

# Marathi for Beginners

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## Lesson 1: English – Marathi: Have = कडे असणे (kaḍe asaṇe)

Master the English – Marathi verb of possession: have = कडे असणे (kaḍe asaṇe). We'll drill the essentials – have, I have, you have, he has, she has, it has, we have, you have (plural), they have – with clear examples like माझ्याकडे आहे (mājhyākāḍe āhe) and आमच्याकडे आहे (āmachyākāḍe āhe). Fun dialogues, quick quizzes, and cultural tips help you use ...कडे आहे (...kaḍe āhe) in real life. Perfect for beginners who want a friendly, fast path to speaking.

## Welcome to SynapseLingo

Hey you – great to have you here! Let's make 'have' in Marathi easy and fun.

This show is brought to you by SynapseLingo – grab more resources at [www.synapse-lingo.com](http://www.synapse-lingo.com). Today's key words: have, I have, you have, he has, she has, it has, we have, you have, they have. In Marathi, 'to have' is कडे असणे (kaḍe asaṇe) – literally 'to be at/with'. Stick around for jokes, drills, and a quick quiz!



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## Your goal today – have = कडे असणे (kaḍe asaṇe)

By the end, you'll say every form without thinking. You've got this!

Marathi expresses possession as 'with X is': for example, 'I have' = माझ्याकडे आहे (mājhyākāḍe āhe). We'll map each English form to a snappy Marathi phrase you can use right away.

## Forms fast lane

Repeat after me; I'll leave a beat between each.

- I have → माझ्याकडे आहे (mājhyākāḍe āhe)
- you have (informal) → तुझ्याकडे आहे (tujhyākāḍe āhe)
- he has → त्याच्याकडे आहे (tyācyākāḍe āhe)
- she has → तिच्याकडे आहे (tichyākāḍe āhe)
- it has → त्याच्याकडे आहे (tyācyākāḍe āhe)
- we have → आमच्याकडे आहे (āmachyākāḍe āhe)
- you have (plural/formal) → तुमच्याकडे आहे (tum-chyākāḍe āhe)
- they have → त्यांच्याकडे आहे (tyānchyākāḍe āhe)

## Comedy dialogue at the door

Listen, smile, and repeat the bold bits.

- You: Do you have the keys? Friend: Relax – 'I have'  
→ माझ्याकडे आहे (mājhyākāḍe āhe).

- You: Wait... no, 'you have (informal)' → तुझ्याकडे आहे (tujhyākāḍe āhe) – they're literally in your hand!
- Narrator: Crisis averted. He has the map → त्याच्याकडे आहे नकाशा (tyācyaākāḍe āhe nakāśā).
- Update: She has the tickets → तिच्याकडे आहे तिकिटे (tichyaākāḍe āhe ṭikiṭe).
- Tech check: It has GPS → त्याच्याकडे आहे जीपीएस (tyā-cyākāḍe āhe jīpīes).
- Team flex: We have snacks → आमच्याकडे आहे खाऊ (āmachyaākāḍe āhe khāū).
- Class shout: You have water (plural) → तुमच्याकडे आहे पाणी (tumchyaākāḍe āhe pāṇī).
- Grand finale: They have the charger → त्यांच्याकडे आहे चार्जर (tyānchyaākāḍe āhe cārjar).

## Beat drill: snap and say

Clap the rhythm, then speak with confidence.

- I have a book → माझ्याकडे पुस्तक आहे (mājhyākāḍe pustak āhe).
- Do you have any questions? → तुझ्याकडे काही प्रश्न आहेत का? (tujhyākāḍe kāhī praśna āhēt kā?)
- He has time today → त्याच्याकडे आज वेळ आहे (tyā-cyākāḍe āj veḷ āhe).
- We have the keys → आमच्याकडे किल्ल्या आहेत (āmachyaākāḍe killyā āhēt).
- They have it → त्यांच्याकडे आहे (tyānchyaākāḍe āhe).

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## Culture tip: the ‘with-me-is’ trick

Think ‘with me it is’ – that’s how Marathi shows ‘have’.

Use ...कडे आहे (...kaḍe āhe) for possession, not for activities. Don’t say ‘I have breakfast’ with ‘have’; instead say ‘I do breakfast’ → मी नाश्ता करतो (mī nāśtā kartō) (m), or मी नाश्ता करते (mī nāśtā kartē) (f), using करणे (karणे). For “I don’t have,” say माझ्याकडे नाही (mājhyākāḍe nāhī).

## Quick quiz

Answer out loud; I’ll reveal the solution after a short pause.

- Translate: we have → आमच्याकडे आहे (āmachyākāḍe āhe).
- Translate: he has → त्याच्याकडे आहे (tyācyākāḍe āhe).
- Translate: it has a red cover → त्याच्याकडे लाल कव्हर आहे (tyācyākāḍe lāl kavhar āhe).
- Translate (plural/formal): you have → तुमच्याकडे आहे (tumchyākāḍe āhe).

## Final challenge chain

Say the whole chain smoothly – then we’ll echo it together.

