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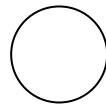
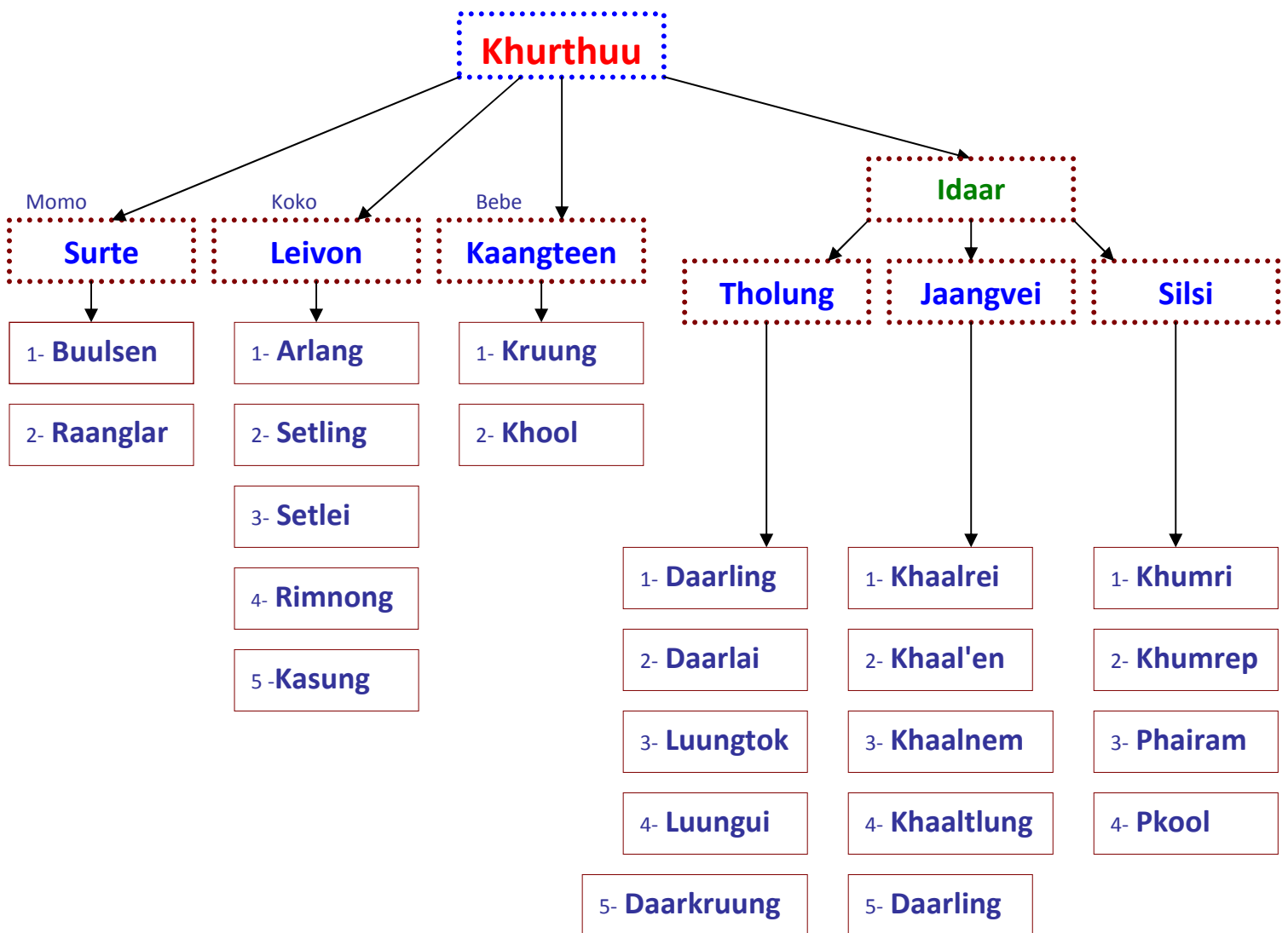
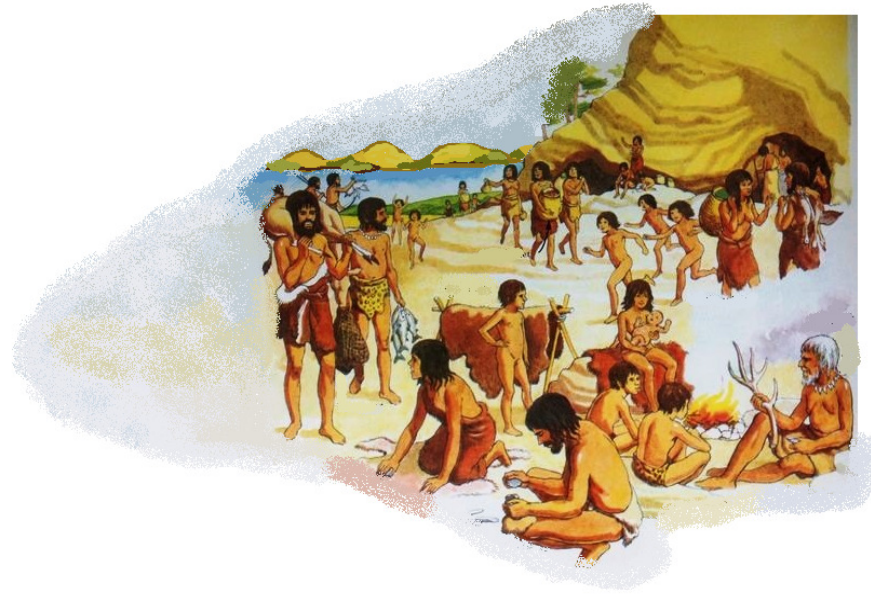




