

Selected Reflexive Verbs and their Participles

This list is intended to provide you with some verbs and their participial forms.
 The English equivalents here are only a quick reminder of the meanings.
 Please refer to your other material for full examples of the meanings.
 All the participles on this list take the helping *haben* unless otherwise noted.

non-reflexive meaning	base verb	grammar notes	reflexive meaning	participle (takes <i>haben</i> unless noted)
amuse	amüsieren	(+ <i>bei</i> + <i>dat</i>)	have fun	amüsiert
put on	anziehen		get dressed	angezogen
annoy	ärgern	(+ <i>über</i> + <i>acc</i>)	get upset	geärgert
take off	ausziehen		get undressed	ausgezogen
†	beeilen		hurry	beeilt
to occupy	beschäftigen	(+ <i>mit</i> + <i>dat</i>)	be busy with	beschäftigt
break	brechen		‡	gebrochen
ease	entspannen		relax	entspannt
remind	erinnern	(+ <i>über</i> + <i>acc</i>)	remember	erinnert
†	erkälten		catch cold	erkältet
ask	fragen		wonder	gefragt
make happy	freuen	(+ <i>auf</i> + <i>acc</i>)	look forward to	gefreut
interest	interessieren	(+ <i>für</i> + <i>acc</i>)	be interested in	interessiert
comb hair	kämmen		comb hair	gekämmt
give, offer	leisten	(+ <i>dat</i> + <i>dir obj</i>)	afford	geleistet
clean, scrub	putzen		‡	geputzt
shave	rasieren		shave	rasiert
tow	schleppen		crawl	geschleppt
cut	schneiden		cut	geschnitten
set	setzen		sit down	gesetzt
bump	stoßen (stößt)		‡	gestoßen
hit	treffen	(<i>mit</i> + <i>dat</i>)	meet	getroffen
move	umziehen		change clothes	umgezogen*
entertain	unterhalten	(<i>mit</i> + <i>dat</i>)	chat	unterhalten
hurt	verletzen		hurt	verletzt
twist	verrenken		‡	verrenkt
jamb	verstauchen		‡	verstaucht
hide	verstecken		hide	versteckt
understand	verstehen		get along with	verstanden
prepare	vorbereiten	(<i>auf</i> + <i>acc</i>)	get ready for	vorbereitet
wash	waschen		get cleaned up	gewaschen
surprise	wundern	(<i>über</i> + <i>acc</i>)	be surprised	gewundert

† must always be used with the reflexive pronoun

‡ has same meaning with or without reflexive

*non-reflexive takes *sein*