

1 VOCABULARY verbs + gerund

a Match sentences 1–5 to a–e.

1 He hates doing housework. c
 2 He feels like going for a run.
 3 He doesn't mind cooking all the meals.
 4 He's stopped playing football.
 5 He loves being with his friends.
 a He doesn't do it any more.
 b It isn't a problem for him to do it.
 c He really doesn't like it.
 d He wants to do it now.
 e He really likes it.

b Circle the correct words.

1 Jenny never goes to parties because she doesn't mind / doesn't enjoy meeting new people.
 2 Please don't start / go on eating until everyone has their food.
 3 I can go with you, but I need to stop / spend an hour doing homework first.
 4 My dad always gets to the airport very early because he hates / loves arriving late.
 5 I really start / love taking photos. It's probably my favourite hobby.
 6 My brother doesn't do much sport, but he spends / likes watching it on TV.
 7 Let's hire a car when we get there. I don't mind / don't like driving.
 8 I'm going to go on / stop studying English next year. I'm really enjoying the classes.
 9 I don't like / feel like going out tonight. I'm too tired.
 10 A Why did you stop / start going to the gym?
 B It was too boring!

2 GRAMMAR uses of the gerund (verb + -ing)

a Complete the sentences with the -ing form of the verb in brackets.

1 I hate being (be) late for meetings. I think it's really rude.
 2 We stopped (study) German because we didn't like the classes.
 3 James is celebrating because he's finished (write) his book.
 4 I'm bored. I feel like (go) for a walk.
 5 I don't mind (get) up early in the morning.
 6 Kate really enjoys (listen) to music while she's running.



b Match sentences 1–6 to a–f.

1 Do you ever think about c
 2 Read the instructions before
 3 He started his speech by
 4 I'm not very good at
 5 Miriam left the party without
 6 I'm really looking forward to
 a using the machine for the first time.
 b seeing you tonight.
 c stopping work and retiring?
 d thanking everybody for coming.
 e saying goodbye to me.
 f parking my dad's car. It's very big.

c Complete the text with the -ing form of the verbs from the list.

drive feel go have imagine leave listen not get up
not talk read send stay take turn off walk work write

What makes you feel good?

We asked our readers, and here's what they said.

- ¹Writing _____ and then ²sending _____ a funny email or message to my friends. And of course, ³ _____ their faces when they read it.
- I really like ⁴ _____ my car at night when there's no traffic, ⁵ _____ to my favourite music. I feel completely free.
- ⁶ _____ in bed on Sunday morning and ⁷ _____ the newspaper. ⁸ _____ until about 12 and then ⁹ _____ my dog for a long walk.
- I enjoy ¹⁰ _____ to the gym and really ¹¹ _____ hard, then ¹² _____ a long hot shower followed by a nice cold drink. There's nothing better.
- I love ¹³ _____ alone in the mountains, ¹⁴ _____ the wind in my hair and ¹⁵ _____ to anyone.
- ¹⁶ _____ my computer at the end of the day and ¹⁷ _____ work! It's the best moment of the day. I love it!



d How do you feel about the following activities? Circle the best answer for you, a, b, or c.

1 Going to the gym

a b c

2 Chatting to my friends on social media

a b c

3 Being alone

a b c

4 Walking on the beach

a b c

5 Going shopping for clothes

a b c

6 Getting up late

a b c

e Use your answers in d to write sentences. Say what you love, don't mind, or hate doing.

1 I _____ going to the gym.

2 I _____ chatting to my friends on social media.

3 I _____.

4 I _____.

5 I _____.

6 I _____.

3 PRONUNCIATION -ing, the letter o

a ① 7.2 Listen and complete the sentences.

1 There's nothing _____ to eat.

2 This film is really _____.

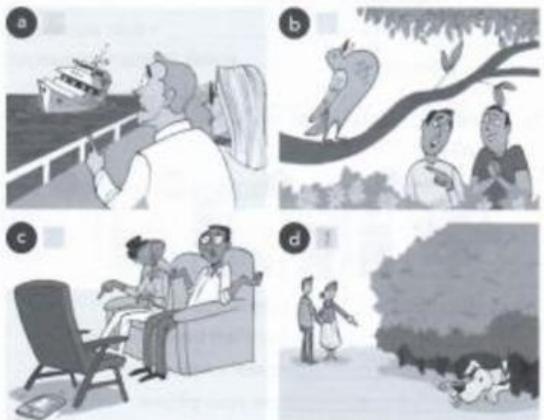
3 I hate _____.

4 We're _____ this afternoon.

5 What are you _____?

b ② 7.2 Listen again and repeat the sentences.

c ③ 7.3 Listen to four sentences. Write the number of the sentence next to the correct picture.



d ④ 7.3 Listen again and repeat the sentences.

