



# Grammar challenge

verb, object + 'to' infinitive



This is a story about Ellie and her mom. Read the first sentence, and choose the most suitable verb to complete the second sentence. Read carefully between the quotation marks to understand well what the person is doing and then select the correct verb.

1. "Ellie, would you like to come to my party?"

Paula invited / instructed / obliged Ellie to go to the party.

2. "Mum, will you let me go to the party?"

Ellie encouraged / begged / asked her mum to let her go to the party.

3. "Please, please, please mum, PLEASE let me go to the party!"

She forced / begged / persuaded her mother to let her go to the party.

4. "Ellie, you are absolutely NOT allowed to go to the party."

Ellie's mum forbade / forced / allowed her to go to the party.



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5. "Now go upstairs and do your homework."

Ellie's mum advised / trained / ordered her to go upstairs and do her homework.

6. "And don't forget to tidy your room"

Ellie's mum reminded / begged / instructed her to tidy her room.

7. "Don't forget to clean under the bed, or there will be trouble!"

Ellie's mum advised / warned / encouraged her not to forget to clean under the bed.

