

9.4 - Stating the Year

Let's start with the word for year - *rok*. We're going to want to say 'in the year...'

To do this, we say *v roce*...



At this point, we need to remember our numbers, so if you haven't done so already, [review your numbers](#).

Now, that list only got us to a 1000, but we need to say things like 1998 or 2014. Not a problem... They actually state the date pretty similarly to English, so it is literally *nineteen (hundred) ninety eight* or *two thousand fourteen*. Let's start with years before the 2000s. Here we'll need the form *set*, which is the form of *sto* that occurs once you get to 500 and above (hint, it's actually the genitive plural of *sto* and is just following the number rule that 5+ is followed by the genitive plural. The *e* in *set* is just a fill vowel). So let's see some examples in action:

V roce osmnáct set padesát

In the year 1850

V roce devatenáct set osmdesát jedna

In the year 1981

V roce devatenáct set devadesát devět

In the year 1999

If it's a year in the 2000s, then it goes as follows:

V roce dva tisíce

In the year 2000

V roce dva tisíce osmnáct

In the year 2018

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