

Gerunds and Infinitives

1. She will often panic if there is a problem.
TENDENCY
She _____ if there
is a problem.
2. I was surprised when he said he wouldn't work overtime.
REFUSAL
His _____ surprised me.
3. Don't bother to read that book. It's not very good.
WORTH
It _____ book.
4. Shall I carry your bag for you?
LIKE
Would _____ your bag for you?
5. He tried very hard to give up junk food.
EFFORT
He _____ give up junk food.
6. I found it impossible not to laugh when he said that.
HELP
I _____ he said that.
7. If you don't leave now, you'll miss the bus.
BETTER
You _____ you don't want to miss the
bus.
8. I find it difficult to remember names.
DIFFICULTY
I _____ names.
9. They made us clean up the mess.
MADE
We _____ the mess.
10. She didn't like the fact that he had been treated so badly.
BEING
She objected _____.