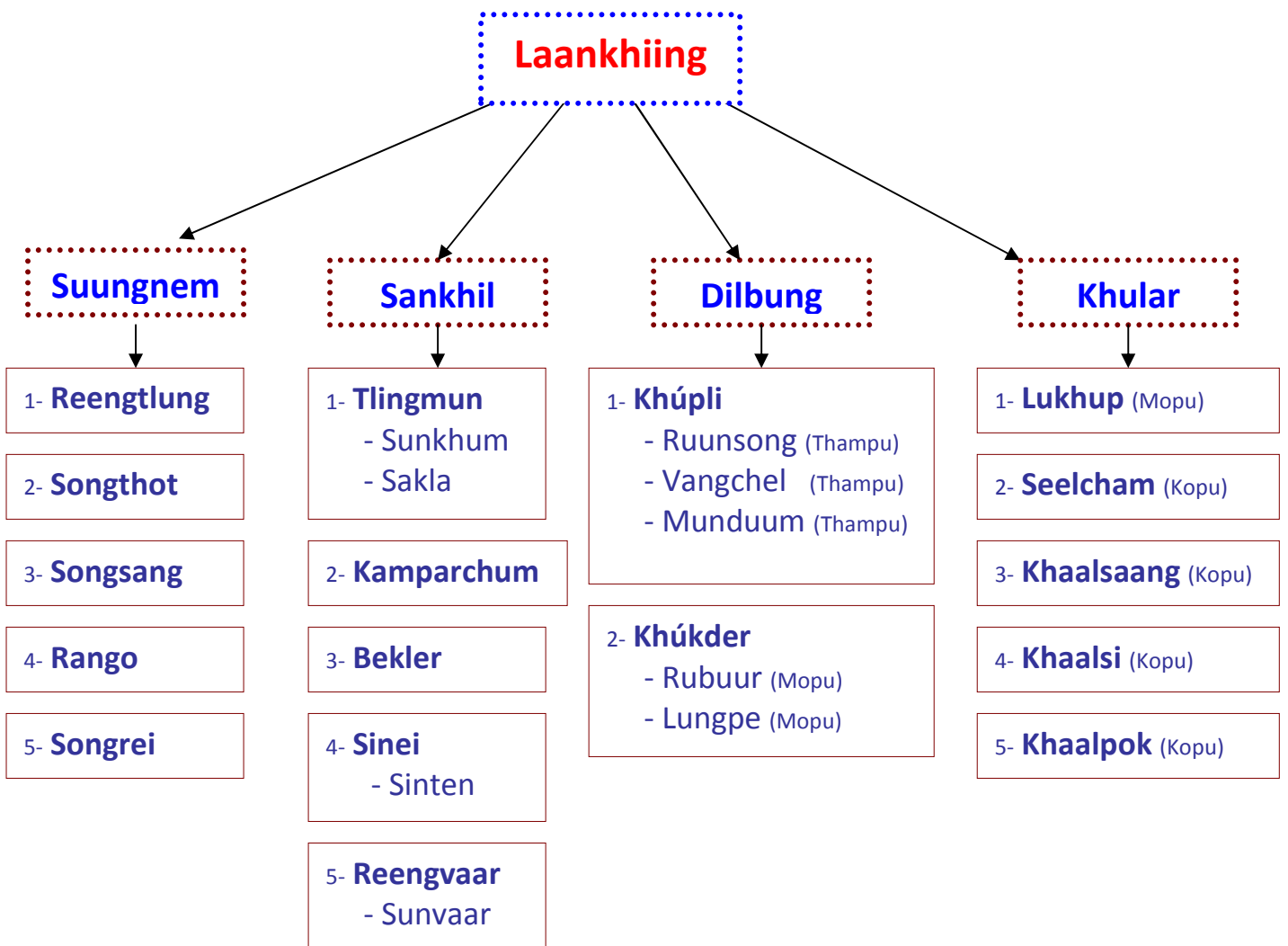
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Now days the Lamkaang clans, the prefixes for men’s names and relationship between clans, are as follows:

