

# Exercise

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- Exercise A: Do we use the infinitive with to or Gerund with these verbs? Put them in the correct place in the table.

Hate	Can't stand	Imagine	Agree
Like	Hope	Need	Keep
Want	'd like	plan	want

Infinitive with to	Gerund

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- Exercise B: Read the article about living alone. Circle the correct option.

More and more people are deciding *(to live / living)* alone, but why? There are two main reasons. Firstly, fewer people want *(to get / getting)* married or live with partners now. Secondly, as societies keep *(to get / getting)* richer, people don't need *(to share / sharing)* the cost of living with a partner. There are also many advantages to living alone. In particular, many people enjoy *(to have / having)* peace and quiet, especially after a busy day at work. However, it can be very expensive. People who live alone often decide not *(to buy / buying)* luxury items so they can pay the rent, and most people say they wouldn't like *(to be / being)* alone in old age. It's a decision we must make carefully.

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- Exercise C: Complete the sentences with a verb from the box in the correct form

move   be   have   take   leave   swim   retire   get   live   change

- I'm learning \_\_\_\_\_ because I'd like to go sailing this summer.
- I hate \_\_\_\_\_ house.
- We're planning \_\_\_\_\_ a baby next year.
- My husband agreed \_\_\_\_\_ when he's 67.
- Are you hoping \_\_\_\_\_ home when you get a job?
- David must stop \_\_\_\_\_ careers.
- Beth and Alain like \_\_\_\_\_ together.
- I would like \_\_\_\_\_ up running.
- They decided \_\_\_\_\_ married on a beach.
- I can't imagine \_\_\_\_\_ and old person.