

SCENE 9 • NUMBER 7

Kafejnīcas galds

In the café, Liene stands by the window and stares at an empty corner.

94 Words • 5 Exercises • Duration: 15 min.

The empty flat

Latvian

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LEARNING GOAL

I can ask what happened, say what is in my kitchen and whose things are, and say what I need.

Lena (Lukas) = ■ Liene = ○

- Labrīt, Liene! Kas notika?
- Labrīt! Mans galds... Tā nav! Krēslu arī nav!
- Mazs balts galds? Manā virtuvē ir tāds galds.
- Jūsu virtuvē?! Un krēsli?

■ Krēsli arī.

○ Pagaidiet... Ejam paskatīties!

Upstairs in your kitchen, Liene stands by the little table with a cake and a pot of coffee.

○ Jā, tas ir mans galds. Un mani krēsli.

■ Atvainojiet, Liene! Tas nebiju es!

She is not angry. She puts the cake on the table and sits down.

○ Es zinu.

○ Labs galds. Tagad tas ir jūsu galds.

■ Mans? Un jūsu kafejnīca?

○ Kafejnīcā ir citi galdi. Jums vajag galdu.

○ Un brokastis! Kur ir krūzes?

■ Man ir tikai viena krūze.

She takes a second cup out of her apron pocket.

○ Nekas. Te ir vēl viena, no kafejnīcas.

■ Kas atver manas durvis naktī?

She looks at your door and smiles.

○ Maijas lielā atslēga atver visas durvis.

■ Visas?

○ Visas. Labu apetīti!

Vocabulary

DOING THINGS

gaidīt wait

vajadzēt need

atvērt open

COLOURS

balts white

SMALL WORDS

visi all (all the doors)

vēl yet / not yet

FOOD

brokastis breakfast

AT HOME

virtuve kitchen

krūze cup

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

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

1 Labrīt! Mans galds... Tā nav! Krēslu arī nav!

- ☐ A Lena
- ☐ B Liene

2 Labs galds. Tagad tas ir jūsu galds.

- ☐ A Lena
- ☐ B Liene

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN

Tick the right English meaning.

1 Mazs balts galds? Manā virtuvē ir tāds galds.

- ☐ A I know, I know.
- ☐ B Maija's big key opens all the doors.
- ☐ C A small white table? There's a table like that in my kitchen.

2 Kafejnīcā ir citi galdi. Jums vajag galdu.

- ☐ A I only have one cup.
- ☐ B The chairs too.
- ☐ C There are more tables in the café. And you need a table.

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT

Tick the right Latvian sentence.

1 Wait... Let's go and have a look!

- ☐ A Krēsli arī.
- ☐ B Pagaidiet... Ejam paskatīties!
- ☐ C Kafejnīcā ir citi galdi. Jums vajag galdu.

2 No problem. Here's another one, from the café.

- ☐ A Un brokastis! Kur ir krūzes?
- ☐ B Nekas. Te ir vēl viena, no kafejnīcas.
- ☐ C Pagaidiet... Ejam paskatīties!

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER

Write the words in the right order on the line.

- 1 Tas Liene! Atvainojiet, es! nebiju

- 2 durvis. atver atslēga Maijas lielā visas

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST

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

- ☐ Pagaidiet... Ejam paskatīties!
- ☐ Maijas lielā atslēga atver visas durvis.
- ☐ Mans? Un jūsu kafejnīca?
- ☐ Man ir tikai viena krūze.
- ☐ Labrīt! Mans galds... Tā nav! Krēslu arī nav!

SCENE 9 • WORDS

Kafejnīcas galds

The café table

4 Exercises • Duration: 10 min.

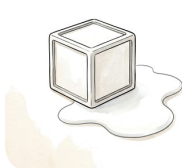
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virtuve
kitchen



balts
white



gaidīt
wait



Tasse mit Untertasse
eine blaue Keramik
Deutsch

krūze
cup



brokastis
breakfast



vajadzēt
need



atvērt
open



šķīvis
plate

Words

FROM THE SCENE

virtuve

kitchen

Jūsu virtuvē?! Un krēsli?

balts

white

Mazs balts galds? Manā virtuvē ir tāds galds.

gaidīt

wait

krūze

cup

Man ir tikai viena krūze.

brokastis

breakfast

Un brokastis! Kur ir krūzes?

vajadzēt

need

Kafejnīcā ir citi galdi. Jums vajag galdu.

atvērt

open

Kas atver manas durvis naktī?

visi

all (all the doors)

Visas?

vēl

yet / not yet

Nekas. Te ir vēl viena, no kafejnīcas.

NEW WORDS**šķīvis**

plate

Te ir šķīvis.

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

What does it mean?

