Quor

wolu

Sound Sample

**Man doralan kashtora dhal. Beshel aran azh
thobu izei. Enkwel halash inu ad foma ileks.
Wortama se valul, gwaya sambaa. Ero to
vana, kwelu ba tal.**

Sound Samples B Through H

Phonology

CONSONANTS	LABIAL	DENTAL	ALVEOLAR	PALATAL	VELAR	GLOTTAL
STOP	p/b		t/d	tʃ/dʒ	k/g, kʷ/gʷ	
FRICATIVE	f/v	θ	s/z	ʃ/ʒ		h, hʷ
APPROX.	w		r, l	j		
NASAL	m		n			

Phonology

VOWELS	FRONT	MID	BACK
HIGH	i		u
MID	e		o
LOW		a	

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Sound Change

*r

*R

*R_o

Sound Change

*nr > *ndr > ndr

*nR > *ŋgR > ŋgr

*n_oR > *ŋk_oR > ŋkr

Sound Change

*sr > *zdr > zdr

*SR > *zgr > zgr

*sR_o > *skR_o > skr

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*θ

*ð

Sound Change

*nθ > nt

*n^xǫ > nd

Sound Change

*θ > θ

*ð > z

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*ts > s / #_

*dz > z / #_

*ts > ks / V_

*dz > gz / V_

Sound Change

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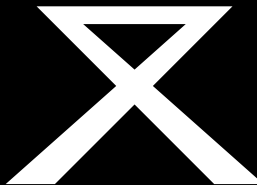
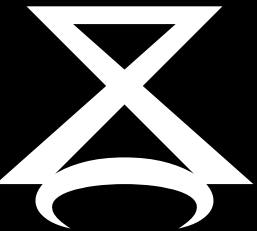
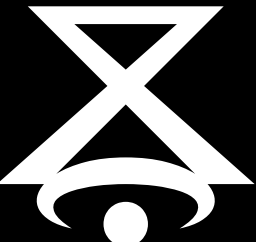
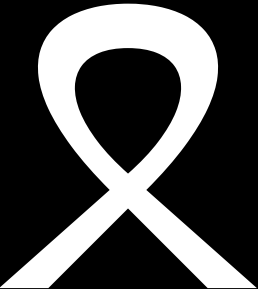
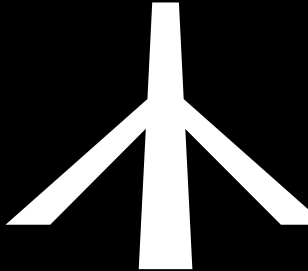
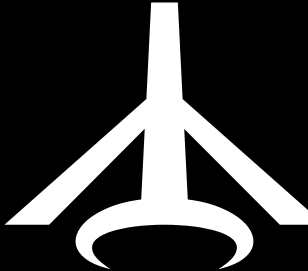
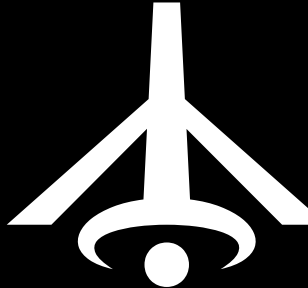
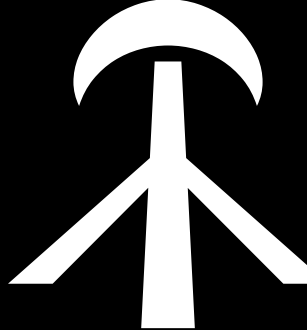
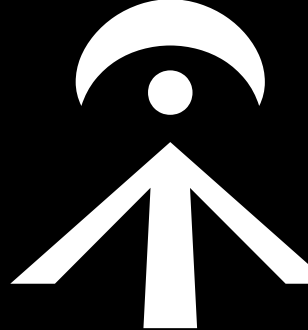
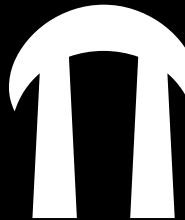
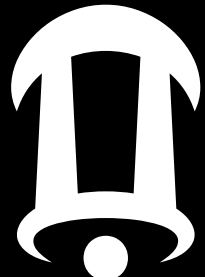
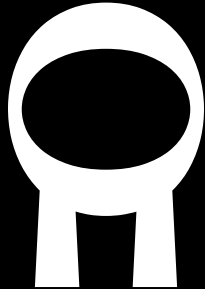
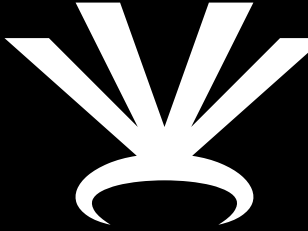
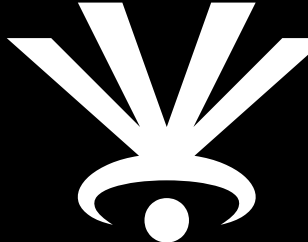
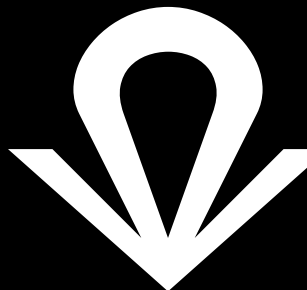
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Orthography

0xXhP!XfH

Orthography

	_(A)	_E	_I	_O	_U
P					
T					
K					
L					

Orthography

NUU

<D-RA-W>

raw “sun”

