



FAQ – Nintendo DSi with YOUR language

Is there a minimum order of Nintendo DSi’s that I have to buy?

Yes. Currently we have a minimum order of 20 DSi consoles + onsite training. The price of the consoles comes to \$450 per unit. Onsite training is \$3,000 for two days and \$5,000 for four days (2 trainers, travel expenses included). If you order 75 or more units, our onsite training is free. Pricing available for bulk orders.

I see you have a Nintendo DSi app in the Cherokee language. Can you create an app in my tribe’s language?

Yes, using our Language Pal software we can create an app for any indigenous language. You can also add phrases to your module after we leave. If interested, please show the YouTube video to your tribal council or language program and ask them to call us.

How much does it cost to get DSi’s programmed in our language?

There is a minimum order of 20 units + onsite training. Final price depends on what you want on the app (words, phrases, songs, videos, flash cards?) We can travel to your location, record your elders for you and do all programming work. This includes personalized photos to use on your Nintendo DSi, record existing archived materials for import into DSi OR show you how to record with your elders and you can email the files to us later OR you can do ALL programming yourself. Please contact us through our [contact page](#) for pricing info. We have reasonable & flexible prices to fit your situation.

How many speakers / languages / dialects can you put on an App?

We can put as many speakers, languages or dialects as you like. We suggest recording all of your various dialects. There are many different ways of saying things and we shouldn’t throw away information. Record as many speakers as you can.

Compare Nintendo DSi and iPod touch

Nintendo DSi has a replaceable battery, iPod does not.
iPod Apps can be distributed through the iTunes Store, DSi cannot.
You can add language content yourself on the DSi, you cannot with iPod.
We can program Nintendo DSi’s on the spot. Our iPod Apps take six to eight weeks.

How much is the Language Pal software alone?

The Language Pal software is given away FREE to clients. Thornton Media created the software, did research and development with our own money. We do not apply for grant funding, so we don’t compete with our clients for grant money.

Why is there a minimum order? Can’t I buy just one or two units?

Once we recoup our investment from software research and development, we will provide this option. We hope this will happen sometime in 2010.