

1. Complete each verb in the sentences below with the correct verb pattern:

1. She has so many goals and ambitions. She wants **to do** a lot of wonderful things!
2. Please promise **to focus** on coming to class every day!
3. Have you ever tried **baking** brownies?
4. He doesn't enjoy **being** an athlete because it is quite difficult.
5. I would love **to see** a cross-country event in the Olympics.
6. Do you need **to study** math tonight?

2. Fix the mistakes in the following sentences:

1. Why did you choose playing ice-hockey when you were in elementary school?
Why did you choose to play ice-hockey when you were in elementary school?
2. I don't want convincing you to do anything.
I don't want to convince you to do anything.
3. The athlete started to ran very fast.
The athlete started running / to run very fast.
4. I really don't enjoy to do athletics.
I really don't enjoy doing athletics.
5. Compared to me, you need studying more!
Compared to me, you need to study more!

3. Preposition + Verb~ing.

For each verb in **blue**, add the correct **preposition** and change the verb to **verb~ing**:

1. Instead **of going** home after school, we went to the library.
2. She is really excited **about seeing** her family.
3. Compared **to playing** lacrosse, soccer is not very dangerous.
4. She is really amazing **at doing** ballet.
5. The teacher talked **about having** goals and ambitions for learning English.

4. Verb + Someone / Something + To + Infinitive Verb

Rewrite the following sentences using the verbs in parentheses.

1. John to the math professor: "Could you explain the rule to me?" (asked)
John asked the professor to explain the rule to him.
2. The kindergarten teacher to the class: "Be quiet!" (told)
The kindergarten teacher told the class to be quiet.
3. Jennifer to her friend: "Do you want to watch a movie with me tonight?" (invited)
Jennifer invited her friend to watch a movie tonight.
4. Mark: "I want some coffee." (would like)
Mark would like to drink coffee.
5. Mike to me: "Could you lend me your phone?" (wants)
Mike wants to borrow my phone.
6. Hisako to her mother: "Can I please borrow more money!" (needs)
Hisako needs to borrow more money from her mother.

5. Complete the parts in blue with the correct future form:

1. The phone is ringing. I'll answer it.
2. That box is very close to end of the table. It's going to fall.
3. My child is five years old. In September, she is going to start / she is starting kindergarten.
4. I bought some chocolate because tonight, I am going to bake / am baking brownies.
5. It looks like the athlete is going to the race. It's almost finished!
6. I am meeting my science professor at 3:30pm to talk about the tricky problem.

6. Correct the following sentences:

1. Tonight, he will go to the gym.
Tonight, he's going to the gym.
2. What will you do this weekend?
What are you going to do this weekend?
What are you doing this weekend?
3. Somebody broke their leg. I'm going to call 9-1-1.
Somebody broke their leg. I will call 9-1-1.
4. This evening, I will see a movie with my friend. We already have tickets.
This evening, I'm seeing a movie with my friend. We already have tickets.
5. The elevator is full, so I'm going to take the stairs.
The elevator is full, so I'll take the stairs.
6. The red team is winning the lacrosse game 3-0 with two minutes left. They will win.
The red team is winning the lacrosse game 3-0 with two minutes left. They are going to win.