1 visi

- ☐ A chair
- ☐ B all (all the doors)
- ☐ C hungry

2 brokastis

- ☐ A breakfast
- ☐ B bad
- ☐ C hi

3 krūze

- ☐ A small
- ☐ B tomorrow
- ☐ C cup

4 atvērt

- ☐ A nothing
- ☐ B open
- ☐ C fast

5 vajadzēt

- ☐ A you're welcome
- ☐ B well / fine
- ☐ C need

6 virtuve

- ☐ A kitchen
- ☐ B small
- ☐ C here is

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

Labrīt Mazs Jūsu Pagaidiet

_____, Liene! Kas notika?

Meaning: Good morning, Liene! What happened?

Pagaidiet Jūsu Labrīt Mazs

_____, Mans galds... Tā nav! Krēslu arī nav!

Meaning: Good morning! My table... It's gone! And the chairs are gone!

Mazs Labrīt Pagaidiet Jūsu

_____ balts galds? Manā virtuvē ir tāds galds.

Meaning: A small white table? There's a table like that in my kitchen.

Jūsu Mazs Pagaidiet Labrīt

_____ virtuvē?! Un krēsli?

Meaning: In your kitchen?! And the chairs?

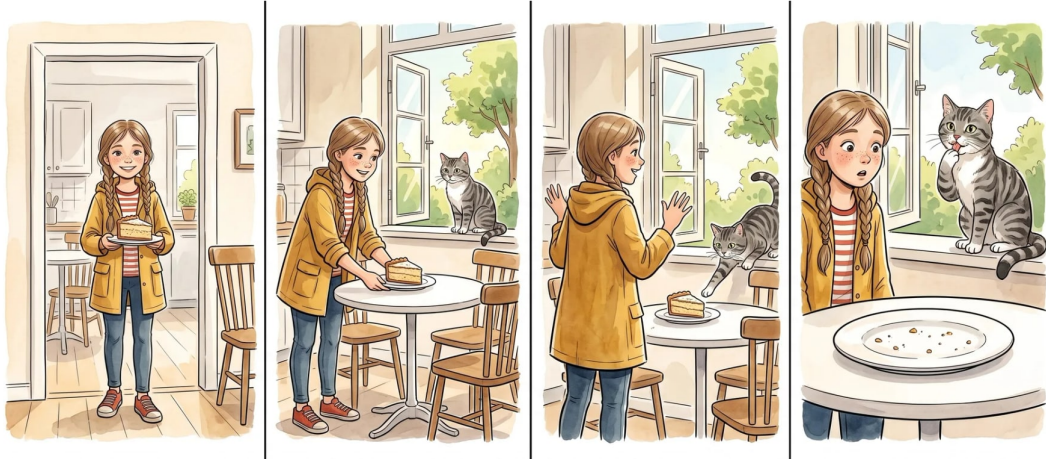
Pagaidiet Mazs Jūsu Labrīt

_____... Ejam paskatīties!

Meaning: Wait... Let's go and have a look!

W3) HI! HERE'S A PLATE FROM THE CAFÉ.

Fill the speech bubbles.



kūka šķīvis tukšs Lienei

Elīna: Sveiki! Te ir _____ no kafejnīcas.

Lena: Paldies! Kam pieder _____?

Elīna: _____. Viņa saka, jums vajag brokastis.

Lena: Kur ir kūka? Šķīvis ir _____!

Meaning: 1. Hi! Here's a plate from the café.

2. Thanks! And whose cake is it?

3. Liene's. She says you need breakfast.

4. But where's the cake? The plate is empty!

W4) CONNECT THE MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

- | | |
|---|--|
| ① Labrīt! Mans
galds... Tā nav!
Krēslu arī nav! | ⑤ In your kitchen?! And the chairs? |
| ② Mazs balts galds?
Manā virtuvē ir tāds
galds. | ⑥ A small white table? There's a
table like that in my kitchen. |
| ③ Krēsli arī. | ⑦ Good morning, Liene! What
happened? |
| ④ Jūsu virtuvē?! Un
krēsli? | ⑧ Good morning! My table... It's
gone! And the chairs are gone! |
| ⑤ Labrīt, Liene! Kas
notika? | ⑨ The chairs too. |

SCENE 9 • GRAMMAR

Mans, mana, mani, manas

Possession agrees with the thing

6 Exercises · Duration: 20 min.

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Possession agrees with the thing

Use **mans, mana** for my; **tavs, tava** for your familiar; **mūsu** for our; **jūsu** for your polite or plural; **viņa** for his; **viņas** for her; **viņu** for their. The final five owner forms stay unchanged while the following noun changes.

My plural nouns use **mani** for masculine and **manas** for feminine. Accusative singular is **manu** for both; genitive singular is **mana** masculine, **manas** feminine; dative is **manam**, masculine, **manai**, feminine; locative is **manā** for both.

