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LESSON 7
VERBS FOLLOWED BY INFINITIVE

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EXERCISE 1

Match the verb phrases to the pictures.

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1. exercise at the gym

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2. clean the house

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3. call my sister

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5. do the shopping

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6. travel abroad

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7. go out with friends

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Fill up the blanks with the correct verb in the infinitive form with **TO**.

Verbs Followed by an Infinitive e.g. She agreed to speak before the game.								
agree	beg	dare	forget	intend	neglect	promise	stop	wait
aim	begin	decide	get	leap	offer	propose	strive	want
appear	care	deserve	happen	leave	ought	refuse	struggle	wish
arrange	choose	detest	have	like	plan	remember	swear	
ask	condescend	dislike	hesitate	long	prefer	say	threaten	
attempt	consent	expect	hope	love	prepare	shoot	try	
be able	continue	fail	hurry	mean	proceed	start	use	

lend **hold** **rain** **drive** **avoid** **run** **meet** **go** **bring** **pay**

Mike and I **arranged** *(1)* _____ to the cinema and we **decided** *(2)* _____ at my house. He **planned** *(3)* _____ us there in his new car. I only consented to go out with him because **promised** *(4)* _____ for the tickets. It was a disaster. As we got out of the car it **began** *(5)* _____ and I had **forgotten** *(6)* _____ my umbrella. We **tried** *(7)* _____ to the cinema but we **failed** *(8)* _____ the rain.Mike hurried to the door by himself, **refused** *(9)* _____ me his coat and **neglected** *(10)* _____ the door open for me. What a gentlemen!

buy **stay** **go** **enjoy** **watch (3x)**

I **wanted** *(11)* _____ a horror film but Mike **begged** *(12)* _____ the new Star Trek movie. I **consented** *(13)* _____ it if he **swore** *(14)* _____ me some popcorn. I didn't expect to like the film but it was so bad that I **struggled** *(15)* _____ awake. I couldn't wait to go home.

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treat	**listen**	**start**	**have**	**drive**	**make**
be	**leave**	**tell**	**see**	**stop**	**talk**

We **intended** *(16)* _____ home but the car **failed** *(17)* _____. As we were walking home we happened *(18)* _____ Ana and David . We **didn't stop** *(19)* _____ to them because they **appeared** *(20)* _____ arguing. She was **threatening** *(21)* _____ him. I **didn't mean** *(22)* _____ but I **wasn't able** *(23)* _____ myself. If you ask me Ana **doesn't deserve** *(24)* _____ a guy like David. He always **strives** *(25)* _____ her happy and she **continues** *(26)* _____ him badly. I **wouldn't dare** *(27)* _____ her that though!

stop	**explain**	**speak**	**tell**	**lower**	**sneak**	**go out**

When I got home it was really late so I **attempted** *(28)* _____ upstairs. However my parents **were waiting** *(29)* _____ to me in the living room. They **proceeded** *(30)* _____ me how worried they'd been and **threatened** *(31)* _____ me going out for the rest of the month. I **attempted** *(32)* _____ what happened and they **agreed** *(33)* _____ it to one week. I **don't aim** *(34)* _____ again anytime soon anyway!

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