

VERB PATTERNS 1

GERUNDS & INFINITIVES

Task One. Read the text and choose the gerund or the infinitive.

Last week I decided (1)_____ to my supervisor about my future in the company. I really enjoy (2)_____ here, but I want (3)_____ on more responsibility. She suggested (4)_____ a new project that aims (5)_____ our customer service. At first, I hesitated because I dislike (6)_____ something without enough information, but she promised (7)_____ me during the first few weeks. I'm excited about (8)_____ new things and hope (9)_____ that I'm ready for a promotion. For now, I just need (10)_____ on doing my best.

Task Two. Complete the second sentence so that It has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. Use between two and five words.

1. It's a good idea to wear a suit to an interview.

SUGGEST

Experts _____ a suit to an interview.

2. He thought he would get the job.

EXPECTED

He _____ the job.

3. Working at this job is just terrible for me.

STAND

I can't _____ at this job.

4. I couldn't control my laughter when the boss said that.

HELP

I _____ when the boss said that..

