

## Dictionaries for Verbs & Nouns

### 1. Inflection Dictionaries

[Polish Nouns](#), by Jacek Iwanski. This module helps you to learn and practise the parts of Polish nouns. It contains more than 13,000 nouns.

[Polish Adjectives](#), by Jacek Iwanski. This module helps you to learn and practise the parts of Polish adjectives. It contains more than 8,000 adjectives.

[Italian Verbs](#), by Jacek Iwanski. This module helps you to learn and practise the parts of Italian verbs including reflexive verbs and compound tenses. It contains the full conjugations of about 380 irregular verbs and about 660 that are regular, with English translations.

[Italian Nouns](#), by Adrienne Forbes <dandaforbes@netmatters.co.uk>. This module helps you to learn and practise the 20 different ways of forming the plural of Italian nouns, and the seven different forms of 'the'. You can use it for looking up words and practising vocabulary. The module already contains more than 2000 Italian nouns, with English translations.

[Verbs and Nouns Russisch](#) (Russian/German), by Richard Wellmann <r\_wellmann@compuserve.com>. This module helps you to study Russian vocabulary and grammar or to simply look words up in the dictionary: adjectives, adverbs, conjunctions, subjunctives, prepositions, nouns and verbs included; altogether until now more than 5000 words with tenths of forms. With the adjective-database you can study declension, comparative and superlative and adverb-forms. You can look up and practice conjugation of imperfective and perfective regular and irregular (reflexive) verbs in all tenses. The nouns-database helps you look up and practice all cases and modi of regular and irregular nouns. Grammar- and thematic-groups help you gain better access to words. The module is regularly updated and enlarged. Feel free to easily enter your own vocabulary; you are effectively supported by "verbs&nouns" stem-procedures-generator and the predefined rules for Russian.

[Swiss-German Verbs](#), by Flavio Spirgi <flavio.spirgi@uni-konstanz.de>. This module helps you to learn and practise the parts of Swiss-German verbs.

[Modern Greek Verbs](#), by Goran Bergstrom <gorb-inu@po.ia.dk>. This module helps you to learn and practise the parts of modern Greek verbs.

[English Nouns](#), by Adrienne Forbes <dandaforbes@netmatters.co.uk>. This module helps you to learn and practise the different ways of forming the plural of English nouns. The module already contains more than 1500 English nouns showing 18 ways of forming the plural forms.

[Spanish Nouns](#), by Juan Manuel Soto Arriví. This module helps you to learn and practise the different ways of forming the plural of Spanish nouns, and the different forms of 'the'. You can use it for looking up words and practising vocabulary. The module already contains more than 1800 Spanish nouns, with English translations.

The 'look-up' access to the password protected dictionaries requires the additional registration to the dictionary author.

### 2. Simple Dictionaries

[English-to-English Dictionary](#). It is a public-domain English-to-English dictionary of 65,000 entries.

[English-to-German Dictionary](#). It contains more than 20,000 entries.

[English-to-Spanish Dictionary](#). It contains more than 9,000 entries.

[Dictionary of Computing](#), by Denis Howe. It is a searchable dictionary of acronyms, jargon, programming languages, tools, architecture, operating systems, networking, theory, conventions, standards, mathematics, telecoms, electronics, institutions, companies, projects, products, history, in fact anything to do with computing.

[English-to-Polish Dictionary](#), by Jacek Iwanski. It will be useful to Poles who are learning English and to English speakers who are learning Polish. The Demo version consists of 9,000 words (letters a to d). The complete version consists of 32,000 words. I am continually improving and enlarging this dictionary.

## Spelling Dictionaries

[Italian Spelling](#). It is a spelling dictionary capable of 'in-depth' search if used together with Italian Nouns and Italian Verbs databases.

[American Spelling](#). It is a standard American-English spelling dictionary of about 70,000 words. It is enclosed with the 'V&N Lookup' program.

[Dutch Spelling](#). It is a standard Dutch spelling dictionary of about 70,000 words.

[German Spelling](#). It is a standard German spelling dictionary of about 70,000 words.

## The Foreign Language Courses

[Polish for All](#). It is an interactive multimedia course for learning Polish at the elementary level. One or two new lessons are released each month. The course consists of regular lessons and some series. To use this material you need to have the program 'Language Toolkit Reader'. There are four kinds of regular lessons:

- Grammar-oriented lessons introduce typical grammar structures;
- Vocabulary-oriented lessons introduce commonly-used phrases;
- Topic-oriented lessons usually focus on a picture, a movie or a story;
- Pronunciation lessons.

There are also two series:

- Countryside - an introduction to the most interesting regions of Poland;
- News - brief news from Poland: an introduction to 'media language';
- Cookbook.

Other components are the modules 'Polish Nouns', 'Polish Adjectives', and 'Polish Verbs'. Certain parts of the 'Polish for All' course are available from the internet.

[Danish Lesson](#). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program.

[Russian Lesson](#). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program.

[Dutch Lesson](#). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program. I can extend the course if there is an interest in it.

[English for Beginners](#) (learning English as a second language). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program. I can extend the course if there is an interest in it (send me an e-mail if you would like to see more lessons).

[Italian Lesson](#). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program.

[French Lesson](#). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program.

[Spanish Lesson](#). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program.

[Swedish Lesson](#). It is a simple demonstration-lesson for the 'Language Toolkit Reader' program.

## The Foreign Language Toolkit

The Foreign Language Toolkit comprises four application programs. They are:

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[Verbs & Nouns](#). You use 'Verbs & Nouns' to write dictionaries and modules for practising inflections, and for recording sound and for exercises based on sound. You also use the 'Verbs & Nouns' program to browse the dictionaries and to practise the foreign language on a word level, with modules such as those listed above.

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[V&N Lookup](#). This is a program which searches the V&N dictionaries simultaneously for any word you specify. If you're in the middle of writing a letter and you want to check a word quickly, you can copy the word to the clipboard, and 'V&N Lookup' will look for it. 'V&N Lookup' will also check the spelling of any text that you copy to the clipboard. It can also perform word-for-word translation of passages of text.

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[Language Toolkit Writer](#). You use 'Language Toolkit Writer' to write interactive multimedia lessons that are beyond the scope of 'Verbs & Nouns'. To make use of lessons prepared with Language Toolkit Writer, students use the companion program 'Language Toolkit Reader'.

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[Language Toolkit Reader](#). You can use 'Language Toolkit Reader' to access modules and lessons prepared both by 'Verbs & Nouns' and by 'Language Toolkit Writer'.

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