



STUDY TIPS FOR RUSSIAN LANGUAGE LEARNERS

Talk a LOT! Talk to your teacher, your classmates, or the waiter at the restaurant. Take advantage of every opportunity to practice speaking.

- **Repetition.** *Try to use what you learn in class right away, and use it regularly.*
- **Don't be afraid to make mistakes!** *You WILL say things incorrectly in the beginning. It's all part of the learning process!*
- **Practice, practice, practice!** *You can practice anytime, anywhere. Even if you are not reading, writing, or doing homework, you can make a conscious effort to practice.*
 - *Practice saying new words out loud*
 - *Find a Russian radio station or look for songs on YouTube*
 - *Try watching a movie in Russian*
 - *Go to public events and experience the culture*

Most importantly, **HAVE FUN!** Learning a new language opens up many new doors for both professional development and new social experiences. Take advantage of all the opportunities that this will bring your way!

Here are a few free resources for practice:

- *Websites*
 - BBC Languages: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/russian/soap/>
 - Russian Alphabet: <https://www.russianforfree.com/alphabet.php>
 - Russian For Everyone: <http://www.russianforeveryone.com/>
 - Russian Grammar: <http://www.study-languages-online.com/russian-grammar.html>
 - Practice Quizzes: <https://testyourlanguage.com/russian-quiz>
 - Duolingo Desktop/Laptop: [Duolingo Russian](#)
- *Cell phone apps:*
 - [Memrise](#)
 - [HelloTalk](#)