

SCENE 36 • NUMBER 7

Ne mogu doći

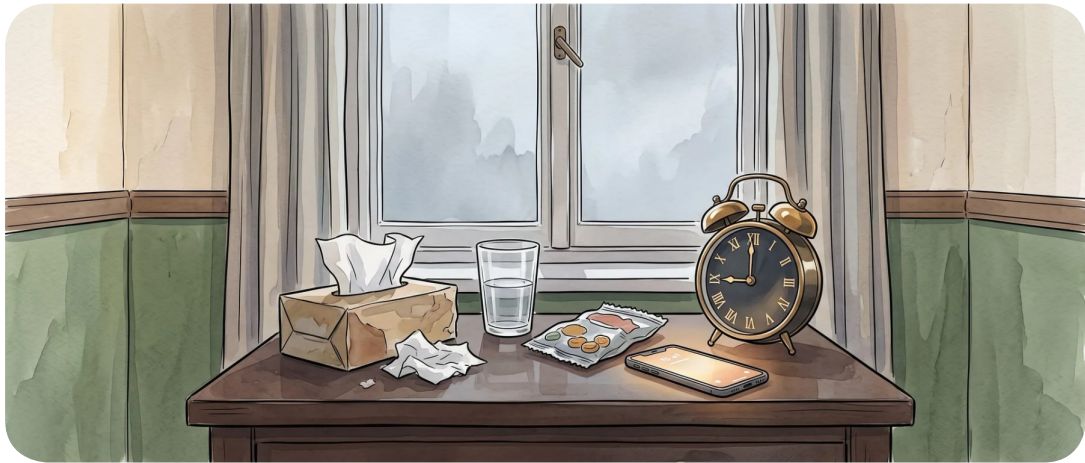
Monday of festival week. Your head hurts, your throat hurts, you are hot and cold at once. You call Dario. He has a list for this: "1. Tea. 2. Bed. 3. No cats in the bed. 4. Call the doctor."

128 Words · 5 Exercises · Duration: 15 min.

A bad day

Croatian

Read & listen online ↗



LEARNING GOAL

I can call in sick, say how I feel and understand simple advice.

Lena (Lukas) = ■ Dario = O

Learning as Lukas? Use the words in brackets.

- O... Boli me glava. I grlo.
- Vruće mi je. Ne, hladno. Jako mi je loše.
- Gdje je moj telefon?

You call Dario.

- Dobro jutro, Dario. Lena (Lukas) je.
- Četvrt je do devet. Zašto niste u uredu?
- Bolesna (Bolestan) sam. Danas ne mogu doći.
- Bolesni ste? Kako se osjećate?
- Loše. Boli me glava i grlo. I vruće mi je.
- Morate ostati kod kuće. Imam popis.
- Jedan: čaj. Dva: krevet. Tri: nema mačaka u krevetu.
- Nema mačaka? Zašto?
- Zato što mačje dlake nisu dobre za grlo.
- Četiri: nazovite liječnicu. Danas.
- Hvala, Dario. A posao?
- Nema posla ni e-poruka. Danas radim umjesto Vas.
- Nazovite me sutra ujutro. Točno u devet.
- Točno u devet. Dobro, Dario.

You look at your feet. Miki is lying on them, warm and heavy.

- Miki? Što radiš ovdje?

■ Dario kaže: nema mačaka u krevetu.

■ Ali ti si tako topao...

■ Dobro. Možeš ostati. Ali samo danas.

Vocabulary

DOING THINGS • RADNJE

boljeti	hurt
osjećati se	feel
ostati	stay
nazvati	call (on the phone)

THE BODY • TIJELO

glava	head
grlo	throat

SMALL WORDS • MALE RIJEČI

prvo	first (first ..., then ...)
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HOW I FEEL • OSJEĆAJI

bolestan	ill
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JOBS • ZANIMANJA

liječnik	doctor
liječnica	doctor (female)

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING**L1) WHO SAYS IT**

Read the dialogue again. Who says these words? Tick the right person.

1 Četvrt je do devet. Zašto niste u uredu?

- ☐ A Lena
- ☐ B Dario

2 Zato što mačje dlake nisu dobre za grlo.

- ☐ A Lena
- ☐ B Dario

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN

Tick the right English meaning.

1 Gdje je moj telefon?

- ☐ A Call me tomorrow morning. At nine sharp.
- ☐ B Where's my phone?
- ☐ C One: tea. Two: bed. Three: no cats in the bed.

