

## GERUND

**Exercise 1:** Complete each following sentence using one word in column A and another in column B. Pay attention to give the correct tense or form of words.

| Column A      | Column B             |
|---------------|----------------------|
| 1. Like       | a. <del>travel</del> |
| 2. Hate       | b. have              |
| 3. (Not) mind | c. go                |
|               | d. help              |
|               | e. ride              |
|               | f. watch             |
|               | g. learn             |
|               | h. eat               |
|               | i. live              |

**For example:**

0. I ...*hate*... .....*travelling*..... by train because the carriages are often uncomfortable.
1. I ..... English because it allows me to communicate with international friends.
2. Anna finds fast food fatty and unhealthy, so she ..... them.
3. I ..... a dog in the house as long as it's clean.
4. He ..... to the doctor because he is scared of needles.
5. My children really ..... Mr. Bean cartoon. They do not miss any episodes.
6. John is such a kind man. He ..... me even when he is busy.
7. I ..... a bike to school because it helps me keep fit.
8. They ..... near the train line although that area is very noisy and dangerous.

**Exercise 2:** Use verbs in column A to rewrite the following sentences without changing their original meaning.

9. Mai isn't interested in collecting stamps.

→ Mai .....

10. My sister is fond of making origami.

→ My sister .....

11. Reading books is very boring to him.

→ He .....

12. Are you keen on playing chess ?

→ Do ..... ?