

ITALIAN -IRE VERBS (REGULAR + ISC)

1) Match each regular Italian -IRE verb to its meaning.

- a. capire _____ to build
- b. finire _____ to open
- c. aprire _____ to clean
- d. offrire _____ to finish
- e. partire _____ to feel / hear
- f. scoprire _____ to wear / dress
- g. preferire _____ to prefer
- h. pulire _____ to send
- i. vestire _____ to understand
- j. costruire _____ to discover
- k. spedire _____ to leave
- l. sentire _____ to offer

-IRE Verb Endings



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tu	i
lui / lei	e
noi	iamo
voi	ite
loro	ono



**Don't forget to: 1) take off the -IRE first and 2) check to see if it is an "ISC" verb!*

2) Conjugate each of the verbs given, then translate into English.

- a. noi + servire _____
- b. io + pulire _____
- c. loro + sentire _____
- d. lei + partire _____
- e. voi + offrire _____
- f. tu + finire _____
- g. lui + preferire _____
- h. io + aprire _____
- i. noi + scoprire _____
- j. loro + dormire _____

3) Translate the subject-verb pair into Italian.

- a. I prefer _____
- b. We leave _____
- c. He sleeps _____
- d. They clean _____
- e. You (sing) offer _____



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| a. noi + servire | noi serviamo | We serve |
| b. io + pulire | io pulisco | I clean |
| c. loro + sentire | loro sentono | They feel / hear |
| d. lei + partire | lei parte | She leaves |
| e. voi + offrire | voi offrite | You (plural) offer |
| f. tu + finire | tu finisci | You (sing) finish |
| g. lui + preferire | lui preferisce | He prefers |
| h. io + aprire | io apro | I open |
| i. noi + scoprire | noi scopriamo | We discover |
| j. loro + dormire | loro dormono | They sleep |

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| a. I prefer | Io preferisco |
| b. We leave | Noi partiamo |
| c. He sleeps | Lui dorme |
| d. They clean | Loro puliscono |
| e. You (sing) offer | Tu offri |