

SCENE 38 · GRAMMAR

Բացեք / Շնչեք

Following an examination and saying since when

5 Exercises · Duration: 15 min.

A bad day

Armenian

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Following an examination and saying since when

The polite doctor uses **բացեք, ասեք, շնչեք**: open, say, breathe. **Բացեք բերանը** is open your mouth. The understood owner is you, so a separate your is not needed.

Շաբաթ օրվանից means since Saturday: the source ending can mark a starting time as well as a place. A doctor may ask **Ե՞րբ է սկսվել**: when did it start. Learn this examination question as a phrase.

Անձրևի տակ էինք means we were in the rain. The past auxiliary describes the state; it does not describe a completed act. Advice such as **ջուր խմեք** remains a simple command.

Բացեք բերանը:

Open your mouth (polite/plural).

Շաբաթ օրվանից է ցավում:

It has hurt since Saturday.

Անձրևի տակ էինք:

We were in the rain.

GRAMMAR**G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL FORM**

Find the form explained in this unit.

- 1** Բացեք բերանը:

Meaning: Open your mouth (polite/plural).

- 2** Շաբաթ օրվանից է ցավում:

Meaning: It has hurt since Saturday.

- 3** Անձրևի տակ էինք:

Meaning: We were in the rain.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM THAT FITS

Choose the right word for the gap.

1 _____ բերանը:

- ☐ A Բացել
- ☐ B Բացում
- ☐ C Բացեք

Meaning: Open your mouth (polite/plural).

2 Շաբաթ _____ է ցավում:

- ☐ A օրով
- ☐ B օրը
- ☐ C օրվանից

Meaning: It has hurt since Saturday.

3 Անձրևի տակ _____:

- ☐ A էր
- ☐ B էինք
- ☐ C էիք

Meaning: We were in the rain.

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGE

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

Բացել Բացելք

_____ բերանը:

Meaning: Open your mouth (polite/plural).

օրը օրվանից

Շաբաթ _____ է ցավում:

Meaning: It has hurt since Saturday.

Էր Էինք

Անձրևի տակ _____:

Meaning: We were in the rain.

G4) BUILD A USEFUL SENTENCE

Put the words in order.

- 1 Բացեք բերանը:

Meaning: Open your mouth (polite/plural).

- 2 Է Շաբաթ օրվանից գավում:

Meaning: It has hurt since Saturday.

- 3 տակ Անձրևի էինք:

Meaning: We were in the rain.

G5) CONNECT FORM AND MEANING

Match the pairs.

① Շաբաթ
օրվանից է
ցավում:

Ⓐ We were in the rain.

② Անձրևի տակ
էիք:

Ⓑ It has hurt since Saturday.

③ Բացեք բերանը:

Ⓒ Open your mouth (polite/
plural).