

INFINITIVES AND GERUNDS (FOR PURPOSES)

When we want to talk about the general purpose or use of something, we can use an *infinitive* or *for + gerund*.

I often use my phone **to send** photos.

I often use my phone **for sending** photos

1) Complete the sentence. Write the correct form of the verb in parentheses.

- a) This new photo software is useful for _____ (organize) all my pictures.
- b) My professor read many journals in order to _____ (understand) the latest research.
- c) An electronic translator is great for _____ (get) definitions when you don't know a word.
- d) I need a better computer to _____ (run) all of this new software!
- e) Smartphones are great for _____ (communicate) with my business partners when I'm not in the office.
- f) Students in my school are not allowed to _____ (send) texts while they are in class.
- g) I called my mom to _____ (tell) her I'll be late.
- h) We can't use a dictionary for _____ (look) up words during a test.
- i) Do you use a wireless connection for _____ (get) on the internet?