

***mōmō** Runic: 𐍏𐍅𐍏𐍅 Pronunciation: /'mɔ:.mɔ:/

noun · feminine · ōn-stem

Meanings

1. mama, mother
2. aunt, auntie

Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European *méh₂-meh₂-, reduplication of a base *méh₂- ('mama, mother'). Cognate with Latin *mamma* ('mother, mama, nurse'), Lithuanian *māma*, *momà* ('mother'), Latvian *māma* ('mother'), Old Irish *muimme* ('foster mother'), Irish *mam* ('mother').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	mōmō	mōmōniz
Acc.	mōmōnų	mōmōnunz
Gen.	mōmōniz	mōmōnġ
Dat.	mōmōni	mōmōmaz
Inst.	mōmōnē	mōmōmiz
Voc.	mōmō	mōmōniz

Descendants

***mōmā** (Proto-West Germanic)

***muoma** (Old Dutch)

moeme, mone, moene, moyne, memme, mamme (Middle Dutch)

moene, mem, mam (Dutch)

meun (Limburgish)

***mōmā** (Proto-West Germanic)

***mōme** (Old English)

mome, mone (Middle English)

mama, mam, mammy, mom, mommy, mum, mummy, minnie (English)

mam, mamie, minnie, min (Scots)

***mōmā** (Proto-West Germanic)

***mōme** (Old Frisian)

Māme (Saterland Frisian)

mem, mâm, memme, mâme (West Frisian)

***mōmā** (Proto-West Germanic)

muoma (Old High German)

muome, mamme, memme (Middle High German)

? (Alemannic German)

Muhme, Mamme (German)

מומע (mume) (Yiddish)

***mōmā** (Proto-West Germanic)

muoma (Old High German)

muome, mamme, memme (Middle High German)

Möhn, Mehn, Mihn, Mihm (Central Franconian)

Mimm (Luxembourgish)

***mōmā** (Proto-West Germanic)

mōma, *mōme (Old Saxon)

mōme, mōne, mōme (Middle Low German)

Mohme (Low German)

Mohm, Möhm (German Low German)

***móma** (Old Norse)

muna (Elfdalian)

móna (Icelandic)

minnie (Scots)

muna, liusmuna (Swedish)

móna (Old Norse)

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