Gerunds and Infinitives

1. ***Put the verb into either the gerund (-ing) or the infinitive(to)***

   a) I don't fancy _____(go) out tonight.
   b) She avoided _____(tell) him about her plans.
   c) I would like _____ (come) to the party with you.
   d) He enjoys _____(have) a bath in the evening.
   e) I am learning_____(speak) Greek.
   f) We hope to _____ (visit) Amsterdam next month.
   g) Do you mind _____(give) me a hand?
   h) She helped me _____(carry) my suitcase.
   i) He decided _____(study) biology.
   j) I don't want _____(leave) yet.

2. ***Complete the sentences with either the gerund or the infinitive form of the verb in parentheses. Think about which form is correct based on the context of the sentence.***

Anna recently decided _____ (take) up painting as a hobby. She always loved _____ (draw) when she was a child, but she never had the chance to develop her skills. One day, her friend recommended _____ (join) a local art class.

At first, Anna found it challenging _____ (learn) all the different techniques. She practiced every evening, determined _____ (improve). She enjoyed _____ (see) her progress and started _____ (feel) more confident with each painting she finished.

Her teacher encouraged her _____ (continue) working on her style and even suggested _____ (enter) a local art competition. Anna was excited about the idea, but she knew she needed more practice before _____ (compete). Now, Anna spends most of her free time _____ (paint) and exploring new ideas. She is happy _____ (find) a hobby that allows her to express herself creatively.

LIVEWORKSHEETS