

Work with a dictionary and write the meaning of all the verbs.

Example: *agree* – соглашаться

<u>Verb + to</u>	<u>Verb + ing</u>
<i>decide</i>	<i>keep</i>
<i>pretend</i>	<i>can't stand</i>
<i>fail</i>	<i>avoid</i>
<i>prefer</i>	<i>risk</i>
<i>expect</i>	<i>end up</i>
<i>refuse</i>	<i>spend time</i>
<i>choose</i>	<i>admit</i>
<i>agree</i>	<i>enjoy</i>
<i>offer</i>	<i>(not) mind</i>
<i>promise</i>	<i>suggest</i>
<i>want</i>	<i>fancy</i>
	<i>hate</i>

Circle the correct verb form in these sentences.

- 1 My friends agreed **paying** / **to pay** for my ticket.
- 2 I don't mind **cycling** / **to cycle** in the rain.
- 3 I've started **learning** / **to learn** the saxophone.
- 4 Two men have admitted **stealing** / **to steal** the painting.
- 5 We ended up **staying** / **to stay** at the hotel for a week instead of two nights.
- 6 Do you like **going** / **to go** for walks on the beach?
- 7 I hate **seeing** / **to see** animals in pain.
- 8 I don't expect **passing** / **to pass** all my exams.
- 9 She offered **phoning** / **to phone** me later.

Complete the text with the Infinitive or –ING form of verbs.

At the end of a long journey, most people prefer

¹**to get** (get) home and relax as soon as possible.

They don't fancy ²**_____** (shop), but they don't want ³**_____** (arrive) home with nothing to eat.

Now, travellers who pass through Gatwick Airport in London can avoid ⁴**_____** (return) home to an empty fridge by choosing ⁵**_____** (visit) a virtual shop. There are no real products in the shop, only images on ten large screens. When you decide ⁶**_____** (buy) something, you use your smartphone to scan

it. You keep ⁷**_____** (scan) items until you've found everything you need, then you pay. After that, you can spend a week or two ⁸**_____** (enjoy) your holiday. The shop promises ⁹**_____** (deliver) your shopping soon after you get home. According to the retailer, the virtual shop is a perfect combination of traditional and online shopping. People enjoy ¹⁰**_____** (look) around shops, but they also love ¹¹**_____** (shop) online because it's so convenient.

Write sentences about yourself with the verbs:

decide suggest can't stand agree expect refuse admit risk
promise want fail keep end up avoid offer enjo

Example: In summer I spend time lying on the sofa and watching TV.