GUU

<G-RA-HU>

rahu “plastic”

KRIPTON

<K-RI-P-TO-N>

Ripton
“Krypton”

Orthography



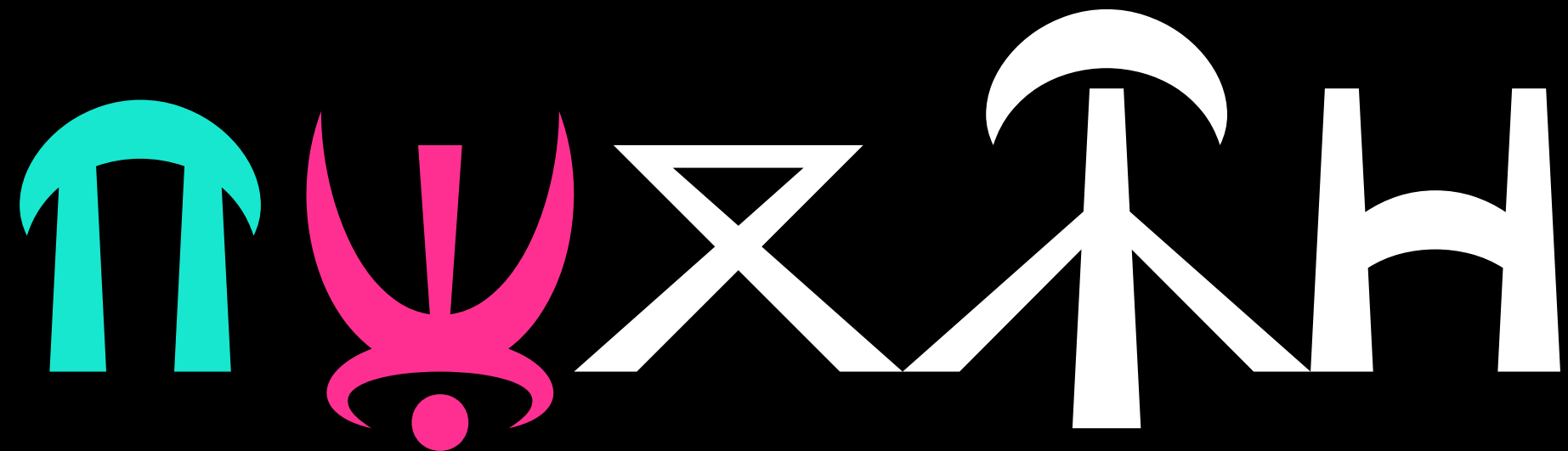
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Morphology

kal "child"	SINGULAR	PLURAL
NOMINATIVE	kal	kalo
ACCUSATIVE	ikal	ikalaz
LOCATIVE	uskal	uskalyat
ABLATIVE	ankal	ankalaz

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R-COMPS

***r**

***R**

***R̥**

NOMINATIVE

raw

rahu

roks

ACCUSATIVE

iraw

irahu

iroks

LOCATIVE

uzdraw

uzgrahu

uskroks

ABLATIVE

andraw

angrahu

ankroks

Verbs David Doesn't Want to Discuss

Nonfinite		Positive	Negative
Infinitive		<i>vana</i> <i>a</i>	<i>van</i> <i>um</i>
Imperative		<i>van</i>	<i>van</i> <i>aks</i>
Participle	IMPERFECT	<i>i</i> <i>vana</i> <i>a</i>	<i>i</i> <i>van</i> <i>um</i>
	PERFECT	<i>amb</i> <i>ana</i> <i>a</i>	<i>amb</i> <i>an</i> <i>um</i>
	PAST HABITUAL	<i>zemb</i> <i>ana</i> <i>a</i>	<i>zemb</i> <i>an</i> <i>um</i>
	PASSIVE	<i>ko</i> <i>vana</i> <i>a</i>	<i>ko</i> <i>van</i> <i>um</i>

Verbs David Doesn't Want to Discuss

Imperfect	Positive		Negative	
	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
First	<i>vanirel</i>	<i>vanorel</i>	<i>vaniryum</i>	<i>vanoryum</i>
Second	<i>vanerel</i>	<i>vanworel</i>	<i>vaneryum</i>	<i>vanworyum</i>
Third	<i>vanegrel</i>		<i>vanegryum</i>	
Passive	<i>vanogrel</i>		<i>vanogryum</i>	

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Perfect	Positive		Negative	
	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
First	<i>vanigath</i>	<i>vanogath</i>	<i>vanigahum</i>	<i>vanogahum</i>
Second	<i>vanegath</i>	<i>vanwogath</i>	<i>vanegahum</i>	<i>vanwogahum</i>
Third	<i>vanegath</i>		<i>vanegahum</i>	
Passive	<i>vanokath</i>		<i>vanokahum</i>	

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Future	Positive		Negative	
	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
First	<i>vanyazh</i>	<i>vanoyazh</i>	<i>vanyashaks</i>	<i>vanoyashaks</i>
Second	<i>vanyazh</i>	<i>vanwoyazh</i>	<i>vanyashaks</i>	<i>vanwoyashaks</i>
Third	<i>vanenyazh</i>		<i>vanenyashaks</i>	
Passive	<i>vanochazh</i>		<i>vanochaks</i>	

Final Thoughts