



# Tools & Weapons

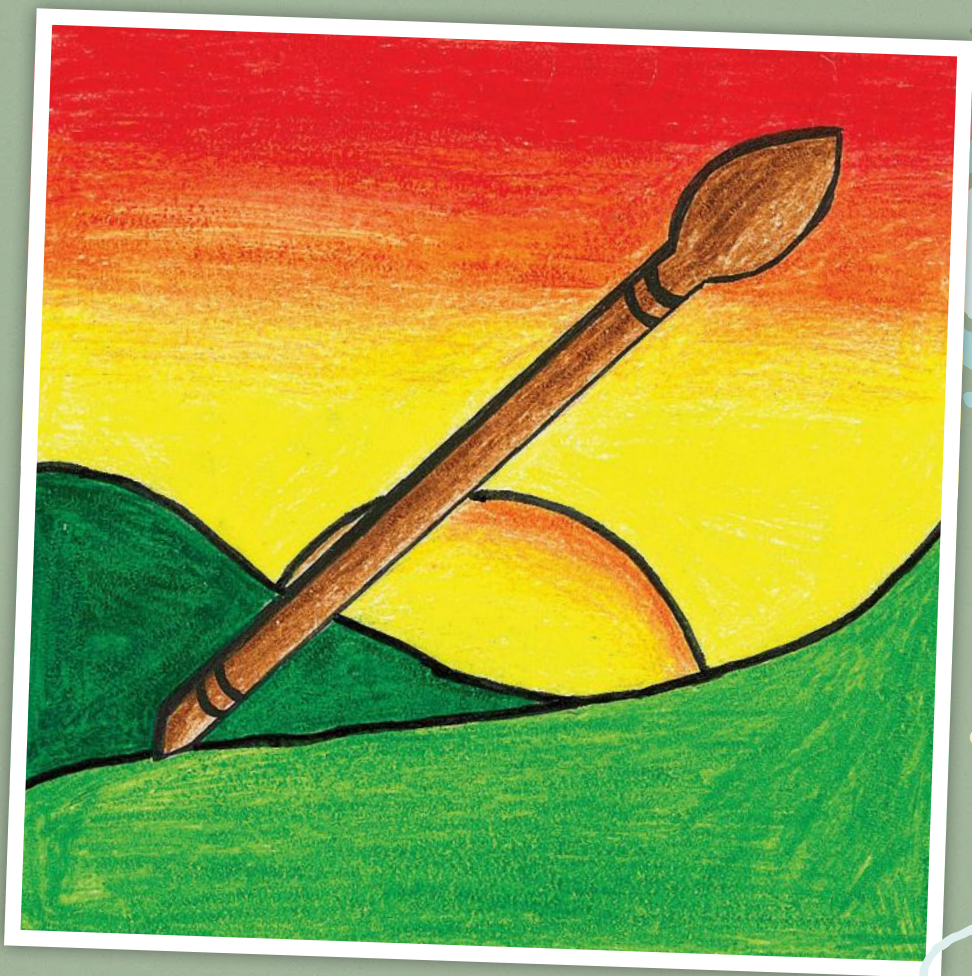
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Fishing Net – **Narrami**  
**Narrami** are made of twine  
from bushes and trees.  
**Husnain**







### Digging Stick – **Gama Muring**

The **gama muring** is used to dig up bugs and roots. It can also be used to hit small prey.

**Leanh**





### Bowl – **Coolamon**

The **coolamon** is used for many things, carrying food and babies.

**Bruce**



### Communication – **Bullroara**

The **bullroara** is used like the phone, to let people know you're around.

