

*knikkōṇa

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Pronunciation: /'knik.kɔː.nã/

verb · Weak class 2

Meanings

to snap, fold

Etymology

From a morphologically obscure formation related to *knewa ('knee') + *-lōṇa ('frequentative verbal suffix'), perhaps reinforced by sound-symbolism.

Conjugation

Present active

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive	Imperative
1st singular	knikkō	knikkō	—
2nd singular	knikkōsi	knikkōs	knikkō
3rd singular	knikkōpi	knikkō	knikkōpau
1st dual	knikkōs	knikkōw	—
2nd dual	knikkōpiz	knikkōpiz	knikkōpiz
1st plural	knikkōmaz	knikkōm	—
2nd plural	knikkōp	knikkōp	knikkōp
3rd plural	knikkōṇpi	knikkōn	knikkōṇpau

Present passive

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive
1st singular	knikkōi	–
2nd singular	knikkōsai	knikkōsau
3rd singular	knikkōpai	knikkōpau
1st dual	–	–
2nd dual	–	–
1st plural	knikkōnpai	knikkōnpau
2nd plural	knikkōnpai	knikkōnpau
3rd plural	knikkōnpai	knikkōnpau

Past

Person	Indicative	Subjunctive
1st singular	knikkōdō	knikkōdēdī
2nd singular	knikkōdēz	knikkōdēdīz
3rd singular	knikkōdē	knikkōdēdī
1st dual	knikkōdēdū	knikkōdēdīw
2nd dual	knikkōdēdudz	knikkōdēdīdz
1st plural	knikkōdēdum	knikkōdēdīm
2nd plural	knikkōdēdud	knikkōdēdīd
3rd plural	knikkōdēdun	knikkōdēdīn

Non-finite Forms

Infinitive	Present Participle	Past Participle
knikkōnā	knikkōndz	knikkōdaz

Descendants

- ? (Proto-West Germanic)
 - ? (Old Dutch)
 - cnicken** (Middle Dutch)
 - knikken** (Dutch)
 - knik** (Afrikaans)

- ? (Proto-West Germanic)
 - ? (Old High German)
 - ? (Middle High German)
 - knicken** (German)

- ? (Old Norse)
 - knikka** (Norwegian)

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