



# Learning about Verbs with “ing”



You’ve probably seen a lot of verbs with “ing” at the end. Verbs are action words and a verb ending with “ing” is one that is used to talk about an ongoing action. Here is an example:

My friend Kitty is reading a story about a princess and a frog.

Add “ing” to the verbs so that they describe the continuing actions in the following sentences. Sometimes you may have to leave off the “e” on the end of the verb before you add the “ing.”

1. I am waiting for the bus with my friend.
2. My cousin is \_\_\_\_\_ for the airport in an hour.
3. My mom is \_\_\_\_\_ my favorite song.
4. He is \_\_\_\_\_ a surprise birthday party for his father.
5. Our class is \_\_\_\_\_ a book drive.
6. My brother is \_\_\_\_\_ to find his sweater.
7. The girl is \_\_\_\_\_ a picture.
8. Do you need help \_\_\_\_\_ your room?
9. The children are \_\_\_\_\_ a fun game.
10. They are \_\_\_\_\_ a tree house.
11. My teacher is \_\_\_\_\_ our tests right now.

wait  
leave  
sing  
throw  
organize  
try  
draw  
clean  
play  
build  
grade