	Phung rek (Clans)	Prefixes (the prefix of the boys names taken from the mother's clan)	Examples
1	Surte	Raang-	Raangpu, Raanglun, Raangsel, Raangvaar, Raangam, Raangthol,..
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5	Jaangvei	Khaal-, Daar-	Khaaldei, Khaalsot, Khaalvaar, Daarthot, Daarsel,..
6	Silsi	Khum-, Daar -	Khumsot, Khumsing, Khumvaar Daar -
7	Suungnem	Reeng -	Reengsel, Reengmeng, Reengsot, Reenghon, Reengvaar,..
8	Sankhil	Tling-, Kam-, Reeng-	Tlingthlung, Tlingmeng, Tlinghon,.. Kamsot, Kamting, Kamhong,.. Reengsong
9	Dilbung	Bung-, Song-	Bungting, Bungvaar, Bungthot,.. Songnem, Songvaar, Songsel,..
10	Khular	Seel-	Seelsot, Seelvaar, Seelthot, Seelhon, Seelting, Seelphong,..

3. Children hierarchy in the family.

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Every child in the family has a name that indicates their order of birth in relation to same-sex siblings:

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1 - Te	1 - Tete	1 - Mo	1 - Momo
2 - To	2 - Toto	2 - Ko	2 - Koko
3 - Sang	3 - Sangsang	3 - Be	3 - Bebe
4 - Pei	4 - Peipei	4 - Ang	4 - Ang'ang
5 - Tham	5 - Thamtham	5 - Tham	5 - Thamtham

If a couple has more than five sons or daughters, the process is repeated from the first by adding a suffix 'nok' such as:

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4. Maternal and Paternal relatives.

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Relatives from the mother or the father side:

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My elder brother's wife	My elder sister's husband
1 - Ante	Apu (a'u)
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My mother in law	My father in law
api	apu

Grandparents.