- Say: I have, you have, he has, she has, it has, we have, you have (plural), they have.
- Marathi echo: माझ्याकडे आहे (mājhyākāḍe āhe); तुझ्याकडे आहे (tujhyākāḍe āhe); त्याच्याकडे आहे (tyācyākāḍe āhe); तिच्याकडे आहे (tichyākāḍe āhe); त्याच्याकडे आहे (tyācyākāḍe āhe); आमच्याकडे आहे (āmachyākāḍe āhe); तुमच्याकडे आहे (tumchyākāḍe āhe); त्यांच्याकडे आहे (tyānchyākāḍe āhe).

## Goodbye and keep going!

Nice work – your brain officially ‘has’ this!

Thanks for listening. Keep practicing ‘have’ = कडे असणे (kaḍe asaṇe), and revisit the forms anytime. For more lessons and freebies, visit [www.synapse-lingo.com](http://www.synapse-lingo.com). See you next time!

## Lesson 2: English – Marathi: be = असणे (asaṇe) – I am, you are

Bite-size practice for the English – Marathi verb “to be.” Hear and repeat core forms – मी आहे (mī āhe), तू आहेस (tū āhēs), तो/ती/ते आहे, आम्ही आहोत, तुम्ही आहात, ते आहेत – through mini dialogues, call-and-response drills, and a quick quiz. Great for beginners and anyone refreshing pronunciation and basics.

### Welcome to SynapseLingo

Hey you, great to have you here! This podcast is brought to you by SynapseLingo – grab more free resources at [www.synapse-lingo.com](http://www.synapse-lingo.com).

- Today we power up your ‘to be’ superpower in Marathi: be = असणे (asaṇe).
- By the end, you’ll say ‘I am,’ ‘you are,’ and more with a smile. Ready?

### Your forms today

Quick map first – repeat after me for smooth pronunciation.

- The infinitive ‘be’ = असणे (asaṇe).

- I am = मी आहे (mī āhe).
- You are (singular, friendly) = तू आहेस (tū āhēs).
- He is = तो आहे (to āhe).
- She is = ती आहे (tī āhe).
- It is / that is = ते आहे (te āhe).
- We are = आम्ही आहोत (āmhī āhōt).
- You are (plural/formal) = तुम्ही आहात (tumhī āhāt).
- They are = ते आहेत (te āhēt).

## Mini dialogue at the door

Let's act it out – short, funny, and super usable. You're the star!

- You (knocking): I am here! मी आहे (mī āhe).
- Friend: Great, you are early – तू आहेस (tū āhēs) early!
- You (pointing): He is the DJ – तो आहे (to āhe) DJ.
- Friend (whispering): She is the boss – ती आहे (tī āhe) boss.
- You (holding a box): It is heavy – ते आहे (te āhe) heavy.
- Both (cheering): We are ready – आम्ही आहोत (āmhī āhōt) ready!
- You (to the group arriving): You are legends – तुम्ही आहात (tumhī āhāt) legends!
- Friend (at the gate): They are here – ते आहेत (te āhēt) Party on!

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## Call-and-response drill

Say it out loud – your brain loves the echo. I cue, you answer.

- Say: I am at home. → मी घरी आहे (mī gharī āhe).
- Say: You are ready. (singular) → तू तयार आहेस (tū tayār āhēs).
- Say: He is my friend. → तो माझा मित्र आहे (to mājha mitra āhe).
- Say: She is a teacher. → ती शिक्षिका आहे (tī śikṣikā āhe).
- Say: It is on the table. → ते टेबलावर आहे (te ṭēbalāvar āhe).
- Say: We are friends. → आम्ही मित्र आहोत (āmhi mitra āhōt).
- Say: You are winners. (plural) → तुम्ही विजेते आहात (tumhi vijetē āhāt).
- Say: They are here. → ते इथे आहेत (te ithē āhēt).

## Culture tip

Tiny tips, big gains.

Marathi ‘to be’ changes with person and number: आहे (āhe) (is), आहोत (āhōt) (we are), आहात (āhāt) (you plural/formal are), आहेत (āhēt) (they are). For quick IDs, point and say ‘It is...’ → ते आहे (te āhe); with people, use gendered pronouns like ‘he is’ → तो आहे (to āhe), ‘she is’ → ती आहे (tī āhe).

## Lightning quiz

Fast and fun – answer out loud!

- Q1: What's the Marathi infinitive for 'be'? A: असणे (asaṇe).
- Q2: Say 'I am'. A: मी आहे (mī āhe).
- Q3: Say 'you are' (singular). A: तू आहेस (tū āhēs).
- Q4: Say 'he is' and 'she is'. A: तो आहे (to āhe), ती आहे (tī āhe).
- Q5: Say 'it is'. A: ते आहे (te āhe).
- Q6: Say 'we are'. A: आम्ही आहोत (āmhī āhōt).
- Q7: Say 'you are' (plural/formal). A: तुम्ही आहात (tumhī āhāt).
- Q8: Say 'they are'. A: ते आहेत (te āhēt).