**Rihanna**

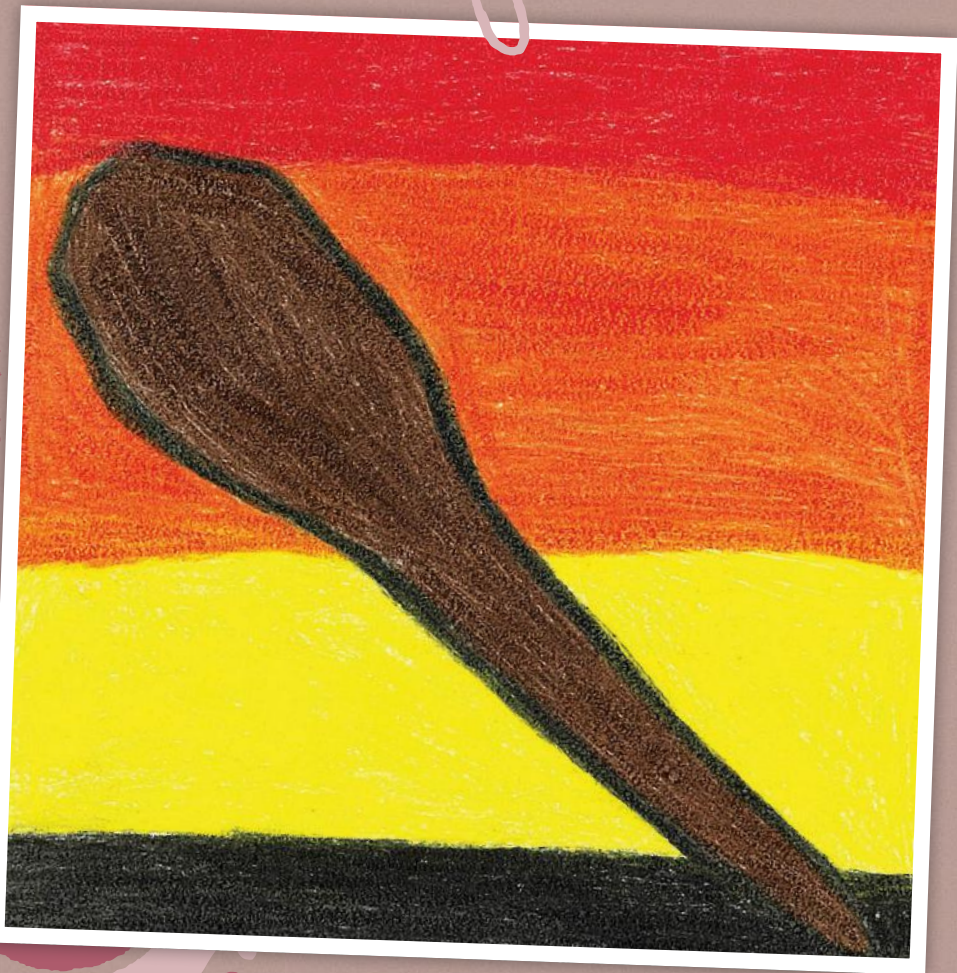


Killing Boomerang – **Djura Bumarang**  
**Djura bumarang** are used to knock the  
legs out from underneath  
large animals.

**Xaviah**







Club – **Darribarra Nula Nula**  
The **nula nula** is a thick heavy weapon  
used to knock out animals.

**Martin**



Fishhooks – **Barra**  
The kid caught a silver fish  
with his new **barra**.  
**Emily**





