

5 | 2 | Lekcija 4: Advent u Zagrebu

| The Verb KLIZATI (SE)

The verb we are focusing on in this lesson is the verb *klizati* (se) - as part of winter activities that we are talking about in the lesson.

SINGULAR			PLURAL		
(audio)	ja	kli-ž-em	(audio)	mi	kli-ž-emo
(audio)	ti	kli-ž-eš	(audio)	vi	kli-ž-ete
(audio)	on/-a/-o	kli-ž-e	(audio)	oni/-e/-a	kli-ž-u

The verb ***klizati* (se)** belongs to a group of verbs that have -d-, -t-, -k-, -g-, -s-, -z-, -c-, -h- in front of the – ati ending. After removing the final -ati part, these verbs merge the final sounds with -j producing a completely new sound and then we add the – em endings to form the present tense.

to dry, to wipe	brisati	bris + j - em	brišem
to write	pisati	pis + j - em	pišem
to shout	vikati	vik + j - em	vičem
to cry	plakati	plak + j - em	plačem
to crawl	puzati	puz + j - em	pužem
to wave	mahati	mah + j - em	mašem

| The Verbal Noun

We already talked about verbal nouns in Croatian. Usually, a verbal noun derives from a transitive verb (a verb that is followed by the Accusative case). There are several endings that we can use to create a verbal noun. However, for now we will look only at the most common ending for creating a verbal noun: the ending –nje for talking about sports.

Look at the following sentence from this Lesson: *Ivica Kostelić voli skijanje*. In this sentence we see the verbal noun *skijanje* which originates from the verb *skijati* (to ski). Usually, verbal nouns indicate a certain action is involved (skiing, swimming, playing, running, etc.). In this lesson we encountered some winter activities that will very often be expressed in the form of a verbal noun.

5 | Modul 2: Gramatika
Novogodišnji praznici



skijati – skijanje



klizati – klizanje



trenirati – treniranje



trčati – trčanje



bordati – bordanje



sanjkati – sanjkanje

5.2 Zadatak 8. Što vole?

Below you will find a list of verbs (in no specific order). Think of how you would create a verbal noun out of these verbs. Finally, match each verb with the corresponding person below before you move on to finishing the sentences at the very end of the task.

Na primjer: Michael Phelps – njega zanima plivanje.



Michael Phelps



plivati

Aktivnosti



klizati (se)



trčati



vježbati



pjevati



bordati (se)



skakati



planinariti



veslati



penjati (se)



skijati (se)

Poznate osobe



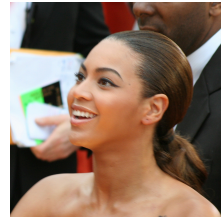
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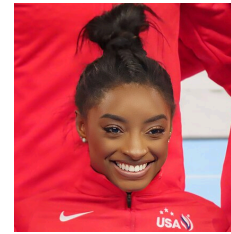
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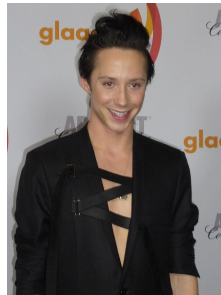
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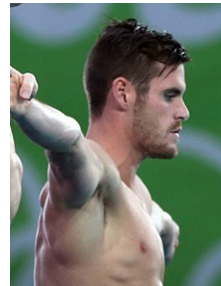
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Complete the task by using the correct verbal noun of the following verbs:

verslati	penjati se	skakati	planinariti	bordati
skijati	trčati	pjevati	vježbati	klizati

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