

**\*fnesana** Runic: 𐌸𐌹𐌺𐌰𐌶𐌹𐌺𐌰 Pronunciation: /'ɸne.sa.nã/

verb · Strong class 5

## Meanings

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1. to breathe heavily, pant, gasp
2. to sneeze, snort

## Etymology

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From Proto-Indo-European *\*pnew-* (‘to breathe, pant, gasp; snort, sneeze’).

## Conjugation

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### Present active

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive | Imperative |
|--------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| 1st singular | fnesō      | fnesaꝥ      | —          |
| 2nd singular | fnisizi    | fnesaiz     | fnes       |
| 3rd singular | fnisidi    | fnesai      | fnesadau   |
| 1st dual     | fnesōz     | fnesaiw     | —          |
| 2nd dual     | fnesadiz   | fnesaidiz   | fnesadiz   |
| 1st plural   | fnesamaz   | fnesaim     | —          |
| 2nd plural   | fnisid     | fnesaid     | fnisid     |
| 3rd plural   | fnesandi   | fnesain     | fnesandau  |

## Present passive

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive |
|--------------|------------|-------------|
| 1st singular | fnesai     | —           |
| 2nd singular | fnesazai   | fnesaizau   |
| 3rd singular | fnesadai   | fnesaidau   |
| 1st dual     | —          | —           |
| 2nd dual     | —          | —           |
| 1st plural   | fnesandai  | fnesaindau  |
| 2nd plural   | fnesandai  | fnesaindau  |
| 3rd plural   | fnesandai  | fnesaindau  |

## Past

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive |
|--------------|------------|-------------|
| 1st singular | fnas       | fnēzĩ       |
| 2nd singular | fnast      | fnēzĩz      |
| 3rd singular | fnas       | fnēzĩ       |
| 1st dual     | fnēzũ      | fnēzĩw      |
| 2nd dual     | fnēzudz    | fnēzĩdz     |
| 1st plural   | fnēzum     | fnēzĩm      |
| 2nd plural   | fnēzud     | fnēzĩd      |
| 3rd plural   | fnēzun     | fnēzĩn      |

## Non-finite Forms

| Infinitive | Present Participle | Past Participle |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| fnesana    | fnesandz           | fnezanz         |

# Descendants

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\***fnesan** (Proto-West Germanic)

**fnesan** (Old English)

**fnesen** (Middle English)

**sneeze** (English)

**sneeze** (Scots)

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