

***bellana** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'bel.la.nã/

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Meanings

1. to roar, bark, bellow
2. to ring

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European *root* **b^hel-* ('to sound, speak, roar, bark'), probably back-formed from the iterative **bullōna* ('to howl, roar') from pre-Germanic **b^hl_̥-neh₂-ti ~ *b^hl_̥-nh₂-énti*. Related to **bellō* ('bell').

Conjugation

Present active

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive	Imperative
1st singular	bellō	bellau	—
2nd singular	billizi	bellaiz	bell
3rd singular	billidi	bellai	belladau
1st dual	bellōz	bellaiw	—
2nd dual	belladiz	bellaidiz	belladiz
1st plural	bellamaz	bellaim	—
2nd plural	billid	bellaid	billid
3rd plural	bellandi	bellain	bellandau

Present passive

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive
1st singular	bellai	—
2nd singular	bellazai	bellaizau
3rd singular	belladai	bellaidau
1st dual	—	—
2nd dual	—	—
1st plural	bellandai	bellaindau
2nd plural	bellandai	bellaindau
3rd plural	bellandai	bellaindau

Past

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive
1st singular	ball	bullĭ
2nd singular	ballt	bullĭz
3rd singular	ball	bullĭ
1st dual	bullū	bullĭw
2nd dual	bulludiz	bullĭdiz
1st plural	bullum	bullĭm
2nd plural	bullud	bullĭd
3rd plural	bullun	bullĭn

Non-finite Forms

Infinitive	Present Participle	Past Participle
bellanaḡ	bellandz	bullanaz

Descendants

bellan (Old English)

bellen (Middle English)

bell (English)

bell (Scots)

***bellan** (Old Saxon)

bellen (Middle Low German)

bellen (Low German)

***bellan** (Old Dutch)

bellen (Middle Dutch)

bellen (Dutch)

bellan (Old High German)

bëllen (Middle High German)

bellen (German)

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