

Latin

# Irregular Verbs: *possum* and *poteram*

## Downloadable Resource

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# The Irregular Verb 'to be able'

## Present Tense

<i>possum</i>	I am able
<i>potes</i>	You (s) are able
<i>potest</i>	She is able
<i>possumus</i>	We are able
<i>potestis</i>	You (pl) are able
<i>possunt</i>	They are able



# Main Task 1

## Translate into English.

1. *audire possum.*
2. *intrare potestis.*
3. *discedere non possumus.*
4. *est iratus. ridere non potest.*
5. *cibum parare potes. es optimus!*
6. *amicum videre non possunt.*



# Challenge

## Translate into Latin.

1. I am able to enter.
2. You (pl) are able to hear.
3. The friend is able to prepare dinner.
4. You (s) are a student. You (s) are not able to leave.



# Review

**Only turn to this section once you have completed the main task(s).**



# Main Task 1

## Correct your answers.

1. *audire possum.* I am able to hear.
2. *intrare potestis.* You (pl) are able to enter.
3. *discedere non possumus.* We are not able to leave.
4. *est iratus. ridere non potest.* He is angry. He is not able to laugh.
5. *cibum parare potes. es optimus!* You (s) are able to prepare the food. You (s) are excellent!
6. *amicum videre non possunt.* They are not able to see the friend.



# Challenge

## Correct your answers.

1. I am able to enter. *intrare possum.*
2. You (pl) are able to hear. *audire potestis.*
3. The friend is able to prepare dinner.  
*amica/amicus cenam parare potest.*
4. You (s) are a student. You (s) are not able to leave.  
*es discipula/discipulus. discedere non potes.*

