

Verb + *-ing* form or verb + *to*-infinitive

1 Choose the correct options.

- 0 Jenna enjoys *to study* / *studying* Maths. She's good at it.
- 1 Tom has decided not *to go* / *going* to university next year.
- 2 Sam really hates *to help* / *helping* his mum do the shopping!
- 3 Have you ever considered *to become* / *becoming* a scientist?
- 4 Would you prefer *to stay* / *staying* at home tonight?
- 5 I don't really like *to wear* / *wearing* the clothes my mum buys me.
- 6 My mum always tries to avoid *to drive* / *driving* on busy roads.
- 7 I'm hoping *to go* / *going* to Spain on holiday this summer.

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 0 I really enjoy *watching* (watch) cartoons in my spare time.
- 1 'You need to spend more time _____ (do) your homework,' said Jerry's mum.
- 2 I love that T-shirt but it's so expensive. I can't afford _____ (buy) it.
- 3 Would you like _____ (go) shopping with me tomorrow?
- 4 When I was away on a school trip, I missed _____ (see) my family.
- 5 Ben can't stand _____ (swim) in the sea. He prefers the pool in town!
- 6 Simon refused _____ (play) football with us when it was raining.
- 7 Kevin frightened his baby sister by pretending _____ (be) a monster!
- 8 I don't mind _____ (take) the dog for a walk, if you want.