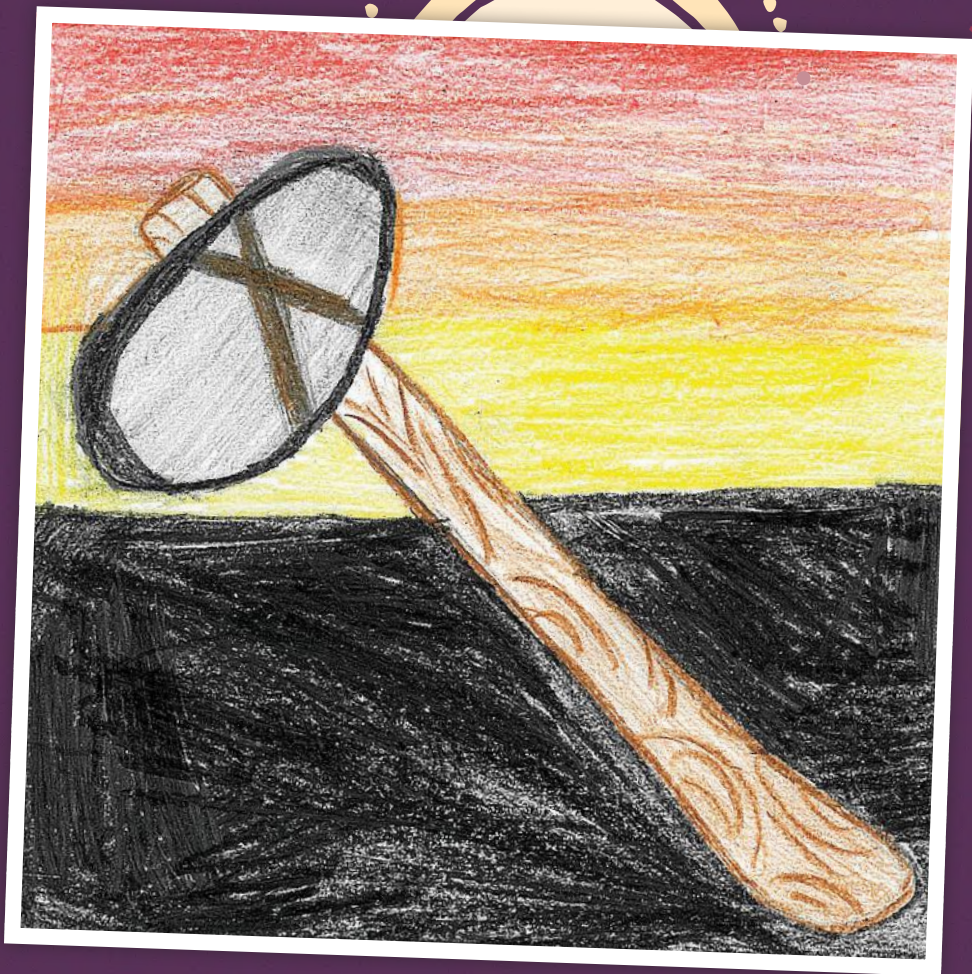
## Shield – **Dawarang**

The old **dawarang** wasn't used anymore so it went where all old weapons go, by the ocean.

