

THINGS I DID TODAY

Lesson Fifty-Six

Objectives: In this lesson you will get further practice in describing a sequence of activities, particularly activities that span the times of a day. You'll find some new vocabulary for activities as well.

Activities: Fill in the blanks in the recitation to form a reasonable description of a day's activities. Feel free to replace the suggested fill-ins with some of your own.

**Translation
of Recitation:**

Things I did today

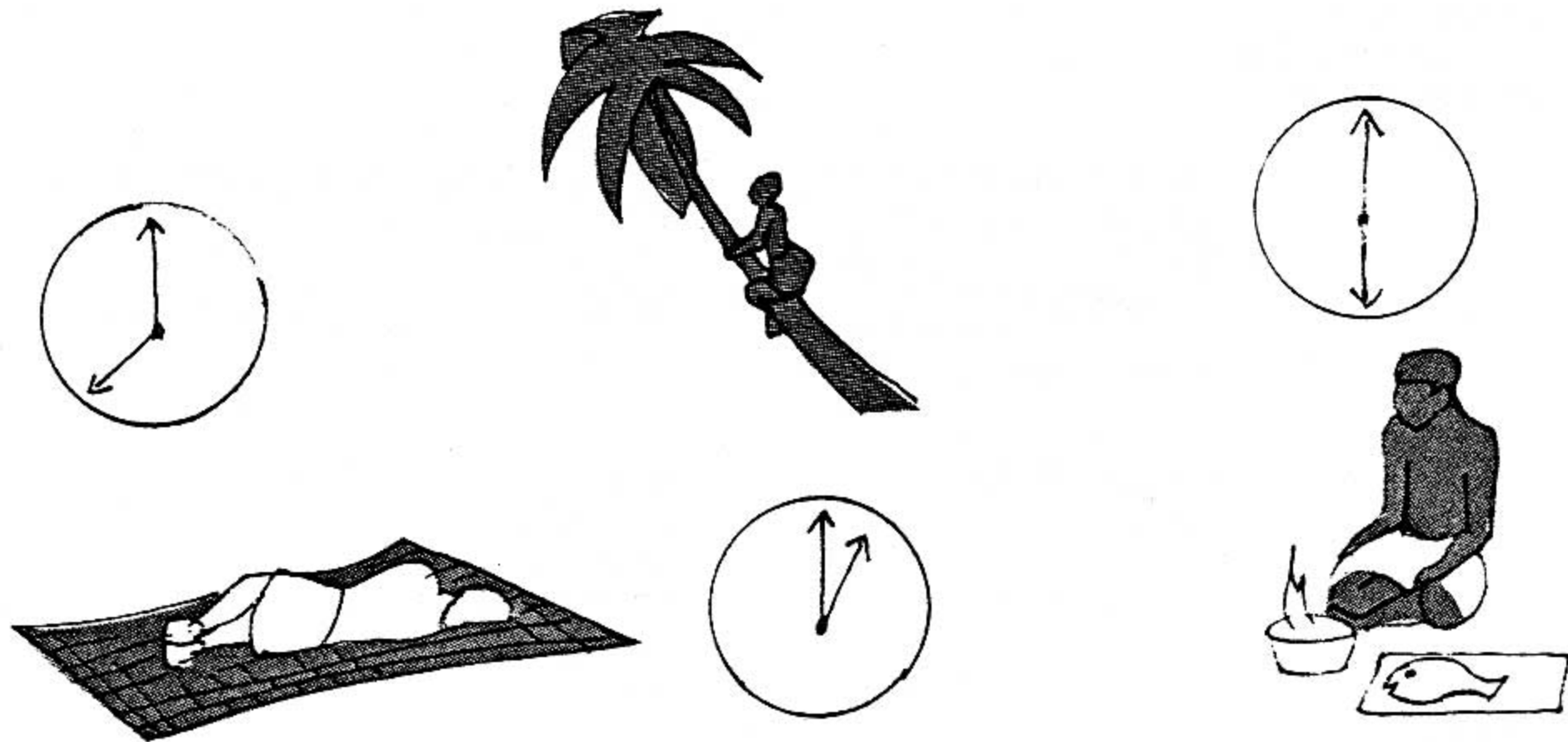
I _____ at _____ this morning.
Afterwards, I _____, _____, and _____.
And after that I went to _____.
I stayed in _____ until _____.
When it was _____, I went to _____.
After that I _____ until _____.
And then I went to _____.

woke up
ate
Betio
played football
eight o'clock
had lunch
the office

four o'clock
bathed
got dressed
noon
slept
went shopping
worked

B'AAI AIKA I KARAOI N TE BONG AEI

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Recitation:

B'aaai aika i karaoi n te bong aei

I _____ n _____ ngke e ingaabong.
Imwiina, I _____, _____, ao _____.
Ao imwiina I nako _____.
I tiku i _____ ni karokoa ae e _____.
Ngke _____, I nako n _____.
Imwiina I _____ ni karokoa _____.
Imwiina I a m'ananga ni _____.

uti
am'arake
Betio
butibooro
te aoa waniua
kawatanou
te aobiti

te aoa aua
tebotebo
karin au kunnikai
tawanau
matuu
boob'ai
mm'akuri

Additional
Activities:

Use the continuation of the recitation in the same manner as you used the first part, filling in the blanks from the vocabulary below, or using your own appropriate words.

Translation
of Continuation
of Recitation:

When I returned to _____, my brothers were there before me, so we _____ until _____.
We _____ at about _____.
I went to _____ after finishing _____, and later I _____.

resume work
home
play
half past ten

rest
converse
undress
ten o'clock

Outside
Activities:

Write up a description of the activities in someone's "typical" Kiribati day. Do it for both a man and a woman. What are the biggest differences? What strikes you most about the differences between such a day and on in your own life?

Continuation
of Fill-in
Narrative:

Ngke I okira _____, a mena im'aaiu tariu ma ngaia are ti
_____ naba ni karokoa ae e boo _____.

Tao _____ ao ti _____.

I a nako n _____ ngke ti a tia n _____, ao imwiina I
_____.

okira au mm'akuri
mweengau
takaakaro
iteran tebwina

motirawa
buuta au kunnikai
marooroo
tebwina