2 Hvala, Dario. A posao?

- ☐ A Good morning, Dario. It's Lena.
- ☐ B Because cat hair is bad for the throat.
- ☐ C Thank you, Dario. And work?

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT

Tick the right Croatian sentence.

1 You're ill? How do you feel?

- ☐ A Četiri: nazovite liječnicu. Danas.
- ☐ B Dobro jutro, Dario. Lena je.
- ☐ C Bolesni ste? Kako se osjećate?

2 Call me tomorrow morning. At nine sharp.

- ☐ A Zato što mačje dlake nisu dobre za grlo.
- ☐ B Hvala, Dario. A posao?
- ☐ C Nazovite me sutra ujutro. Točno u devet.

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER

Write the words in the right order on the line.

- 1 popis. Morate Imam kuće. ostati kod
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- 2 nema krevetu. mačaka kaže: Dario u
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L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST

Number the lines in the order they come in the scene.

- ☐ Bolesni ste? Kako se osjećate?
- ☐ Dario kaže: nema mačaka u krevetu.
- ☐ Nema posla ni e-poruka. Danas radim umjesto Vas.
- ☐ Nema mačaka? Zašto?
- ☐ Gdje je moj telefon?

SCENE 36 • WORDS

Ne mogu doći

I cannot come

4 Exercises • Duration: 10 min.

A bad day

Croatian

Read & listen online **boljeti**
hurt**glava**
head**grlo**
throat**osjećati se**
feel**bolestan**
ill**ostati**
stay**nazvati**
call (on the
phone)**liječnik**
doctor**leđa**
back

Words

FROM THE SCENE

boljeti

hurt

O... Boli me glava. I grlo.

glava

head

O... Boli me glava. I grlo.

grlo

throat

O... Boli me glava. I grlo.

osjećati se

feel

Bolesni ste? Kako se osjećate?

bolestan

ill

Bolesni ste? Kako se osjećate?

ostati

stay

Morate ostati kod kuće. Imam popis.

prvo

first (first ..., then ...)

nazvati

call (on the phone)

Četiri: nazovite liječnicu. Danas.

liječnik

doctor

Četiri: nazovite liječnicu. Danas.

NEW WORDS

leđa

back

Leđa me ne bole.

VOCABULARY & COMMUNICATION**W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?**

What does it mean?

1 nazvati

- ☐ A year
- ☐ B call (on the phone)
- ☐ C menu

2 ostati

- ☐ A here is
- ☐ B stay
- ☐ C pancake

3 osjećati se

- ☐ A living room
- ☐ B job
- ☐ C feel

4 bolestan

- ☐ A month
- ☐ B ill
- ☐ C here

5 boljeti

- ☐ A paints
- ☐ B yellow
- ☐ C hurt

6 liječnik

- ☐ A look for
- ☐ B come (by vehicle: come to the capital)
- ☐ C doctor

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

telefon Dobro Vruće glava

O... Boli me _____. I grlo.

Meaning: Oh... My head hurts. And my throat.

Vruće telefon glava Dobro

_____ mi je. Ne, hladno. Jako mi je loše.

Meaning: I'm hot. No, I'm cold. I feel terrible.

Vruće Dobro glava telefon

Gdje je moj _____?

Meaning: Where's my phone?

glava Dobro Vruće telefon

_____jutro, Dario. Lena je.

Meaning: Good morning, Dario. It's Lena.

glava Vruće telefon Četvrt

_____je do devet. Zašto niste u uredu?

Meaning: It's 8:45. Why aren't you at the office?

W3) HI! HOW ARE YOU FEELING?

Fill the speech bubbles.



osjećate grlo grlo tebe

Ivana: Bok! Kako se _____?

Lena: Loše. Boli me glava i _____.

Ivana: Evo juhe. Jako je dobra za _____.

Lena: Miki! Juha nije za _____!

Meaning: 1. Hi! How are you feeling?

2. Bad. My head and throat hurt.

3. Here's some soup. It's very good for the throat.

4. Miki! The soup isn't for you!

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

telefon Vruće Dobro glava

O... Boli me _____. I grlo.

Meaning: Oh... My head hurts. And my throat.

telefon Vruće glava Dobro

_____ mi je. Ne, hladno. Jako mi je loše.

Meaning: I'm hot. No, I'm cold. I feel terrible.

Dobro telefon Vruće glava

Gdje je moj _____?

Meaning: Where's my phone?

Dobro telefon Vruće glava

_____jutro, Dario. Lena je.

Meaning: Good morning, Dario. It's Lena.

Vruće glava Četvrt telefon

_____je do devet. Zašto niste u uredu?

Meaning: It's 8:45. Why aren't you at the office?

