

# 1 SURVIVAL INSTINCT



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## GRAMMAR

Verbs followed by  
infinitive or gerund

→ SB p.14

- 1 ★☆☆ Complete the table with the words in the list according to what they are followed by (infinitive or gerund).

ask | can't stand | choose  
decide | detest | don't mind  
enjoy | keep | manage | miss  
offer | promise | suggest | want

infinitive	gerund
ask	

- 2 ★☆☆ Circle the correct options.

- 1 Molly Did Simon manage to *finish* / *finishing* his essay last night?  
Harry Yes, so he's promised *coming* / *to come* climbing with us this weekend.  
Molly Fantastic. My dad's offered to *give* / *giving* us a lift to the climbing club.
- 2 Nora I suggested to *take* / *taking* a picnic, but they don't want to *carry* / *carrying* it.  
Sam I don't mind to *carry* / *carrying* it.
- 3 Elif Now I live in the city, I miss to *go* / *going* for long walks in the countryside.  
Jo Really? I can't stand to *walk* / *walking* in the countryside.
- 4 Anna You're very good at the violin!  
Zoe No, I'm not. I really enjoy to *play* / *playing* and I keep to *practise* / *practising*, but I'm not getting any better.  
Anna Ask Tom to *help* / *helping* you. He's a brilliant musician.
- 5 Josh You'll never guess what? Max came climbing with us.  
Ellie But Max detests to *climb* / *climbing*!

- 3 ★☆☆ Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

I enjoy <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (climb) mountains, so last year I decided <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (climb) Ben Nevis in Scotland with a friend. We planned <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Scotland in August and we arranged <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (stay) with a friend in Fort William for a few days. We started our climb at 6 am and we hoped <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (get back) down the mountain by 2 pm. The weather was good, so we managed <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (reach) the summit in two hours. We never imagined <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (see) such a beautiful view from the summit. The next day, we felt like <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (climb) Ben Nevis again.



- 4 ★☆☆ Find and correct five mistakes in the dialogue.

Kate I can't believe it. I managed climbing Devil's Rock this weekend.  
Matt Did you? That's great.  
Kate I've watched you climb it a couple of times, but I never imagined to climb it myself. I'm hoping doing more climbing next weekend. I learned going down the rock face using a rope. That was scary! What did you do at the weekend?  
Matt I wanted coming climbing with you and the others, but I had some homework to do.

- 5 ★☆☆ Complete the sentences so that they are true for you.

- 1 I enjoy \_\_\_\_\_  
2 I started \_\_\_\_\_  
3 I don't mind \_\_\_\_\_  
4 I hate \_\_\_\_\_  
5 I refuse \_\_\_\_\_  
6 I have \_\_\_\_\_