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LET'S UNDERSTAND

LANGUAGE FACT: Now, we will learn the differences between “**TO and FOR**”. Let's see the next statements:

- As subcultures emerge, distinct meanings form **to** define the scene's unique practices and cultural objects as well as **to** distinguish the subculture from mainstream culture.
- Indeed, a woman who has a child is not stigmatized **for** spending the majority of her day parenting the child, as motherhood is seen to be an important part of her identity.

RULE 1

If there is a verb, use
TO + infinitive

- I came here **to** talk to you.
- I got the certificate **to** get promoted.

RULE 2

If there is a noun, use
FOR + noun

- He went **for** the results.
- I did this **for** the team.

RULE 3

if it's a definition with the
verb **to be**, you can use
FOR + verb-ing

- The contract **is for** ensuring your needs are covered.

ACTIVITY 5: Now, fill in the blanks with “**to**” or “**for**”:

- I am writing an email to find out the details.
- We're traveling to Singapore in two months.
- They came to the results.
- You're seeing Sue at the weekend, right? Can you give this present to her?
- I have to prepare a report for the meeting.
- I think they went a bit too far, but she was fired for being late.
- They need to provide all their details before we sign the agreement.
- He came quite early, at quarter to five.*
- It was my birthday yesterday, and to my surprise, my friends organized a party for me.*
- I stopped to have a coffee.
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- We work together to finish faster.
- This program is made to understanding new techniques.
- The students want to practice English for the test.
- It's 15 minutes from my house to the Gym.
- They bought some pizza for the party.
- The big box is for saving new documents, and the small one is for recycle bottles.
- I need to call my brother.
- This card is for your birthday.
- I got these new shows for free!

Find out more about this topic in the “**Appendix**”