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1 GRAMMAR have to, don't have to, must, mustn't

a Look at the pictures. Complete the conversations with the correct form of have to.



1 A Do teachers in your country have to look smart?
B Not very smart. They don't have to wear formal clothes, but they have to look tidy.

2 A British taxi drivers have to work night shifts?
B Yes, we sometimes have to work at night, but we don't have to work every night.

3 A I have to cook meals?
B No. You don't have to do the cooking, but you have to help the children to eat.

4 A your daughter has to travel abroad in her job?
B No, she doesn't have to travel abroad, but she has to speak foreign languages.

b What do these signs mean? Write sentences with **must** or **mustn't**.



1 You **must** pay in cash.
2 Don't turn left here.
3 Don't make a noise.
4 Don't use your phone.
5 Stop here.
6 Don't play football here.

c Complete the sentences with **mustn't** or **don't have to**.

1 The museum is free. You don't have to pay.
2 You have to wear smart clothes. You mustn't wear jeans.
3 The speed limit is 120 km/h. You mustn't drive faster.
4 Your hours will be 9–5 Monday to Friday. You have to work at weekends.
5 That river is dangerous. You mustn't swim in it.
6 It's a very small flat. You don't have to

d Complete the second sentence so it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Use the **bold** verb in the positive or negative form.

1 Our school **has no** uniform.
have
We don't have to wear a uniform at our school.
2 The rules **say** we **must** be at school by 8.
have
We have to be at school by 8.
3 It's very important that you **start** doing some exercise.
must
You have to start doing some exercise.
4 For homework tonight, you **can leave** exercise 1, but do exercises 2 and 3.
have
For homework tonight, you don't have to do exercise 1, but do exercises 2 and 3.
5 It's important that you **don't eat** any chocolate on this diet.
must
You mustn't eat any chocolate on this diet.

2 VOCABULARY adjectives + prepositions

a Complete the sentences with a word from the list.

bad at (x2) bad for good at (x2) good for

- 1 My sister's always been bad at maths. She hates numbers.
- 2 Wow! You're very interested in English. Where did you learn it?
- 3 I really like playing the guitar, but I'm not very interested in it.
- 4 Everybody knows that smoking is bad for you.
- 5 Our school football team is great, but we're very interested in rugby. We've lost every match this year.
- 6 Cycling is lots of fun, and it's good for you, too.

b Complete the sentences with a word from the list.

for from in of (x2) to with

- 1 The town of Pisa in Italy is famous for its leaning tower.
- 2 I'm very different from my younger brother. Sometimes people can't believe we're brothers.
- 3 We went to a nightclub which was full of tourists.
- 4 People always get angry with my uncle because he drives so slowly.
- 5 My husband is afraid of flying, so we always travel by car or train.
- 6 I love going to Italy because I'm very interested in old churches.
- 7 Jack's parents were very nice to me when I stayed with them.

c Complete the tips with the words in brackets and the correct prepositions.

- 1 If you're interested in visiting museums, Berlin has some great ones, and the Alte Nationalgalerie is full of amazing paintings. (full / interested)
- 2 New York is famous for its top restaurants. If you're afraid of spending too much money, there are lots of cheaper places to eat, too. (afraid / famous)
- 3 In most countries, people who live in the country are friendly with people in cities. They're often friendlier and much interested in tourists. (nice / different)
- 4 Hiring a car in a new city can be difficult. Even if you're quite good at driving, it's easy to make mistakes, and other drivers can get angry with you. (good / angry)

d Read the teacher's notes on students in an English class and then write the reports.

| | Marc | Hugo | Ana |
|---------------|------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Good at | grammar | speaking | speaking |
| Bad at | listening | doing homework | grammar |
| Interested in | writing | reading English magazines | watching English / American films |
| Must | check work | work harder | read more |

1 Marc's worked quite hard this year. He's good at grammar, but he's still quite bad at listening. He's interested in writing, but he must check his work.

2 I haven't been happy with Hugo this term. He's good at speaking, but

3 In some ways, Ana is doing well in class.

e Write your report and say how well (or badly) you think you are doing in your English class.

I'm good at _____.
I'm bad at _____.
I'm interested in _____.
I must _____.

3 PRONUNCIATION stress on prepositions

a Tick (✓) the sentences where the preposition is stressed.

- 1 What's she famous **for**?
- 2 Why are you angry **with** him?
- 3 There's nothing to be afraid **of**.
- 4 I'm quite good **at** tennis.
- 5 Sugar is bad **for** your teeth.
- 6 You're always full **of** great ideas.
- 7 What are you interested **in**?
- 8 They weren't very nice **to** me.

b 7.4 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the sentences.

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