

TITLE OF THE ACTIVITY	Exercise 4 “Verb жить (to live)”.
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50-WORD SUMMARY	This exercise is designed to follow the tutorial “Regular Russian Verbs (1-st Conjugation) in the Present Tense Part 2” as practice or an assessment in learning the verb жить (to live).
OBJECTIVE	By the end of this tutorial the learners will be able to use the verb жить (to live) correctly in accordance with the person/people whose actions are being described.
TIME NEEDED TO COMPLETE THE ACTIVITY	2-5 min
US STANDARDS	<u>Standard 2.1:</u> Students demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between the practices and perspectives of Russian Culture (e.g.: a choice of personal verbal forms in accordance with formal or casual form of the personal pronoun “you”). <u>Standard 3.1:</u> Students reinforce and further their knowledge of the other disciplines through Russian (e.g.: understand the concept “conjugation” which exists in English but in a rather limited version than in Russian). <u>Standard 4.1:</u> Students demonstrate understanding of the nature of language through comparison of Russian and their own language.
COMPLEXITY LEVELS	A
RUSSIAN STANDARDS	Novice-Mid level as it is suggested that the “Speaker can respond to and understand simple questions with a vocabulary... of some simple verb forms (я живу).” (ACTFL Russian Proficiency Guidelines, Foreign Language Annals, V21, 1988, p. 178, P.184).
SKILLS	Reading, speaking
MODE	This LO could be used in Distance Learning mode or self learning as an exercise or an assessment.
MATERIALS	This LO is created with Hot Potatoes software using JCloze format.
INSTRUCTIONS FOR TEACHERS	For teachers using Face to Face 1 course this tutorial will supplement lesson 4. Please instruct students to click “allow blocked content” when attempting to use this learning object, otherwise the “check” operation will not function. Please advise students to continue tutorial “Regular Russian Verbs of the 2 nd Conjugation”.
INSTRUCTIONS FOR LEARNERS	Please make sure to click “allow blocked content” when attempting to use this learning object, otherwise the “check” operation will not function. Upon successful completion of all exercises in this unit please continue to tutorial “Regular Russian Verbs of the 2 nd Conjugation”.