## Final challenge + wrap-up

One last boost – then victory dance.

- Challenge: In one breath, say them all – मी आहे (mī āhe), तू आहेस (tū āhēs), तो आहे (to āhe), ती आहे (tī āhe), ते आहे (te āhe), आम्ही आहोत (āmhī āhōt), तुम्ही आहात (tumhī āhāt), ते आहेत (te āhēt).
- You crushed it! Thanks for learning with SynapseLingo – practice daily, revisit this episode, and grab more goodies at [www.synapse-lingo.com](http://www.synapse-lingo.com). See you next time!



## Lesson 3: English – Marathi: go = जाणे (jāṇe)

Learn English – Marathi vocabulary with a fun focus on the verb “go” = जाणे (jāṇe) and its everyday forms. Practice: go, I go, you go, he goes, she goes, it goes, we go, you (plural) go, they go – e.g., मी जातो (mī jāto), तुम्ही जाता (tumhī jātā), ते जातात (te jātāt). Perfect for learners searching “English Marathi learn,” “Marathi verb to go conjugation,” and “present tense practice.” Short, upbeat, and practical for real-life speaking.

### Welcome – let’s say जाणे (jāṇe)

Hey you! This show is brought to you by SynapseLingo – your smart route to languages. Pop over to [www.synapse-lingo.com](http://www.synapse-lingo.com) for more resources.

Today you’ll master English to Marathi for “go” in real talk and real laughs. Your shoes already RSVP’d: they said, “We go.” You reply in Marathi: आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto). Let’s roll!

### Your goal today

By the end, you’ll say every key form without overthinking. Ready to flex?

- go → जाणे (jāṇe)

- I go → मी जातो (mī jāto)
- you go (informal sing.) → तू जातोस (tū jātos)
- he goes → तो जातो (to jāto)
- she goes → ती जाते (tī jāte)
- it goes (that's acceptable) → ते चालते (te chālte)
- we go → आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto)
- you (plural) go → तुम्ही जाता (tumhī jātā)
- they go → ते जातात (te jātāt)

## Beat drill – step and say

Clap, step, smile. Your mouth is the drummer, your feet are the band.

- Clap-clap: I go – मी जातो (mī jāto).
- Stomp-stomp: you go – तू जातोस (tū jātos).
- Click-click: he goes – तो जातो (to jāto); she goes – ती जाते (tī jāte).
- Snap-snap: we go – आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto).
- Wave-wave: you (plural) go – तुम्ही जाता (tumhī jātā).
- Nod-okay: it goes – ते चालते (te chālte).
- Final groove: they go – ते जातात (te jātāt).

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## Mini dialogue – the door test

Act this out – yes, literally stand near a door. Humor unlocks memory.

- A: Are we late? B: We go – आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto).
- A: You (plural) go first – तुम्ही जाता (tumhī jātā). I'll follow.
- B: He goes to get the keys – तो जातो (to jāto). She goes to call a cab – ती जाते (tī jāte).
- A: The wobbly plan? It goes – ते चालते (te chālte).
- B: They go now – ते जातात (te jātāt).
- A: And me? I go – मी जातो (mī jāto). You (sing.) go too – तू जातोस (tū jātos).

## Culture tip – moving together

Language lives in culture; picture the motion as you speak.

Think of the Pandharpur Wari pilgrimage: groups singing as they walk – “they go” becomes ते जातात (te jātāt). Mumbai’s dabbawalas? “We go” is आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto) – on time, every time. Your team plan isn’t perfect before a festival? Shrug with a smile: ते चालते (te chālte).

## Quick quiz – you’ve got this

Answer out loud. Your sofa won’t judge. I asked it.

- 1) Translate: you (plural) go. Answer: तुम्ही जाता (tumhī jātā).
- 2) Translate: she goes. Answer: ती जाते (tī jāte).

- 3) Translate: they go. Answer: ते जातात (te jātāt).
- 4) Translate: we go. Answer: आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto).
- 5) Translate: it goes (meaning “that’s acceptable”). Answer: ते चालते (te chālte).

## Lightning forms – say them fast

Speed round! Repeat right after me.

- go – जाणे (jāṇe)
- I go – मी जातो (mī jāto)
- you go – तू जातोस (tū jātos)
- he goes – तो जातो (to jāto)
- she goes – ती जाते (tī jāte)
- we go – आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto)
- you (plural) go – तुम्ही जाता (tumhī jātā)
- they go – ते जातात (te jātāt)
- it goes – ते चालते (te chālte)

## Challenge – door to street

Build one mini-story using every form. I’ll model it first.

- Model: I go मी जातो (mī jāto), you go तू जातोस (tū jātos), he goes तो जातो (to jāto), she goes ती जाते (tī jāte); we go आम्ही जातो (āmhī jāto), you (plural) go तुम्ही जाता (tumhī jātā), they go ते जातात (te jātāt) – and this plan? it goes ते चालते (te chālte)... because the verb is ‘go’ जाणे (jāṇe)!