



# Ing or to ?

## ING

admit  
 appreciate  
 avoid  
 can't help  
 consider  
 delay  
 deny  
 discuss  
 dislike  
 enjoy  
 finish  
 give up  
 imagine  
 involve  
 mention  
 mind  
 miss  
 practise  
 suggest

### 1. Complete the sentences using to or ing

2. She **avoided** \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) him about her plans.
3. I **would like** \_\_\_\_\_ (come) to the party with you.
4. He **enjoys** \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a bath in the evening..
5. Do you **mind** \_\_\_\_\_ (give) me a hand?
6. She **helped** me \_\_\_\_\_ (carry) my suitcases.
7. He **decided** \_\_\_\_\_ (study) Biology.
8. I **dislike** \_\_\_\_\_ (wait).
9. He **asked** \_\_\_\_\_ (come) with us.
10. I **promise** \_\_\_\_\_ (help) you tomorrow.
11. We **discussed** \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the cinema, but in the end we stayed at \_\_\_\_\_
12. She **agreed** \_\_\_\_\_ (bring) the pudding.
13. I don't **recommend** \_\_\_\_\_ (take) the bus, it takes forever!
14. We **hope** \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) Amsterdam next month.
15. She **suggested** \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the museum.
16. They **plan** \_\_\_\_\_ (start) now

## TO

afford  
 agree  
 appear  
 arrange  
 ask  
 attempt  
 choose  
 decide  
 expect  
 fail\*  
 happen  
 help  
 hope  
 intend  
 learn  
 manage  
 offer  
 plan  
 prepare  
 pretend\*  
 promise  
 refuse  
 seem  
 tend  
 want  
 wish  
 would like

### Match the phrases in columns A and B to make statements about yourself

- A**
- 1 I hate
  - 2 I'm not very good at
  - 3 I'm good at
  - 4 I don't like
  - 5 I can't stand
  - 6 I'm interested in
  - 7 I don't mind
  - 8 I enjoy

- B**
- talking on the phone
  - working with a group or team
  - solving other people's problems
  - sitting in long meetings
  - working on weekends
  - eating lunch out every day
  - managing my time
  - learning foreign languages

### Complete the sentences with: Like, love, hate, don't mind, enjoy. Use TO or ING depending on the verb.

- I like \_\_\_\_\_ (ask) for help.
- I love \_\_\_\_\_ (use) a computer
- I don't mind \_\_\_\_\_ (work) with people
- I hate \_\_\_\_\_ (get up) early.
- I don't mind \_\_\_\_\_ (work) with numbers
- I enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ (cook) pasta
- I love \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) people what to do.
- I hate \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for people
- I love \_\_\_\_\_ (teach) Spanish

1. She **delayed** \_\_\_\_\_ (get) out of bed.
2. He **demanded** \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) to the manager.
3. I **offered** \_\_\_\_\_ (help).
4. I **miss** \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the beach.
5. We **postponed** \_\_\_\_\_ (do) our homework.
6. I'd **hate** \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) too late.
7. She **admitted** \_\_\_\_\_ (steal) the money.
8. I **chose** \_\_\_\_\_ (work) here.
9. She **waited** \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a drink.
10. I really **appreciate** \_\_\_\_\_ (be) on holiday

11. I couldn't **help** \_\_\_\_\_ (laugh).
12. It **seems** \_\_\_\_\_ (be) raining.
13. I **considered** \_\_\_\_\_ (move) to Spain.
14. They **practised** \_\_\_\_\_ (speak).
15. Finally I **managed** \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) the work.
16. I really **can't stand** \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for the bus.
17. Unfortunately, we **can't afford** \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a new car this year.
18. She **risked** \_\_\_\_\_ (be) late.
19. I'd **love** \_\_\_\_\_ (come) with you.
20. I **prepared** \_\_\_\_\_ (go) on holiday.