Complete the sentences with a suitable verb in the correct form, -ing or to ... .

1 a Please remember to lock the door when you go out.
b He says we've met before, but I don't remember ..... him.
c Someone must have taken my bag. I clearly remember ..... it by the window and now it isn't there.
d When you see Steve, remember ..... hello to him from me.
e A: You lent me some money a few months ago.
B: Did I? Are you sure? I don't remember ..... you any money.
f A: Did you remember ..... your sister?
B: No, I forgot. I'll phone her tomorrow.

2 a The course I did wasn't very good, but I don't regret ..... it.
b I knew they were in trouble, but I regret ..... I did nothing to help them.
c It started to get cold, and he regretted not ..... his coat.
d I now regret ..... my job. It was a big mistake.

3 a Ben joined the company nine years ago. He became assistant manager after two years, and a few years later he went on ..... manager of the company.
b I can't go on ..... here any more. I want a different job.
c When I came into the room, Lisa was reading a book. She looked up and said hello, and then went on ..... her book.
d Food prices have gone up again. How are we going to manage if prices go on .....?

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Complete the second sentence so that the meaning is similar to the first sentence.

1 My father said I could use his car. — My father allowed me to use his car.
2 I was surprised that it rained. — I didn't expect .....
3 Don't stop him doing what he wants. — Let .....
4 Tom looks older when he wears glasses. — Tom's glasses make .....
5 I think you should know the truth. — I want .....
6 At first I didn't want to apply for the job, but Sarah persuaded me. — Sarah persuaded .....
7 My lawyer said I shouldn't say anything to the police. — My lawyer advised .....
8 I was told that I shouldn't believe everything he says. — I was warned .....
9 If you've got a car, you are able to get around more easily. — Having a car enables .....

Which is right?

1 You aren't allowed ~~take~~ / to take pictures here. (to take *is correct*)
2 I'm in a difficult position. What do you advise me do / to do?
3 The film was very sad. It made me cry / to cry.
4 Lisa's parents always encouraged her study / to study hard at school.
5 Please don't interrupt me. Let me finish / to finish.
6 You can't make people do / to do things they don't want to do.
7 You can't force people do / to do things they don't want to do.
8 Sarah won't let me drive / to drive her car. She doesn't trust me.
9 Why did you change your decision? What made you change / to change your mind?
10 If you enter a country with a tourist visa, you are not allowed work / to work there.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Complete the sentences. Choose from these verbs (in the correct form):

answer	apply	forget	interrupt	listen	live
lose	make	pay	read	travel	try

1 He tried to avoid ....answering.... my question.
2 I'm trying to concentrate. Please stop ..... so much noise!
3 I enjoy ..... to music.
4 I considered ..... for the job, but in the end I decided against it.
5 Have you finished ..... the newspaper yet?
6 We need to change our routine. We can't go on ..... like this.
7 It's better to avoid ..... during the rush hour.
8 My memory is getting worse. I keep ..... things.
9 I've put off ..... this bill so many times. I really must do it today.
10 I've given up ..... to learn Japanese. I was making no progress.
11 If you gamble, you risk ..... your money.
12 Would you mind not ..... me all the time? Let me speak!

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Complete the second sentence so that the meaning is similar to the first.

1 I was surprised I passed the exam.
I didn't expect to pass the exam.

2 Did you manage to solve the problem?
Did you succeed in solving the problem?

3 I don't read newspapers any more.
I've given up .....

4 I'd prefer not to go out tonight.
I'd rather .....

5 He finds it difficult to sleep at night.
He has trouble .....

6 Shall I phone you this evening?
Do you want .....?

7 Nobody saw me come in.
I came in without .....

8 Some people said I was a cheat.
I was accused .....

9 It will be good to see them again.
I'm looking forward .....

10 What do you think I should do?
What do you advise me .....?

11 It's a pity I couldn't go out with you last night.
I'd like .....

12 I wish I'd taken your advice.
I regret .....

LIVEWORKSHEETS