Ownership does not depend on the learner's gender. **Mana krūze** is my cup for Lukas and Lena. For describing yourself, however, use **jauns/jauna**.

Form	Example	Meaning
mans	Tas ir mans galds.	That is my table.
mana	Tā ir mana krūze.	That is my cup.
mani	Tie ir mani krēsli.	Those are my chairs.
manas	Tās ir manas krūzes.	Those are my cups.
manu	Es ņemu manu krūzi.	I take my cup.
manā	Muris ir manā krēslā.	Muris is in my armchair.

Form	Example	Meaning
jauns jauna	Es esmu jauns. Es esmu jauna.	I am new.
jauns jauna	Jūs esat jauns. Jūs esat jauna.	You are new, polite.

Tas ir mans galds.

That is my table.

Tā ir mana krūze.

That is my cup.

Tie ir mani krēsli.

Those are my chairs.

Tās ir manas krūzes.

Those are my cups.

Es ņemu manu krūzi.

I take my cup.

Muris ir manā krēslā.

Muris is in my armchair.

Es esmu jauna (**jauns**).

I am new.

Jūs esat jauna (**jauns**).

You are new, polite.

GRAMMAR**G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN**

Underline the form practised in this unit.

- 1 Tas ir mans galds.

Meaning: That is my table.

- 2 Tā ir mana krūze.

Meaning: That is my cup.

- 3 Tie ir mani krēsli.

Meaning: Those are my chairs.

- 4 Tās ir manas krūzes.

Meaning: Those are my cups.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM

Use the English meaning and the pattern in this unit.

1 Tas ir _____ galds.

- ☐ A mana
- ☐ B mans
- ☐ C manu

Meaning: That is my table.

2 Tā ir _____ krūze.

- ☐ A mans
- ☐ B mana
- ☐ C manu

Meaning: That is my cup.

3 Tie ir _____ krēsli.

- ☐ A manas
- ☐ B mani
- ☐ C mans

Meaning: Those are my chairs.

4 Tās ir _____ krūzes.

- ☐ A mani
- ☐ B mana
- ☐ C manas

Meaning: Those are my cups.

5 Es ņemu _____ krūzi.

- ☐ A manu
- ☐ B mana
- ☐ C mans

Meaning: I take my cup.

6 Muris ir _____ krēslā.

- ☐ A mans
- ☐ B manu
- ☐ C manā

Meaning: Muris is in my armchair.

7 Es esmu _____.

- ☐ A jauni
- ☐ B jaunas
- ☐ C jauna

Meaning: I am new.

8 Jūs esat _____.

- ☐ A jauni
- ☐ B jaunas
- ☐ C jauna

Meaning: You are new, polite.

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

mans mani

Tie ir _____ krēsli.

Meaning: Those are my chairs.

mana manas

Tās ir _____ krūzes.

Meaning: Those are my cups.

mana manu

Es ņemu _____ krūzi.

Meaning: I take my cup.

manu manā

Muris ir _____ krēslā.

Meaning: Muris is in my armchair.

jauni jauna

Es esmu _____.

Meaning: I am new.

jauni jauna

Jūs esat _____.

Meaning: You are new, polite.

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE

Put the words in order.

1

galds.

mans

ir

Tas

Meaning: That is my table.

2 ir Tā mana krūze.

Meaning: That is my cup.

3 ir mani krēsli. Tie

Meaning: Those are my chairs.

4 Tās manas ir krūzes.

Meaning: Those are my cups.

5 krūzi. Es ņemu manu

Meaning: I take my cup.

- 6 krēslā. manā ir Muris

Meaning: Muris is in my armchair.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 That is my table. You say:

- ☐ A Tas ir mans galds.
- ☐ B Tas ir mana galds.

2 That is my cup. You say:

- ☐ A Tā ir mans krūze.
- ☐ B Tā ir mana krūze.

3 Those are my chairs. You say:

- ☐ A Tie ir mani krēsli.
- ☐ B Tie ir mans krēsli.

4 Those are my cups. You say:

- (A) Tās ir manas krūzes.
(B) Tās ir mana krūzes.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

- | | |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| (1) Tā ir mana krūze. | (A) That is my cup. |
| (2) Es ņemu manu krūzi. | (B) I am new. |
| (3) Tās ir manas krūzes. | (C) You are new, polite. |
| (4) Muris ir manā krēslā. | (D) Those are my chairs. |
| (5) Es esmu jauna. | (E) Muris is in my armchair. |
| (6) Tas ir mans galds. | (F) That is my table. |
| (7) Jūs esat jauna. | (G) I take my cup. |
| (8) Tie ir mani krēsli. | (H) Those are my cups. |