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- 4@0259 (zdravéy) – Hello
- 4@0AB8 (zdrásti) – Hi
- >1@> CB@> (dobró útro) – Good morning
- >1J@ 45= (dóbYr dén) – Good day
- >1J@ 25G5@ (dóbYr vécher) – Good evening
- 5:0 =>I (léka nósht) – Good night
- >28640=5 (dovízhdane) – Good-bye
- 0: A5 :0720H? (kak se kazvash) – What is your name (informal)?
- >9 A8 B8? (kóy si ti) [*informal, masculine*] – Who are you?
- >O A8 B8? (k>yá si ti) [*informal, feminine*] – Who are you?
- >9 AB5 285? (kóy ste víe) [*formal, masculine*]
- >O AB5 285? (k>yá ste víe) [*formal, feminine*] – Who are you?

(In the above two examples, the formal expression uses a plural verb but a singular pronoun, which allows speakers to distinguish the two grammatical forms.)

- >8 AB5 285? (k>í ste víe) [*plural form*] – Who are you?
- 0: A8? (kák si) [*informal*] – How are you?
- 0: AB5? (kák sté) [*formal, and also plural form*] – How are you?
- 0 (dá) – Yes
- 5 (né) – No
- >65 18 (mózhe bí) – Maybe
- 0:2> ?@028H? (kakvó právish) [*informal*] – What are you doing?
- 0:2> ?@028B5? (kakvó právite) [*formal, and also plural form*] – What are you doing?
- >1@5 AJ< (dobré sYm) – I'm fine
- A8G:> [=09-]EC102> (vsíchko [nay-]húbavo) – All the best
- >74@028 (pózdravi) – Regards
- ;03>40@O (blagodaryY) [*formal and informal*] – Thank you
- >;O (mólya) – Please
- >;O (mólia) – You're welcome
- 728=5B5! (izvinéte) [*formal*] – Excuse me!
- 728=O209! (izvinyávai) [*informal*] – Sorry!
- 18G0< B5! (obícham te) – I love you!
- >;> 5 G0AJB? (kólko e chasY t) – What's the time?
- >2>@8B5 ;8...? (govórite li...) – Do you speak...?

...0=3;89A:8 (anglíyski) – English ...1J;30@A:8 (bY lgarski) – Bulgarian ...=5<A:8 (némski) – German
...?>;A:8 (polski) – Polish ...@CA:8 (ruski) – Russian ...E>;0=4A:8 (holándski) – Dutch ...3@JF:8 (grY tski) –
Greek ...A@J1A:8 (srY bski) – Serbian ...8B0;80=A:8 (italiánski) – Italian ...8A?0=A:8 (ispánski) – Spanish
...D@5=A:8 (frénski) – French ...O?>=A:8 (yapónski) – Japanese ...:8B09A:8 (kitáyski) – Chinese

...:>@59A:8 (koréyski) – Korean ...0@01A:8 (arabski) – Arabic

-)5 A5 2848< A:>@> (shtë sé vídim skóro) – We'll see each other soon
-)5 A5 2848< CB@5 (shtë sé vídim útre) – We'll see each other tomorrow

Also, some very frequent expressions have been borrowed from other languages. Most of them are somewhat informal.

- 5@A8 (mersí) – Thank you; from French (although this word is probably even more common than native " ;03>40@O", it is inappropriate in very official or solemn contexts)
- '0> (cháo) – Bye; from Italian (the informal counterpart of native " >28640=5", this word is more common than the native)
- CC?ep (súper) – Super; (from English, colloquial; note – "Super" remains the same regardless of quantity or gender, although an even more colloquial adjective AC?5@A:8 (súperski) does decline as usual)
- A;> (álo) – Hello on the phone; from French (unlike the above, this word is stylistically neutral).
- 4@025 40 5! (zdràve da e) – lit. "may there (at least) be health" (used when things have not gone as well as the speaker might have hoped.)

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