SCENE 36 • GRAMMAR

Boli me, vruće mi je

Pain, illness and feelings

6 Exercises • Duration: 20 min.

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Pain, illness and feelings

With pain, the body part is the subject: **Boli me glava, Bole me leđa. Me** identifies the affected person. The verb agrees with one part or plural parts, not the learner's sex.

Bolestan sam • bolesna sam describes being ill. **Umoran sam • umorna sam** tired. Polite **Vi ste bolesni • umorni** takes masculine plural agreement for either single addressee.

Feelings can use dative pronouns: **hladno mi je, vruće mi je, loše mi je. Ne mogu doći** is unable to come, while **moram ostati kod kuće** gives obligation. Use **jer** or **zato što** for the reason.

Pattern	Example	Meaning
Boli	Boli me glava.	My head hurts.
Bole	Bole me leđa.	My back hurts.
me	Boli me grlo.	My throat hurts.
sam	Bolestan sam.	I am ill.

Boli me glava.

My head hurts.

Bole me leđa.

My back hurts.

Boli me grlo.

My throat hurts.

Bolesna (Bolestan) sam.

I am ill.

Vi ste bolesni.

You are ill. (polite)

Vruće mi je.

I feel hot.

Ja sam umorna (umoran).

I am tired.

Ne mogu doći danas.

I cannot come today.

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN

Underline the form practised in this unit.

1 Boli me glava.

Meaning: My head hurts.

2 Bole me leđa.

Meaning: My back hurts.

3 Boli me grlo.

Meaning: My throat hurts.

4 Bolesna sam.

Meaning: I am ill.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM

Use the English meaning and the pattern in this unit.

1 _____ me glava.

- ☐ A Bole
- ☐ B Bolim
- ☐ C Boli

Meaning: My head hurts.

2 _____ me leđa.

- ☐ A Bolim
- ☐ B Bole
- ☐ C Boli

Meaning: My back hurts.

3 Boli _____ grlo.

- ☐ A te
- ☐ B ga
- ☐ C me

Meaning: My throat hurts.

4 Bolesna _____.

- ☐ A sam
- ☐ B ste
- ☐ C si

Meaning: I am ill.

5 Vi ste _____.

- ☐ A bolesni
- ☐ B bolesna
- ☐ C bolestan

Meaning: You are ill. (polite)

6 Vruće _____ je.

- ☐ A mi
- ☐ B ti
- ☐ C mu

Meaning: I feel hot.

7 Ja sam _____.

- ☐ A umorno
- ☐ B umorna
- ☐ C umornima

Meaning: I am tired.

8 _____ doći danas.

- ☐ A Želim
- ☐ B Ne mogu
- ☐ C Mogu

Meaning: I cannot come today.

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

me te

Boli _____ grlo.

Meaning: My throat hurts.

sam si

Bolesna _____.

Meaning: I am ill.

bolesni bolestan

Vi ste _____.

Meaning: You are ill. (polite)

mi ti

Vruće _____je.

Meaning: I feel hot.

umorna umorno

Ja sam _____.

Meaning: I am tired.

Ne mogu Mogu

_____ doći danas.

Meaning: I cannot come today.

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE

Put the words in order.

1 me Boli glava.

Meaning: My head hurts.

2 Bole leđa. me

Meaning: My back hurts.

3 Boli grlo. me

Meaning: My throat hurts.

4 ste Vi bolesni.

Meaning: You are ill. (polite)

5 Vruće je. mi

Meaning: I feel hot.

6 umorna. Ja sam

Meaning: I am tired.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 My head hurts. You say:

- ☐ A Bole me glava.
- ☐ B Boli me glava.

2 My back hurts. You say:

- ☐ A Boli me leđa.
- ☐ B Bole me leđa.

3 My throat hurts. You say:

- ☐ A Boli te grlo.
- ☐ B Boli me grlo.

4 I am ill. You say:

- ☐ A Bolesna sam.
- ☐ B Bolesna si.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

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|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| ① Bolesna sam. | ① A I cannot come today. |
| ② Ja sam umorna. | ② B My head hurts. |
| ③ Boli me grlo. | ③ C My back hurts. |
| ④ Vi ste bolesni. | ④ D I feel hot. |
| ⑤ Ne mogu doći danas. | ⑤ E I am ill. |
| ⑥ Bole me leđa. | ⑥ F You are ill. (polite) |
| ⑦ Vruće mi je. | ⑦ G I am tired. |
| ⑧ Boli me glava. | ⑧ H My throat hurts. |