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| **Il-Verb – L-Imperattiv *The Verb – The Imperative*** |

* L-**Imperattiv** hu dak il-verb li juri kmand.

*The* ***Imperative*** *verb denotes an order.*

* L-imperattiv jintuża biss fit-tieni persuna singular jew plural.

*An imperative verb can be used with the second person singular or plural only.*

(Inti) itlaq. > *(You) go.* singular

(Intom) itilqu. > *(You) go.* plural

* Ħafna drabi l-imperattiv isir billi:
* Insibu l-Mamma tal-verb. Din hi l-iktar forma sempliċi tal-verb Malti.
* (fis-singular) niktbu l-ewwel vokali tal-Mamma qabel l-ewwel konsonanti
* (fil-plural) niktbu wkoll l-aħħar vokali wara l-aħħar konsonanti.

*The imperative verb is often formed by:*

* *(in the singular)inversing the first vowel of the Mamma with the first consonant*
* *(in the plural) inversing the last vowel with the last consonant.*

**ħadem resaq**

**a**ħdem **e**rsaq

**a**ħdm**u** **e**rsq**u**

* Ħafna drabi l-aħħar vokali tinbidel mal-vokali ‘**u**’.

*Many times the last vowel is replaced with ‘****u’****.*

**Taħriġ A: Ikteb l-imperattiv singular u plural ta’ dawn il-verbi.**

ħarab > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ kiber > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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ħasel > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ kiteb > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

nefaq > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ daħal > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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għalaq > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ libes > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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* L-imperattiv ta’ verb jitnissel mill-Mamma.

*The imperative verb is derived from the Mamma.*

**Taħriġ B: Ikteb dawn is-sentenzi fl-imperattiv.**

1. Kitbu imejl lill-għalliem.

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1. Huma ħaslu l-kelb bl-ilma u s-sapun.

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1. Inti qbiżt malajr iċ-ċint.

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1. Il-vet jiftaħ il-klinika.

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1. It-tfal qasmu l-kejk.

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**Taħriġ Ċ: Ikteb dawn is-sentenzi fil-plural.**

1. L-istudent ħareġ il-leptop.

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1. Huwa kiteb imejl lill-għalliem.

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1. Aqbad il-ħabel issa.

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1. Is-seftura kinset il-kamra.

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1. Ilbes il-ġlekk u aqfel il-lazz.

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1. Jien għandi karozza antika.

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1. Il-fjura hija fil-vażun.

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* Biex niktbu tajjeb l-imperattiv ta’ verbi bil-**għ** jew bl-**h** nibnuhom fuq mudell li fih l-ittra **R** fil-Mamma. Fejn toqgħod l-ittra **R** toqgħod l-**għ / h**.

*To write correctly imperative verbs containing* ***għ*** *or* ***h*** *in the root (Għerq), built them on a Mamma having* ***R*** *in its root. Where the* ***R*** *stands, there stands the* ***għ / h.***

+ Verbi bil-**għ** fil-bidu > mudell = **R** e S a Q.

*Verbs having* ***għ*** *at the beginning.*

**R** e S a Q > e **R** S a Q e **R** S Q u

**Għ** a L a Q > a **Għ** L a Q a **Għ** L Q u

**Għ** a Ż a Q > a **Għ** Ż a Q a **Għ** Ż Q u

+ Verbi bil-**għ** fin-nofs > mudell = S e **R** a Q.

S e **R** a Q > i S **R** a Q i S i **R** Q u

L a **Għ** a B > i L **Għ** a B i L a **Għ** B u

X e **Għ** e L > i X **Għ** e L i X e **Għ** L u

+ Verbi bil-**għ** fit-tarf > mudell = K i S e **R**.

K i S e **R** > i K S e **R** i K S **R** u

L a Q a**’** > i L Q a **’** i L Q **Għ** u

Q a T a**’** > a Q T a **’** aQ T **Għ** u

**Taħriġ D: Ikteb l-imperattiv singular u plural ta’ dawn il-verbi.**

għamel *(to make)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

għalaq *(to close)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

bagħat *(to send)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

magħad *(to chew)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

sama’ *(to hear)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

tela’ *(to go up)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

xehed *(to witness)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

hemeż *(to attach)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

fehem *(to understand)* > \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**\*** In-negattiv tal-imperattiv jista’ jsir billi nżidu **T** quddiem il-verb u **X** warajh.

*The negative of the imperative verb is formed by adding the prefix* ***T*** *to the verb and the suffix* ***X*** *at its end.*

iġbor > **t**iġbor**x** > *do not pick (singular)*

iġbru > **t**iġbru**x** > *do not pick (plural)*

**Taħriġ E: Ikteb dawn il-verbi fl-imperattiv negattiv.**

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|  | | **Negattiv** | |
| **Verb** | **Mamma** | **Singular** | **Plural** |
| ħarqet |  |  |  |
| ktibna |  |  |  |
| ftaħtu |  |  |  |
| għażilna |  |  |  |
| resqu |  |  |  |
| daħket |  |  |  |
| qsamtu |  |  |  |
| xrobna |  |  |  |

**Taħriġ F: Ikteb in-negattiv plural ta’ dawn is-sentenzi.**

1. Aqsam \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it-triq bil-mod.
2. Idħol \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fil-karozza issa.
3. Tidħolx \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fil-laboratorju issa.
4. Agħlaq \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it-tieqa u l-bieb.
5. Ifhem \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sew l-ordnijiet.
6. Tagħlaqx \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ il-bieb tal-garaxx.
7. Agħmel \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ il-leptop fuq il-mejda.