

Mother Tongue Festival

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Slovakia



Slovakia's Neighbours



Reigons



Places in Slovakia





Bratislava

**Capital City of
Slovakia**





Vysoké Tatry

The High Tatras





Caves

**Slovakia has an more 2,500
caves, of which only 400
have been explored**





Košice

My Home City



Traditions





Bryndzové Halušky
Sheep Cheese Dumplings

Traditional Dress





Holidays

**And now...let's learn
some Slovak!**



Our Unnecessarily Complicated Alphabet

A Á Ä B C Č D Ď
DZ DŽ E É F G H
CH I Í J K L L' L
M N Ň O Ó Ô P
Q R Ř S Š T Ť U
Ú V W X Y Ý Z Ž

Hello! – **Ahoj!**

Prosim – **Please**

How are you? – **Ako sa máš?**

Dakujem – **Thank you**

What are you call? – **Ako sa voláš?**

I am called ... – **Ja sa volám ...**

Goodbye! – **Dovidenia! Zbohom!**

And now for some tongue twisters!

- Šašo suší osušku – A clown dries a towel
- Pes spí, psi spia – A dog sleeps, dogs sleep.
- **Išli krti na maškrtý: prvý, druhý, tretí, tvrtý. Piaty robil nanič vrty, nevzali ho na maškrtý** – The moles went to a feast: the first, the second, the third, the fourth. The fifth made a mess, they did not take him to the feast.



**And let's finish off with
a song!**



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What does a train, what does a train dream about?

O tom, že si kúpi vagón,

About how one it will buy a wagon

plný sladkých dyní.

full of sweet watermelons.

Že raz pôjdu za jej vlakom,

About how one day behind its carriage will trail

trojfarebné dymy.

three-coloured smoke plumes

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Thank you for listening! :)

