

# Unit 18 Gerunds

## Grammar Quiz

### A Choose the correct answers.

- Andy started \_\_\_\_\_ the piano.  
Ⓐ learn Ⓑ learned Ⓒ learning
- Please \_\_\_\_\_ the guitar quietly.  
Ⓐ play Ⓑ playing Ⓒ to play
- \_\_\_\_\_ water is good for a cold.  
Ⓐ Drink Ⓑ Drank Ⓒ Drinking
- We finished \_\_\_\_\_ the car in 30 minutes.  
Ⓐ wash Ⓑ washing Ⓒ to wash
- \_\_\_\_\_ on icy roads can be dangerous.  
Ⓐ Drive Ⓑ Drives Ⓒ Driving
- Does Sam \_\_\_\_\_ a bus to school?  
Ⓐ taking Ⓑ take Ⓒ takes

### B Look at the underlined words and choose the wrong sentences.

- Ⓐ My hobby is collecting autographs from famous people.  
Ⓑ The store began selling magazines.  
Ⓒ Eat too much can make you sick.  
Ⓓ Study hard, and you will get good grades.
- Ⓐ I don't like watching horror movies.  
Ⓑ Does he exercising every day?  
Ⓒ Helping other people makes me happy.  
Ⓓ Chloe is excited about moving to a big city.
- Ⓐ I don't getting up early on weekends.  
Ⓑ Their job is serving food.  
Ⓒ Having a snowball fight is a lot of fun.  
Ⓓ Lily loves baking cookies.

## Grammar Practice

### A Complete the sentences using the gerunds.

1. **eat** \_\_\_\_\_ snacks late at night is not good for your health.
2. **cook** I love \_\_\_\_\_ for my family.
3. **get** \_\_\_\_\_ a perfect score on an English test is not easy.
4. **win** We are not interested in \_\_\_\_\_ the game.
5. **make** \_\_\_\_\_ friends at a new school is important.
6. **bite** One of my bad habits is \_\_\_\_\_ my nails.

### B Choose and complete the sentences using the gerunds.

do      drive      rain      wait      talk      walk

1. It stopped \_\_\_\_\_ outside.
2. He finished \_\_\_\_\_ the laundry an hour ago.
3. Chris likes \_\_\_\_\_ his dog every day.
4. My father avoids \_\_\_\_\_ on rainy days.
5. I hate \_\_\_\_\_ in line for a long time.
6. We enjoyed \_\_\_\_\_ to each other on the phone.

## Writing Practice

### Correct the underlined words and rewrite the sentences.

1. He is worried about fail the test. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Lose weight can be dangerous. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Do you mind to turn off the fan? \_\_\_\_\_
4. She stopped use her computer. \_\_\_\_\_
5. I am good at ride a skateboard. \_\_\_\_\_
6. We quickly finished to eat lunch. \_\_\_\_\_