

● **ENGLSKI ZA RADOZNALE** jun 2017.

**Malo „mozganja“, malo vežbanja**

**Sounds**

**1. Put each of the following words in its correct place in the sentences below:**

*bang clatter crash creak roar rumble rustle splash squeal whistle*

- a) We heard a \_\_\_\_\_ of tyres. It was a police-car turning a corner at top speed.
- b) The plates and glasses fell to the floor with a \_\_\_\_\_ .
- c) We live near the airport and there's a terrible \_\_\_\_\_ every time a plane goes overhead.
- d) The day was very quiet and we could hear the \_\_\_\_\_ of leaves in the wind.
- e) He fell into the water with a great \_\_\_\_\_ .
- f) I heard a \_\_\_\_\_ . It sounded like a gun-shot.
- g) It was an enormous, heavy, old, wooden door and it used to \_\_\_\_\_ loudly when anyone opened it.
- h) It was the best football match I've ever seen. Both teams played hard until the final \_\_\_\_\_ .
- i) The metal tray fell down the stone stairs with a \_\_\_\_\_ .
- j) I could hear the \_\_\_\_\_ of thunder in the distance.

**Key:** bang – f; clatter – i; crash – b; creak – g; roar – c; rumble – j; rustle – d; splash – e; squeal – a; whistle – h;

## 2. Match each animal with the sound it makes

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| a) monkey   | bark, growl   |
| b) lion     | bleat         |
| c) dog      | bray          |
| d) cat      | buzz          |
| e) horse    | chatter       |
| f) hen      | cluck         |
| g) cock     | croak         |
| h) bee      | crow          |
| i) cow      | grunt, squeal |
| j) sheep    | hiss          |
| k) elephant | howl          |
| l) pig      | miaow, purr   |
| m) donkey   | moo           |
| n) frog     | neigh         |
| o) snake    | quack         |
| p) duck     | roar          |
| q) wolf     | squeak        |
| r) mouse    | trumpet       |

**Key:** bee – buzz; cat – miaow, purr; cock – crow; cow – moo; dog – bark, growl; donkey – bray; duck – quack; elephant – trumpet; frog – croak; hen – cluck; horse – neigh; lion – roar; monkey – chatter; mouse – squeak; pig – grunt, squeal; sheep – bleat; snake – hiss; wolf – howl;

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