

# Verbs followed by gerund or infinitive

A. Divide the following verbs into 2 columns.

afford	adore	can't stand	decide	dislike	learn	manage
keep	pretend	prevent	threaten	would like	encourage	delay

**Gerund**

**Infinitive**

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B. Complete the gaps using the gerund or infinitive.

I can't imagine \_\_\_\_\_ (work) at home.

The students hope \_\_\_\_\_ (pass) the exam.

I always enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) to my grandfather. He always tells me great stories.

Don't you mind \_\_\_\_\_ (be) away from your family for such a long time?

She eventually managed \_\_\_\_\_ (repair) her bike.

He refused \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) me what all the fuss was about.

My uncle has given up \_\_\_\_\_ (smoke) and now he prefers \_\_\_\_\_ (eat).

He wasn't used to \_\_\_\_\_ (drive) on the right side of the road.

I agreed \_\_\_\_\_ (help) him if he is in trouble.

I enjoy \_\_\_\_\_(be) alone. I never feel lonely.

Alvaro admitted \_\_\_\_\_(cheat) during the English test.

Brenda really hates \_\_\_\_\_(study).