



Gerunds and infinitives

Choose the correct answer

1. I regret _____ more trips abroad when I was younger.
a. not to have b. not having had c. to not have d. having not
2. John was afraid _____ his previous error to his boss.
a. to mention b. mentioning c. of mentioning d. to be mentioning
3. They spent ages _____ to find the solution to the riddle.
a. to try b. try c. trying d. having to try
4. Having finished the lecture, the professor went on _____ our assignments.
a. explaining b. to explain c. explained d. to be explaining
5. Don't you think that Chris spend too long _____ his hair?
a. doing b. to do c. having done d. to be doing
6. We thanked him for _____ so generous with his donation to the institution.
a. him being b. having been c. to have been d. him to be
7. Weren't you supposed _____ the report by now? The manager is going to be furious if you're late.
a. to have finished b. to be finished c. to have been finished d. have finished
8. I hope you don't mind _____, but what do you plan to do next?
a. to be asking b. me to ask c. my asking d. me ask
9. _____ in this business for so long, I feel confident enough to face any challenge.
a. Having being b. Have to be c. To have been d. Having been
10. He claims _____ a profit of over 10 billion through his business, although not everyone believes him.
a. having made b. to have made c. to made d. being made