

Infinitives

Fill in the blanks with the correct form

1. Sruti will be ready _____ her idea about the project to the manager. (present)
2. Tina was happy _____ the examination cut-off. (clear)
3. Yuvraj was unfit _____ in the match. (play)
4. The little boy was terrified _____ into the river. (jump)
5. Prem didn't continue _____ for a long time. (work)
6. The mechanic has managed _____ my laptop. (fix)
7. There was nothing for him _____ for. (fight)
8. The doctor said there was nothing _____ about. (not worry)
9. Amy has come _____ everybody. (not serve)
10. I am sorry _____ about your loss. (hear)
11. The college has agreed _____ the final examination. (not postpone)
12. Please remember _____ sweets from the market. (not buy)
13. Don't forget _____ the documents. (sign)

Rewrite the sentences with the infinitive + *to*.

- 1 I'm writing because I want to ask for a job.

I'm writing to ask for a job.

- 2 John's working late - he has to type up his report.

- 3 I need to check my emails so I'm going to arrive early.

- 4 Mike's gone because he's meeting a client.

- 5 They want to find a cure for AIDS so they're doing research.

Look at the results of a survey. Write sentences using the words in brackets.

- 1 Dealing with emails quickly. (useful)

It's useful to deal with emails quickly.

- 2 Meet the department director. (important)

- 3 Wearing trainers at the office. (not good)

- 4 Be fifteen minutes late every morning. (bad)

- 5 Eating at your desk. (OK)