

Strong Verb Cheatsheet v. 1.1

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infinitive	3s pres. ind.	1st preterite	2nd preterite	past participle
bēodan ² 'offer, command'	bīett	bēad	budon	boden
beorgan ³ 'protect'	bierhð	bearh	burgon	borgen
beran ⁴ 'bear'	birð	bær	bæron	boren
berstan ³ 'burst'	birst	bærst	burston	borsten
beswīcan ¹ 'lead astray'	beswīcð	beswāc	beswicon	beswicen
bīdan ¹ 'wait'	bītt	bād	bidon	biden
biddan ⁵ 'ask'	bitt	bæd	bædon	beden
bindan ³ 'bind'	bint	band	bundon	bunden
bītan ¹ 'bite'	bītt	bāt	biton	biten
brēgdan ³ 'pull, unsheath'	britt	brægd	brugdon	brogden
brūcan ² 'use, enjoy'	brȳcð	brēac	brucon	brocen
cnāwan ⁷ 'know'	cnāwð	cnēow	cnēowon	cnāwen
crēopan ² 'creep'	criepð	crēap	crupon	cropen
cuman ⁴ 'come'	cymð	c(w)ōm	c(w)ōmon	cumen
cweðan ⁵ 'say'	cwiðð	cwæp	cwædon	cweden
dragan ⁶ 'draw, pull'	dræhð	drōh	drōgon	dragen
drēogan ² 'endure'	driehð	drēah	drugon	drogen
drēosan ² 'fall'	driest	drēas	druron	dronen
drepan ⁵ 'strike'	dripð	dræp	dræpon	drepen
drīfan ¹ 'drive'	driðð	drāf	drifon	drifen
drincan ³ 'drink'	drincð	dranc	druncon	druncen
etan ⁵ 'eat'	itt	æt	æton	eten
faran ⁶ 'go'	færð	fōr	fōron	faren
feallan ⁷ 'fall'	fielð	fēoll	fēollon	feallen
feohtan ³ 'fight'	fiht	feaht	fuhton	fohten
findan ³ 'find'	fint	fand	fundon	funden
flēogan ² 'fly'	fliehð	flēah	flugon	flogen
flēon ² 'fly'	fliehð	flēah	flugon	flogen
forlēosan ² 'lose'	forliest	forlēas	forluron	forloren
frēosan ² 'freeze'	frīest	frēas	fruron	frozen
fretan ⁵ 'devour'	fritt	fræt	fræton	freten
frīgnan ³ 'ask'	frigned	frægn	frugnon	frugnen
galan ⁶ 'sing'	gælð	gōl	gōlon	galen
gangan ⁷ 'go'	ganged	gēong	gēongon	gangen
gēotan ² 'pour'	giett	gēat	guton	goten
giefan ⁵ 'give'	giefð	geaf	gēafon	giefen
gieldan ³ 'pay'	gielt	geald	guldon	golden
glīdan ¹ 'glide'	glītt	glād	glidon	gliden
grōwan ⁷ 'grow'	grēwð	grēow	grēowon	grōwen
hātan ⁷ 'command'	hætt	hēt	hēton	hāten
healdan ⁷ 'hold'	hielt	hēold	hēoldon	healden
hebban ⁶ 'raise'	hefeð	hōf	hōfon	hafen
helpan ³ 'help'	hilpð	healp	hulpon	holpen
hladan ⁶ 'load'	hladeð	hlōd	hlōdon	hladen
hlēapan ⁷ 'jump, run'	hliēpð	hlēop	hlēopon	hlēapen
hliehhan ⁶ 'laugh'	hlihð	hlōh	hlōgon	hlagen
hweorfan ³ 'turn'	hwierfð	hwearf	hwurfon	hworfen
lāetan ⁷ 'let'	lætt	lēt	lēton	lāeten
lēogan ² 'lie, deceive'	liehð	lēah	lugon	logen
licgan ⁵ 'lie, rest'	lið	læg	lægon	lēgen

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ġelimpan ³ 'happen'	ġelimpð	ġelamp	ġelumpon	ġelumpen
līþan ¹ 'travel, voyage'	liðð	lāþ	lidon	liden
lūcan ² 'lock'	lȳcð	lēac	lucon	locen
nīman ⁴ 'take'	nīmð	nam	nāmon	numen
onginnan ³ 'begin'	onginð	ongan	ongunnon	ongunnen
rædan ⁷ 'advise'	rætt	rēd	rēdon	ræden
rīpan ¹ 'reap'	rīpð	rāp	ripon	ripen
rīdan ¹ 'ride'	rītt	rād	ridon	riden
rīsan ¹ 'rise'	rīst	rās	rison	risen
sāwan ⁷ 'sow'	sæwð	sēow	sēowon	sāwen
sceððan ⁶ 'injure'	sceðeð	scōd	scōdon	scaden
scieppan ⁶ 'create'	sciepð	scōp	scōpon	sceapen
scriþan ¹ 'go, glide'	scriðð	scrāð	scridon	scriden
scūfan ² 'push'	scyfð	sceaf	scufon	scofen
sēon ⁵ 'see'	sihð	seah	sāwon	sawen
sēoþan ² 'boil'	sieðð	sēað	sudon	soden
singan ³ 'sing'	singð	sang	sungon	sungen
sittan ⁵ 'sit'	sitt	sæt	sæton	seten
slæpan ⁷ 'sleep'	slæpð	slēp	slēpon	slæpen
snīðan ¹ 'cut'	snīðð	snāð	snidon	sniden
specan ⁵ 'speak'	spicð	spæc	spæcon	specen
sprecan ⁵ 'speak'	spricð	spræc	spræcon	sprecen
standan ⁶ 'stand'	stent	stōd	stōdon	standen
stelan ⁴ 'steal'	stilð	stæl	stælon	stolen
stæppan ⁶ 'step'	stæpð	stōp	stōpon	stapen
stīgan ¹ 'ascend, descend'	stīhð	stāh	stigon	stigen
streġdan ³ 'strew, scatter'	stritt	stræġd	strugdon	strogden
swefan ⁵ 'sleep'	swefeð	swæf	swæfon	swefen
sweltan ³ 'die'	swilt	swealt	swulton	swolten
swerian ⁶ 'swear'	swereð	swōr	swōron	sworen
tredan ⁵ 'walk'	tritt	træd	trædon	treden
þicgan ⁵ 'receive'	þigeð	þeah	þægon	þegen
þringan ³ 'press'	þringð	þrang	þrungon	þrunge
wadan ⁶ 'go'	wadeð	wōd	wōdon	waden
wealdan ⁷ 'rule, wield'	wielt	wēold	wēoldon	wealden
weorpan ³ 'throw'	wierpð	wearp	wurpon	worpen
weorðan ³ 'become'	wierð	wearþ	wurdon	worden
winnan ³ 'strive'	winð	wann	wunnon	wunnen
wrecan ⁵ 'avenge'	wricð	wræc	wræcon	wrecen
wrītan ¹ 'write'	wrītt	wrāt	writon	writen

NB:

- I have chosen to represent one spelling per form, but often multiple exist;
- The translations are similarly reductionist;
- The list contains numerous reconstructed forms, especially in the 2nd, 3rd, and 5th columns;
- Tip: use the second to fifth columns during your readings to find a verb's infinitive when you can't figure out what verb you are dealing with.