**Helen**







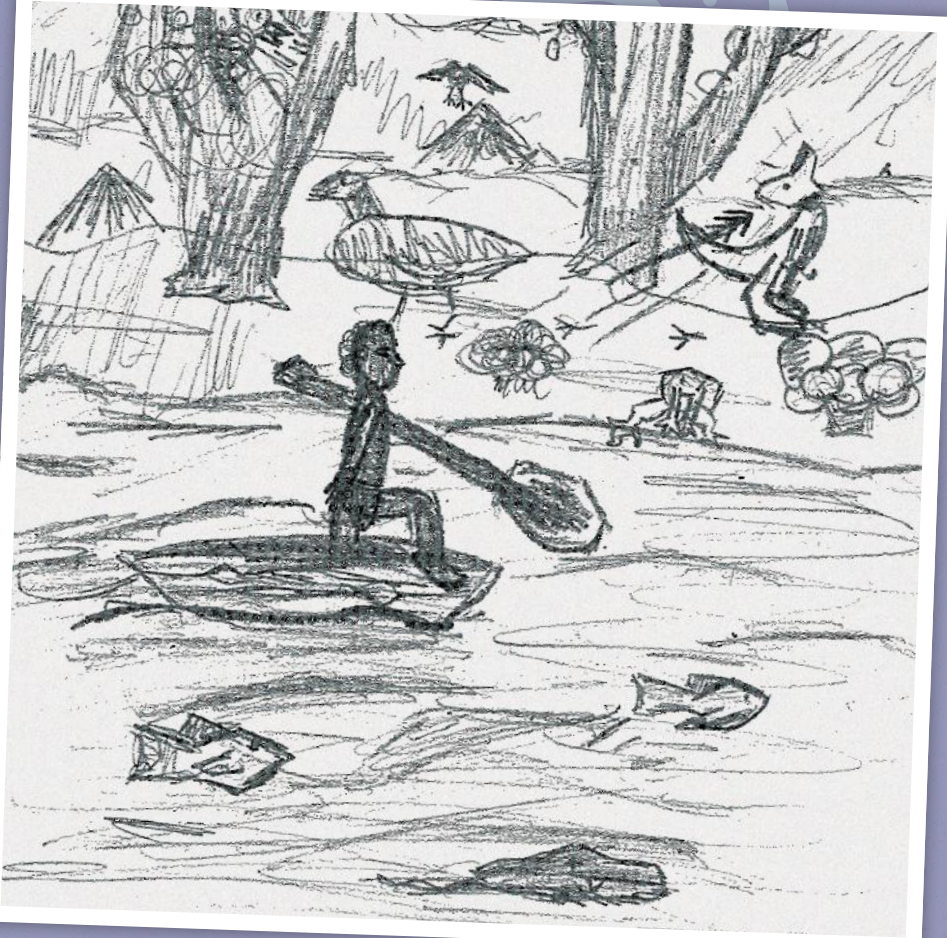
### Stone Axe – **Mugu**

The **mugu** is used to cut trees down to build shelters and make fires to protect oneself from predators.

**Vicky**







Canoe – **Nuwi**

The man travelling in his **nuwi**  
while fishing and hunting.

**Anon**



## Knife – **Munhagut**

The **munhagut** is used as a cutting tool.

It is made from wood, rock and shell.

The shell and rock are held in place by  
twine and sap from trees.

## **Ravza**







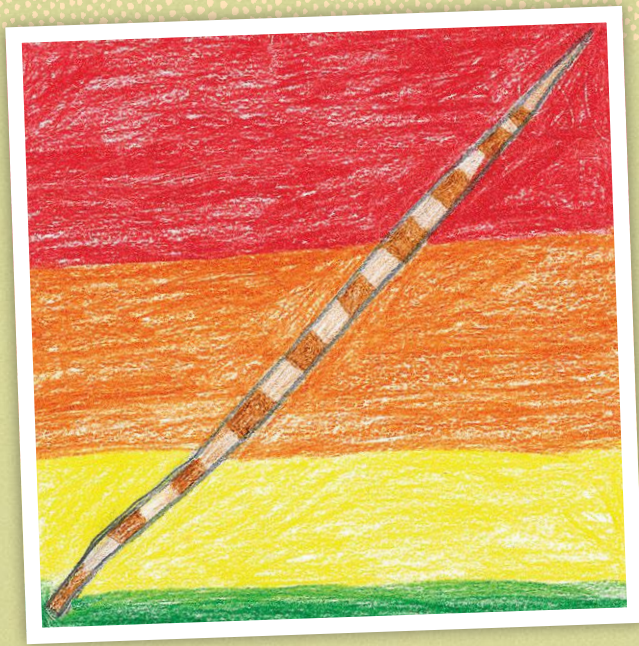
## Boomerang – **Bumarang**

A **bumarang** is a curved piece of wood that comes in all different shapes and sizes. Some are for hunting but my **bumarang** is for playing with my friends.

**Emily**







## Spear

The **spear** is used for hunting kangaroo and emu.

**Jacob**

Spear Thrower  
– **Womira**  
A spear can  
move faster  
and go further  
using a **womira**.  
**Jessica**





Fishing Spear – **Garubini**  
A two pointed **garubini** is used  
for hunting and catching fish.

**PJ**







### Dilly Bag – **Djuguma**

The **Djuguma** is used to gather berries and other things. It is mainly used by women.

**Mohi**





# Glossary

Bowl	–	<b>Coolamon</b>
Boomerang	–	<b>Bumarang</b>
Fishing Spear	–	<b>Garubini</b>
Spear		
Club	–	<b>Darribarra Nula Nula</b>
Fishing Net	–	<b>Narrami</b>
Killing Boomerang	–	<b>Djura Bumarang</b>
Communication	–	<b>Bullroara</b>
Spear Thrower	–	<b>Womira</b>
Shield	–	<b>Dawarang</b>
Digging Stick	–	<b>Gama Muring</b>
Knife	–	<b>Munhagut</b>
Stone Axe	–	<b>Mugu</b>
Dilly Bag	–	<b>Djuguma</b>
Fishhooks	–	<b>Barra</b>
Canoe	–	<b>Nuwi</b>

## Acknowledgement to the Country

Long ago the people of the Darug Nation walked upon this land. They walked the country with their spiritual ancestors. We would like to acknowledge the Cabrogal people of the Darug Nation and pay respect to all elders past, present and emerging.