

SCENE 22 • GRAMMAR

v ponedeljek, vsak dan

Weekdays and frequency

6 Exercises · Duration: 20 min.

The first week at work

Slovenian

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Weekdays and frequency

Use **v** plus accusative for a weekday: **v ponedeljek, v torek, v sredo, v četrtek, v petek, v soboto, v nedeljo**. Feminine weekday names change **-a** to **-o**.

Adverbs of frequency include **vedno** always, **navadno** usually, **pogosto** often, **včasih** sometimes and **nikoli** never. With **nikoli** use **ne**: **nikoli ne zamudim**. For repeated Saturdays, **ob sobotah** is a useful locative plural time phrase.

Form	Example	Meaning
četrtek	Sestanek je v četrtek.	The meeting is on Thursday.
sredo	Pridem v sredo.	I come on Wednesday.
Nikoli	Nikoli ne zamudim.	I am never late.
soboto	V soboto ne delam.	I do not work on Saturday.
Včasih	Včasih sem lačen. Včasih jem torto.	I am sometimes hungry. I sometimes eat cake.
Vedno	Točen sem. Vedno pridem ob devetih.	I am on time. I always arrive at nine.

Sestanek je v četrtek.

The meeting is on Thursday.

Pridem v sredo.

I come on Wednesday.

Nikoli ne zamudim.

I am never late.

V soboto ne delam.

I do not work on Saturday.

Včasih sem lačna (lačen). Včasih jem torto.

I am sometimes hungry. I sometimes eat cake.

Točna (Točen) sem. Vedno pridem ob devetih.

I am on time. I always arrive at nine.

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE PATTERNS

Underline the form described in this unit.

- 1 Sestanek je v četrtek.

Meaning: The meeting is on Thursday.

- 2 Pridem v sredo.

Meaning: I come on Wednesday.

- 3 Nikoli ne zamudim.

Meaning: I am never late.

- 4 V soboto ne delam.

Meaning: I do not work on Saturday.

- 5 Včasih sem lačna. Včasih jem torto.

Meaning: I am sometimes hungry. I sometimes eat cake.

- 6 Točna sem. Vedno pridem ob devetih.

Meaning: I am on time. I always arrive at nine.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM

Choose the right word for the gap.

- 1 Sestanek je v _____.

- ☐ A četrta
- ☐ B četrtkom
- ☐ C četrtek

Meaning: The meeting is on Thursday.

2 Pridem v _____.

- ☐ A sreda
- ☐ B sredi
- ☐ C sredo

Meaning: I come on Wednesday.

3 _____ ne zamudim.

- ☐ A Pogosto
- ☐ B Vedno
- ☐ C Nikoli

Meaning: I am never late.

4 V _____ ne delam.

- ☐ A soboti
- ☐ B soboto
- ☐ C sobota

Meaning: I do not work on Saturday.

5 Včasih sem lačna. _____ jem torto.

- ☐ A Nikoli
- ☐ B Vedno
- ☐ C Včasih

Meaning: I am sometimes hungry. I sometimes eat cake.

6 Točna sem. _____ pridem ob devetih.

- ☐ A Redko
- ☐ B Nikoli
- ☐ C Vedno

Meaning: I am on time. I always arrive at nine.

G3) COMPLETE A SHORT MESSAGE

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

četrtek četrta

Sestanek je v _____.

Meaning: The meeting is on Thursday.

sredo sreda

Pridem v _____.

Meaning: I come on Wednesday.

Nikoli Vedno

_____ ne zamudim.

Meaning: I am never late.

soboto sobota

V _____ ne delam.

Meaning: I do not work on Saturday.

Včasih Nikoli

Včasih sem lačna. _____jem torto.

Meaning: I am sometimes hungry. I sometimes eat cake.

Vedno Nikoli

Točna sem. _____pridem ob devetih.

Meaning: I am on time. I always arrive at nine.

G4) BUILD USEFUL SENTENCES

Put the words in order.

1 Sestanek v je četrtek.

Meaning: The meeting is on Thursday.

2 sreda. v Pridem

Meaning: I come on Wednesday.

3 ne zamudim. Nikoli

Meaning: I am never late.

4 sobota delam. V ne

Meaning: I do not work on Saturday.

5 jem torto. Včasih Včasih lačna. sem

Meaning: I am sometimes hungry. I sometimes eat cake.

6

ob

sem.

Točna

Vedno

devetih.

pridem

Meaning: I am on time. I always arrive at nine.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 The meeting is on Thursday. You say:

- ☐ A Sestanek je v četrta.
- ☐ B Sestanek je v četrtek.

2 I come on Wednesday. You say:

- ☐ A Pridem v sredo.
- ☐ B Pridem v sredo.

3 I am never late. You say:

- ☐ A Vedno ne zamudim.
- ☐ B Nikoli ne zamudim.

4 I do not work on Saturday. You say:

- (A) V soboto ne delam.
- (B) V sobota ne delam.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

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| (1) Sestanek je v četrtek. | (A) The meeting is on Thursday. |
| (2) Nikoli ne zamudim. | (B) I am on time. I always arrive at nine. |
| (3) Pridem v sredo. | (C) I am never late. |
| (4) Točna sem. Vedno pridem ob devetih. | (D) I do not work on Saturday. |
| (5) Včasih sem lačna. Včasih jem torto. | (E) I am sometimes hungry. I sometimes eat cake. |
| (6) V soboto ne delam. | (F) I come on Wednesday. |