VERBS WITH -ING (gerund) AND TO (infinitive)

More and more people are deciding [1] to live / living alone, but why? There are two main reasons. Firstly, fewer people want [2] to get / getting married or live with partners now. Secondly, as societies keep [3] to get / getting richer, people don't need [4] to share / sharing the cost of living with a partner. There are also many advantages to living alone. In particular, many people enjoy [5] to have / having peace and quiet, especially after a busy day at work. However, it can be very expensive. People who live alone often decide not [6] to buy / buying luxury items so they can pay the rent, and most people say they wouldn't like [7] to be / being alone in old age. It's a decision we must make carefully.

Complete the sentences with a verb from the box in the correct form.

move be have take leave ~~swim~~ retire get live change

1 I'm learning *to swim* because I'd like to go sailing this summer.
2 I hate _____ house.
3 We're planning _____ a baby next year.
4 My husband agreed _____ when he's 67.
5 Are you hoping _____ home when you get a job?
6 David must stop _____ careers.
7 Beth and Alain like _____ together.
8 I would like _____ up running.
9 They decided _____ married on a beach.
10 I can't imagine _____ an old person.

LIVEWORKSHEETS