

stop one action to do another one	finish an action
remember or forget an action in the past	remember or forget to do something you need to do
feel sorry for doing something in the past	be sorry about what the person is going to do next
make an effort to do something difficult	try something as an experiment or do something in order to solve a problem
see, hear etc. an action in progress	see, hear etc. the whole action

Verbs followed by both gerund and infinitive with a difference in meaning		
	+ gerund	+ infinitive with to
STOP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e.g.: <i>He stopped smoking and returned to the flat. (I finished smoking and returned back to the flat.)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e.g.: <i>When he arrived at the station, he stopped to smoke. (He stopped in order to smoke.)</i>
REMEMBER FORGET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (past memory): e.g.: <i>I remember visiting the zoo when I was ten. (I remember how I visited the zoo when I was ten years old.)</i> • e.g.: <i>I'll never forget meeting her for the first time. (I'll never forget how I met her for the first time.)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e.g.: <i>Remember to buy milk on your way home. (Remember that you need to buy milk on your way home today.)</i> • e.g.: <i>Don't forget to phone Alice in the evening. (You should phone Alice in the evening.)</i>
REGRET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e.g.: <i>I regret telling her that. Now she is not talking to me. (I am sorry that I've told her that.)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e.g.: <i>I regret to tell you that your credit card is blocked. (I am sorry that I have to inform you about it.)</i>
TRY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (a method of achieving the aim): e.g.: <i>I have a headache. – Try taking some painkillers. Why don't you try adding more sugar to your coffee?</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • e.g.: <i>She tried to lose weight for the summer, but the diet wasn't effective.</i>
SEE WATCH HEAR NOTICE SMELL (verbs of perception)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • + object + gerund (a part of an action): e.g.: <i>I heard him singing in the bathroom when I arrived home.</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • + object + bare infinitive (from the beginning to the end): e.g.: <i>I heard her sing beautiful cover versions of three of my favourite songs at the concert yesterday.</i>