

bidjaay

mud, ochre
(and other earth materials)
used as body paint
YR YY



guuwarr

red ochre
(possibly from
guway 'blood')
YR, YY, GR



dhawurraa

white ochre
(used for body
painting)
YR



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Artwork: Fiona Draper (ochre from Len Waters Cultural Tours)



gidjiirr

yellow ochre
YR
(possible source
of English
'gidgee')



OR

guwinii

yellow ochre
YR GR



GR Gamilaraay, YR Yuwaalaraay, YY Yuwaalayaay
Source: *Gamilaraay, Yuwaalaraay and Yuwaalayaay Dictionary* (2003)
Sound: Online dictionary: www.dnathan.com/gaman