

100 most common Polish verbs

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1	być	to be	51	jechać	to go (by vehicle), to drive
2	mieć	to have	52	zabrać	to take away, to take along
3	móc	can, to be able to	53	uważać	to be careful, to consider
4	wiedzieć	to know	54	próbować	to try
5	chcieć	to want	55	można	it is possible, one may
6	musieć	must, to have to	56	rozmawiać	to talk, to chat
7	powiedzieć	to say, to tell	57	witać	to greet, to welcome
8	mówić	to speak, to say	58	trzeba	it is necessary, one must
9	zrobić	to do, to make	59	nazywać	to call, to name
10	robić	to do, to make	60	wracać	to return, to come back
11	myśleć	to think	61	skończyć	to finish
12	widzieć	to see	62	szukać	to look for, to search
13	chodzić	to walk, to go (regularly)	63	spojrzeć	to look, to glance
14	dać	to give	64	wierzyć	to believe
15	iść	to go, to walk	65	martwić	to worry
16	zostać	to stay, to become	66	porozmawiać	to have a talk
17	stać	to stand	67	zostawić	to leave (behind)
18	powinien	should, ought to	68	udać	to pretend, to succeed (udać się)
19	znaleźć	to find	69	dawać	to give
20	dziękować	to thank	70	posłuchać	to listen (for a while)
21	przeprasać	to apologize, to excuse	71	pomyśleć	to think, to consider
22	czekać	to wait	72	zaczynać	to begin, to start
23	potrzebować	to need	73	wydawać	to spend, to issue, to seem
24	wyglądać	to look (appear)	74	umrzeć	to die
25	znać	to know (be acquainted with)	75	podobać	to be liked, to appeal to
26	zabić	to kill	76	zmienić	to change
27	zobaczyć	to see (catch sight of)	77	brać	to take
28	pójść	to go (set off)	78	dowiedzieć	to find out, to learn
29	wrócić	to return, to come back	79	zamknąć	to close, to shut
30	rozumieć	to understand	80	poznać	to meet, to get to know
31	pomóc	to help	81	wybaczyć	to forgive
32	słyszeć	to hear	82	sprawdzić	to check
33	kochać	to love	83	działać	to work, to act
34	czuć	to feel	84	spotkać	to meet, to run into
35	przyjść	to come	85	potrafić	to be able to, to know how to
36	żyć	to live	86	zajmować	to occupy, to take up
37	dostać	to get, to receive	87	odejść	to leave, to go away
38	wziąć	to take	88	spróbować	to try, to taste
39	słuchać	to listen	89	wejść	to enter, to come in
40	pracować	to work	90	bać	to fear, to be afraid
41	lubić	to like	91	dzwonić	to call, to ring
42	pamiętać	to remember	92	zadzwonić	to call, to phone
43	znaczyć	to mean	93	wystarczać	to be enough, to suffice
44	patrzeć	to look, to watch	94	zgadzać	to agree
45	pozwolić	to allow, to let	95	pokazywać	to show
46	zacząć	to begin, to start	96	zapomnieć	to forget
47	przestać	to stop	97	zamierzać	to intend, to plan to
48	wyjść	to go out, to leave	98	stracić	to lose
49	trzymać	to hold, to keep	99	ruszać	to move, to touch
50	sądzić	to think, to judge	100	siedzieć	to sit, to be seated