

## GERUNDS AND INFINITIVES

**Part A.** Choose the correct option.

1. Keep quiet, I need \_\_\_\_\_ on my homework.

- A) work    B) working    C) to work

2. I might \_\_\_\_\_ late today. I have a lot of work.

- A) to be    B) being    C) be

3. You must never \_\_\_\_\_ him the truth.

- A) tell    B) telling    C) to tell

4. We are planning \_\_\_\_\_ to Switzerland next year.

- A) to go    B) go    C) going

5. I enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ stories to my children.

- A) to read    B) read    C) reading

6. I would like \_\_\_\_\_ my grandmother next year.

- A) visit    B) to visit    C) visiting

7. What do you want \_\_\_\_\_ tonight?

- A) to do    B) doing    C) do

8. My brother is trying \_\_\_\_\_ smoking.

- A) stop    B) to stop    C) stopping

9. I hope \_\_\_\_\_ a job soon.

A) to find    B) finding    C) find

10. Tennis is okay, but I would rather \_\_\_\_\_ soccer.

A) to play    B) play    C) playing

**Part B.** Complete the sentences with the verbs in the box. Put them in the correct form: Gerund or Infinitive.

be • buy • do • eat • go • work • look • rain • ~~see~~ • travel • lock

Example:

0. It was nice to see her again after so many years.

1. When it stopped \_\_\_\_\_ we went for a picnic.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ a police officer in this city can be very dangerous.

3 The weather was nice, so I suggested \_\_\_\_\_ for a walk.

4. I'd prefer \_\_\_\_\_ in a restaurant today.

5. I don't mind \_\_\_\_\_ long hours because I love my job.

6. We are planning \_\_\_\_\_ to Australia this summer. We have already saved the money for the trip.

7. I'm thinking of \_\_\_\_\_ for a new job.

8. I went to the greengrocer's \_\_\_\_\_ some food.

9. Could you show me how \_\_\_\_\_ this exercise?

10. I forgot \_\_\_\_\_ the door when I left home.

**Part C.** Read the dialogue. Put the verbs in parentheses in the correct form:  
Gerund or Infinitive

- A:** Do you remember me (1) \_\_\_\_\_ **(tell)** you about the Icehotel in Sweden?  
I'd love (2) \_\_\_\_\_ **(spend)** a week there in April.
- B:** I want (3) \_\_\_\_\_ **(go)** too, but April is too late (4) \_\_\_\_\_  
**(visit)**. The hotel melts every spring.
- A:** That's a shame! I was looking forward to (5) \_\_\_\_\_ **(do)** something  
exciting after all our hard work on the project.
- B:** We can (6) \_\_\_\_\_ **(take)** a trip somewhere. We should (7) \_\_\_\_\_  
**(book)** soon, though, or the flights will be too expensive.
- A:** We don't have to fly to a specific place (8) \_\_\_\_\_ **(have)** a good time. We  
could book a cottage in the mountains here in Scotland and go (9) \_\_\_\_\_  
**(hike)**.
- B:** Yes, that sounds nice. Another idea is a city break in London. I really enjoy (10)  
\_\_\_\_\_ **(visit)** big cities.