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Grandparents from mother's side:	Grandparents from father's side:
Kpu khúdil Kpi khúdil	Kpu khúdu Kpi khúdu
Grand-grand parents:	
Kpu kder	
Kpi kder	
Ancestors:	
dercha pu	
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	name	khuu	phung
1	Silnei	Arhuung le' Dulphei	Surte jor
2	Donjen	Chbu le' Bungsim	Leivon jor
3	Mitam		Idaar jor
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	name	deserts	phung
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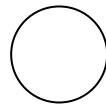
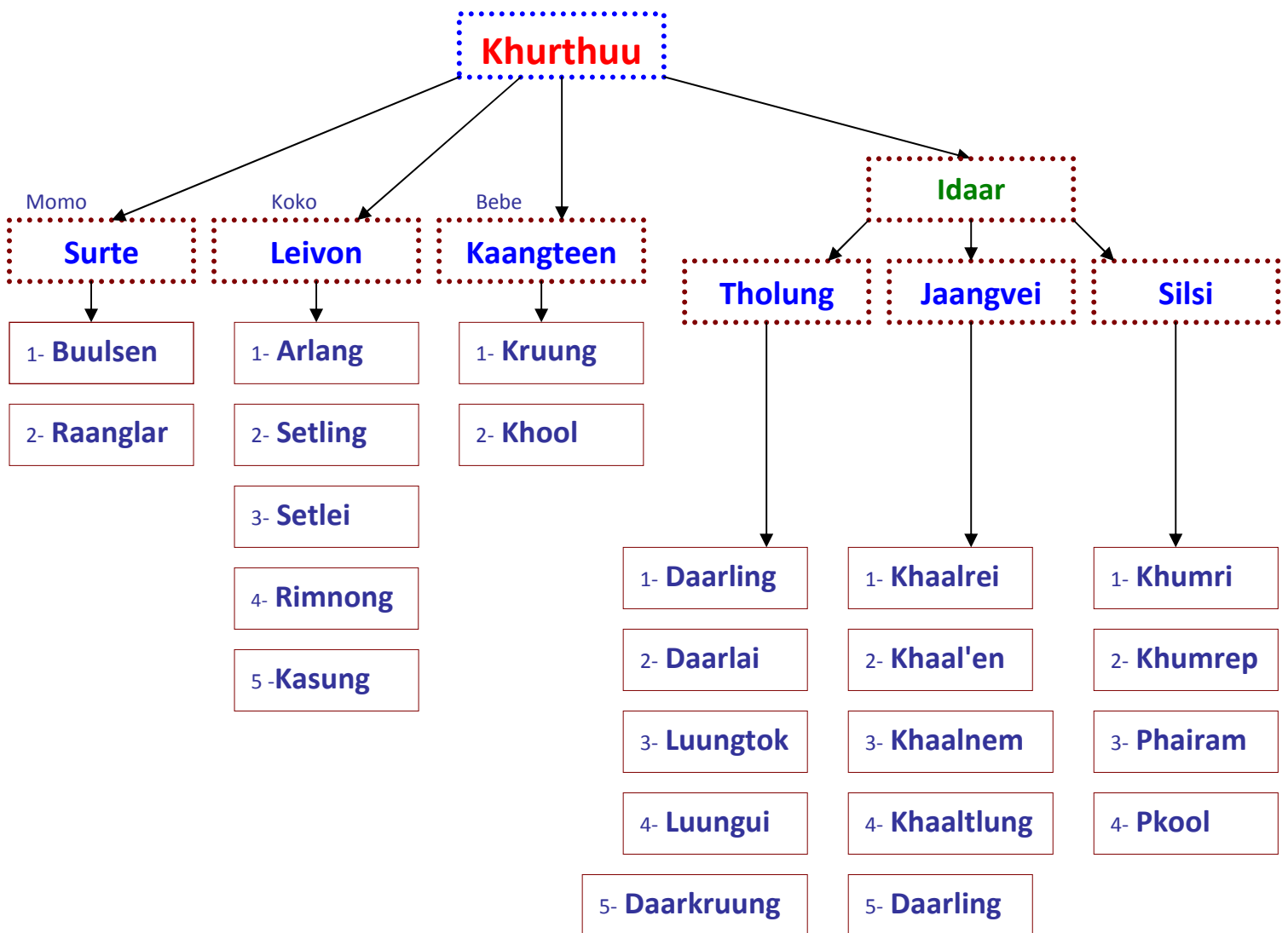
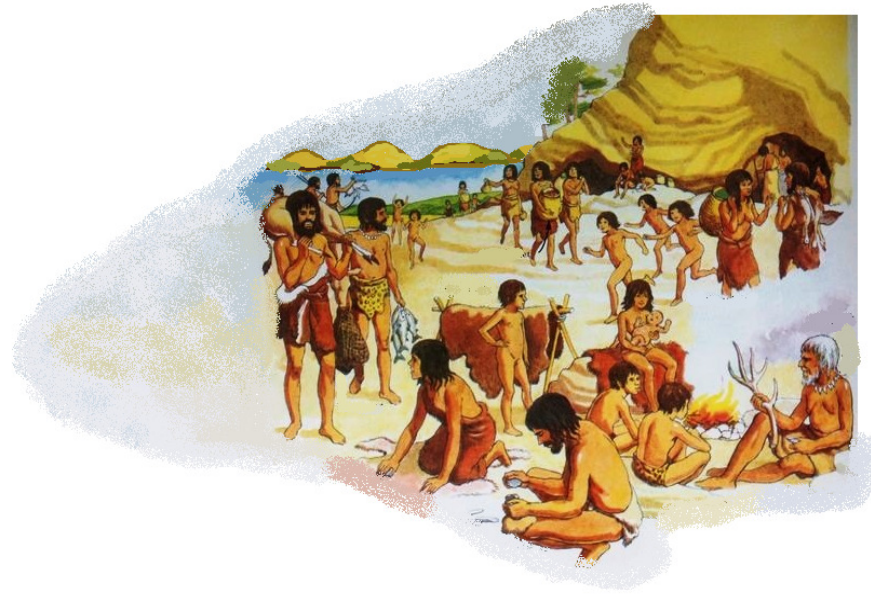




