

Verbs with *-ing* and *to*

1 * Order the words to make sentences.

1 going to / do you / the theatre / like / ?

2 was six / to swim / I learned / when I /

3 hotel / recommend / they / staying / at this

4 not to / on Saturday / go out / we decided

5 travel abroad / university? / is he / before / planning to

6 showers! / I can't / having cold / stand

2 ** Choose the correct option.

1 The weather appears **to be** / **being** quite wet this morning.

2 I recommend **not staying** / **to not stay** up too late the night before your exam.

3 I don't mind **to camp** / **camping**, but my sister hates it.

4 Is your older brother learning **to drive** / **driving**?

5 I promise **not to tell** / **not telling** anyone your secret.

6 The film was very boring, and we soon stopped **to watch** / **watching** it.

3 *** Complete the conversation with the correct form of a verb in the box.

do eat go learn look not know talk visit

Alice What are you planning (1) before university, Tom? Last time we talked about it, you seemed (2) your plans.

Tom Yes, but that was a few months ago. I'm taking a break for a year, and I'd love (3) travelling. My parents recommended (4) at a few travel websites and I decided (5) South America!

Alice Ooh, that's exciting? Why South America?

Tom Well, I enjoy (6) new languages, and Spanish is really useful. And I love (7) Mexican food, too, so I think I'll be happy!

Alice It sounds great! I'll miss (8) to you, but we can always phone and text while you're away.

Tom Of course!