

## Introductions to Negatives:

Now that we learnt our VAI's last week we can ask questions such as:

*Is Mary Going Home?  
(Giiwe na Mary?)*

You can reply with either Yes (Eya) or No (Gaawiin)

*Yes, Mary is going Home  
Eya, giiwe Mary*

### Example 1:

Nagamo na Jane? (*Is Jane singing?*)

- a. If yes: Eya, Nagamo Jane (*yes, Jane is singing*)
- b. IF NO: Gaawiin nagamosii Jane (*No, Jane*  
i. (GAAWIIN + VERB + SII)

Negative answers always follow this pattern: Gaawiin nagamo+sii Jane.

Answer the following questions in negative form only:

1. Aakozi na Richard?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Boodawe na Aaron?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Jiibaakwe na?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Anokii na Tony?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

5. Nibaa na Zhiishiib?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

6. Odamino na Kim?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

7. Niimi na John?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Wiisini na bine?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

9. Giiwe na Nancy?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

10. Debisinii na Scott?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

11. Nishkaadizi na Don?

a. \_\_\_\_\_

12. Nagamo na Sally?

a. \_\_\_\_\_