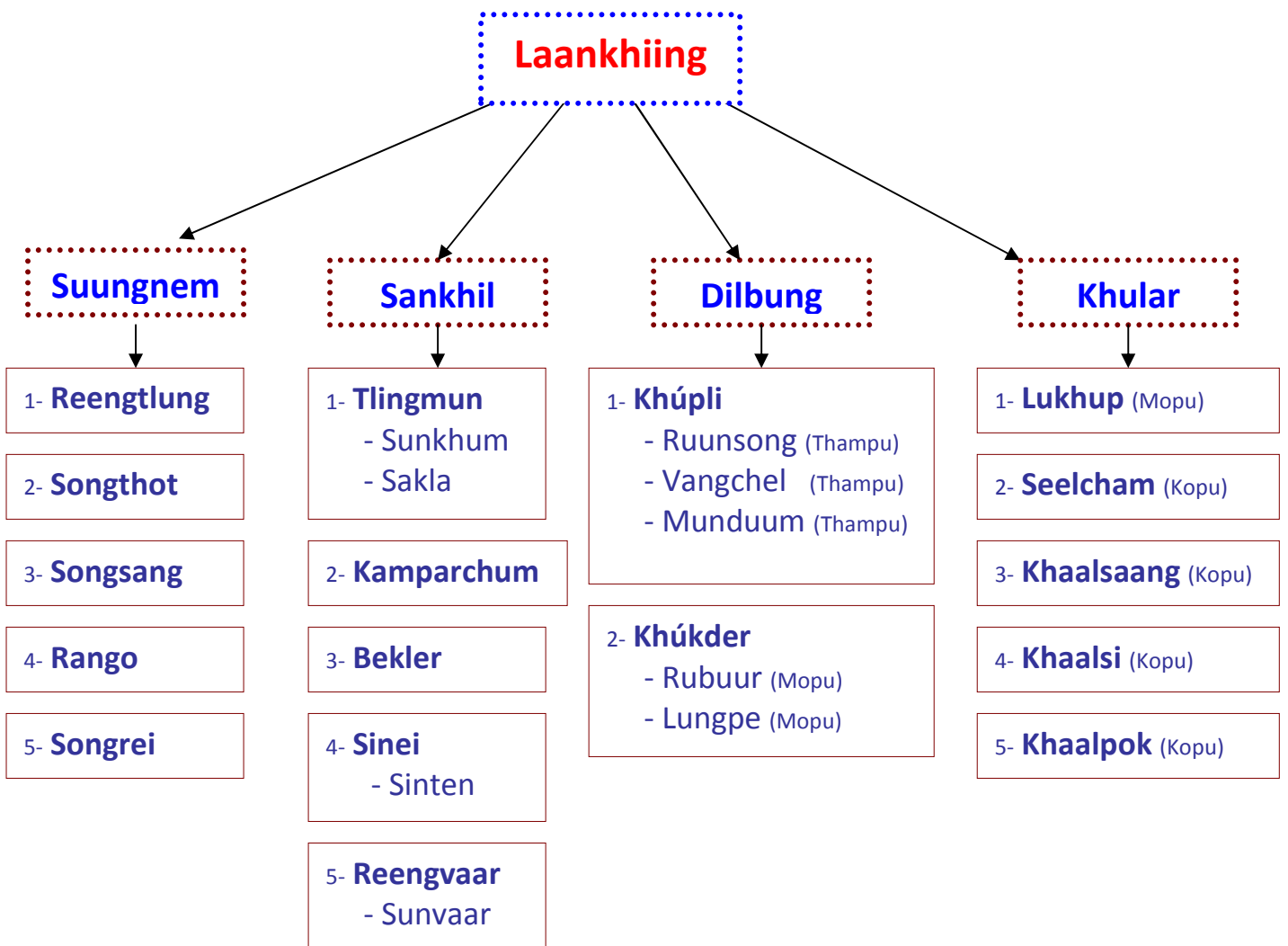
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