# Magic Tree House Fact Tracker Ninjas and Samurai

Chapter 7: Ninja Fighting

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True	Ninjas threw knives and darts at enemies from hidden places pg 97
True	Ninjas would sometimes dip their weapons in poison pg 99, 100

#### Definitions

chigiriki: a hollow stick with a spiked chain pg 98

shuriken: sharp pieces of metal cut into shapes to dig, cut or throw pg 99

fukiya: a blowgun used to shoot darts at victims pg 100

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