

Welcome

Cebuano Language Class
Absolute Beginner
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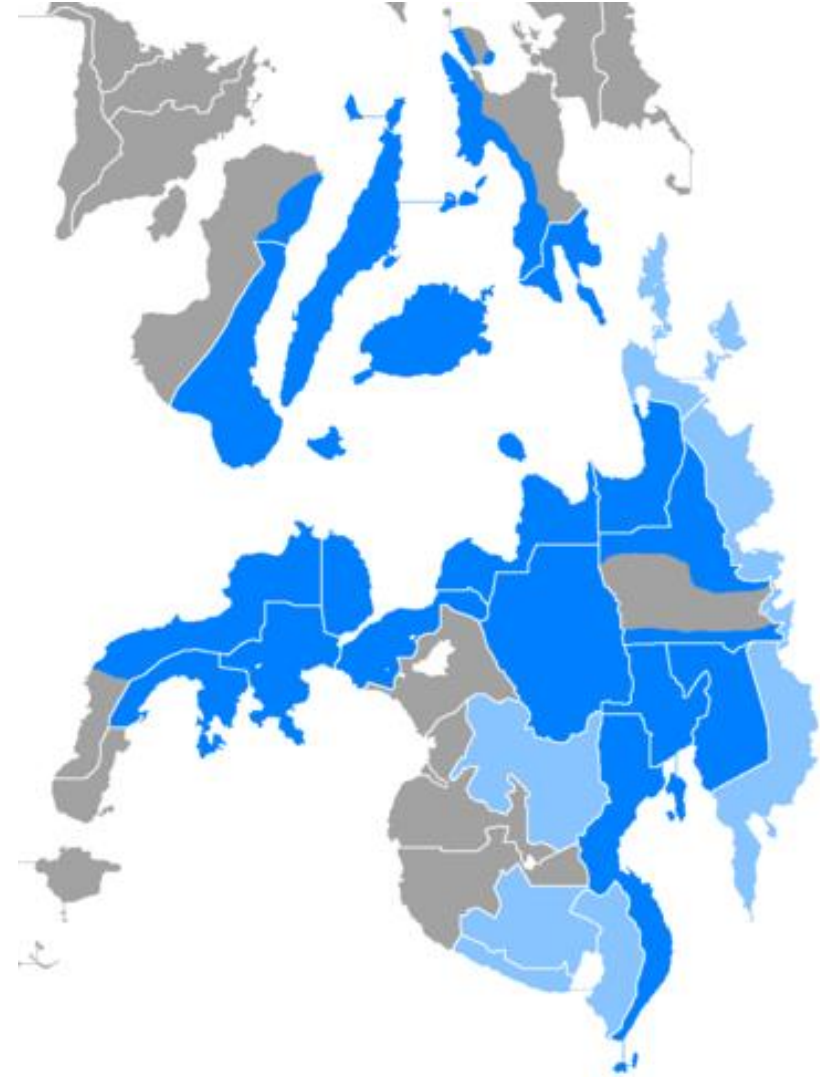
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Introduction

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- Cebuano native speakers: 25.5 million
- By far the most widely spoken of the Bisayan languages.



Reference:

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cebuano_language

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Bisaya vs. Binisaya vs. Cebuano

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Bisaya vs. Binisaya vs. Cebuano



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Native terms

Cebu = Sugbo

Cebuano people = Sugboanon

Cebuano language = Sinugboanon

Bisdak = Bisayang dako

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Setting of expectations

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Rewards



Top 1: Learning kit (packed with educational materials)

Top 2: Book & Flashcards

Top 3: Flashcards

Top 4: Flashcards

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Good Morning
Ma.a.yong bun.tag

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Maayo = Good

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Buntag = Morning

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Good Noon
Ma.a.yong ud.to

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Udto = Noon

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Good afternoon
Ma.a.yong ha.pon

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Hapon = Afternoon

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Good evening
Ma.a.yong ga.bi.i

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Gabii = Evening

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Good evening
Ma.a.yong ga.bi.i

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Good day
Ma.a.yong ad.law

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Adlaw = Day

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How are you?

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Common answer:

Mao ra **gihapon** = Just the same



Gihapon = the same; still; similarly

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Common answer:

1. Mao ra gihapon
2. Ok ra
3. Maayo ra

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Good morning

Good noon

Good afternoon

Good evening

Good day

How are you?

Maayong buntag

Maayong udto

Maayong hapon

Maayong gabii

Maayong adlaw

Kumusta ka?

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Contracted form

Good morning

Good noon

Good afternoon

Good evening

Good day

How are you?

Maay'ng buntag

Maay'ng udto

Maay'ng hapon

Maay'ng gabii

Maay'ng adlaw

Kumusta?

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QUIZLET TIME



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Pag-ilaila sa imong kaugalingon

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Vocabulary:

Name =

Pangalan/Pangan / Ngalan/ Ngan

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Vocabulary:

Age = Edad

Use “Anyos” when telling your age
Years = Anyos

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Example:

35 years old

Trayntay singko anyos

27 years old

Baynte syete anyos

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Vocabulary:

I = Ako

Subject marker = Si

You = Ikaw

Taga = From (origin)

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Vocabulary:

Status

Single = Ulitawo (male) / Dalaga (female)

Married = Minyo

Friend = Higala

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Vocabulary:

Residing = Nagpuyo

Now / Today = Karon

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Let's practice: Introducing yourself

Maayong hapon mga higala!

Ako si (state your name), (age) anyos, (status),

Taga (place of origin) pero nagpuyo ko karon sa (place).

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Daghang Salamat

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EXTRA NOTES

Gamay = Maliit / Kunti

I know a little Bisaya

Kahibalo ko og Bisaya gamay

Kabalo ko og Bisaya gamay

Kabalo **ko'g** Bisaya gamay

Hindi ako marunong

Dili ko kahibalo/kabalo/ kaBAW magbisaya

Kabaw ko magbisaya. KAH-bahw = water buffalo

Puhon = God willing

Inday other variations “day”(short form), “dzae”
Inday is considered a sweet name for Cebuanos.
A lot use “Inday” as nickname.
“Dzae” is common with Gen Zs



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Basic Q and A

Personal Information