



# GERUND AND INFINITIVE



**WE USE GERUND:**

**AS THE SUBJECT OF A SENTENCE:**

**STUDYING IS HARD BUT  
INTERESTING.**



**AFTER CERTAIN VERBS LIKE  
*ADMIT, AVOID, CONSIDER,  
INVOLVE, RISK, SUGGEST.***

**I **SUGGEST** STUDYING THIS  
BOOK**



**AFTER PREPOSITIONS**

***I'M INTERESTED IN STUDYING***

**AFTER VERBS OF LIKING OR DISLIKING, E.G  
*LIKE, LOVE, ENJOY, CAN'T STAND, DON'T MIND,  
HATE***

***I ENJOY WATCHING TV***

**WITH GO TO TALK ABOUT PHYSICAL  
ACTIVITIES.**

***GO RUNNING, SWIMMING, CYCLING***



**WE USE THE INFINITIVE:**

**TO EXPLAIN WHY SOMEBODY  
DOES SOMETHING/**

***WHY DID HE GO TO  
UNIVERCITY? TO STUDY  
LANGUAGES.***




**IMMEDIATELY AFTER ADJECTIVES.**

**IT'S *GOOD* TO REVISE WITH OTHER  
PEOPLE**

**AFTER *TOO*, *ENOUGH*, *THE FIRST*,  
*THE LAST***

**IT'S *TOO* COLD TO GO OUT.**



**AFTER CERTAIN VERBS, SUCH AS  
WANT, LEARN, AGREE, DECIDE, EXPECT,  
HOPE, SEEM, TRY, WOULD LIKE, APPEAR,  
ARRANGE, ASK, ATTEMPT, ENCOURAGE,  
FORCE, MANAGE, HELP, NEED, PROMISE!**

**I WANT TO WORK FOR A NEWSPAPER**