



lǎo niú shì dú  
老牛舐犊

idiom · Parents' deep love for their children.

Example Sentences

fù mǔ duì zǐ nǚ de ài jiù xiàng lǎo niú shì dú yí yàng wú sī ér shēn chén  
父母对子女的爱，就像老牛舐犊一样，无私而深沉。

A parent's love for their child is like an old cow licking its calf—selfless and deep.

kàn dào ér zǐ qǔ dé hǎo chéng jì tā lù chū le lǎo niú shì dú bān de wēi xiào  
看到儿子取得好成绩，他露出了老牛舐犊般的微笑。

Seeing his son achieve good results, he showed a smile like an old cow licking its calf.

Trace each character, then write the word on your own.

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continued practice

Continue tracing each character, then write the word on your own.

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