



# *Verbs followed by the -ing forms and infinitives*

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Начнем, как обычно, с музыки!



Look at the sentences below and complete the gaps in the way you feel is right.

1. I **want** \_\_\_\_\_ (**break**) free.
2. When I'm home everything **seems** \_\_\_\_\_ (**be**) right.
3. 'Cause all of the stars, are fading away, just **try** \_\_\_\_\_ (**not worry**) you'll see them some day. Take what you need and be on your way and **stop** \_\_\_\_\_ (**cry**) your heart out.
4. Listen do you **want** \_\_\_\_\_ (**know**) a secret? **Do you promise** \_\_\_\_\_ (not/tell)? Closer let me whisper in your ear say the words you **long** \_\_\_\_\_ (**hear**) I'm in love with you.
5. I **can't help** \_\_\_\_\_ (**fall**) in love with you.
6. **Keep** \_\_\_\_\_ (**roll**).
7. Take my strong advice and **remember** \_\_\_\_\_ **always** \_\_\_\_\_ (**think**) twice.
8. Make my way back home when I **learn** \_\_\_\_\_ (**fly**).
9. But how can you complain, if it's the way it's **meant** \_\_\_\_\_ (**be**)
10. I **tried my best** \_\_\_\_\_ (**feed**) her appetite, **keep her** \_\_\_\_\_ (**come**) every night, so hard to keep her satisfied. **Kept** \_\_\_\_\_ (**play**) love like it was just a game, **pretending** \_\_\_\_\_ (**feel**) the same. Then turn around and leave again.



Listen to the songs and check!



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Take what you need and be on your way and **stop crying your heart out**.
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6. **Keep rolling**.
7. Take my strong advice and **remember always to think twice**.
8. Make my way back home when I **learn to fly**.
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Verbs taking both forms with the  
change in meaning



a) He **stopped to drink** a cup of coffee because they served the most delicious coffee he had ever tasted.

b) He **stopped drinking** coffee because it upset his stomach.

- 1) finish, give up
- 2) stop briefly to do something else





a) I have to go out. I **forgot to buy** a newspaper.

b) I'll never **forget travelling** by plane for the first time.

1) not remember

2) not recall



a) Did you **remember to tell** Sam about the meeting?

b) I **remember talking** to him before.

1) not forget

2) recall



a) I **regret to inform** you that you have failed the test.

b) He **regretted offending** her.

1) feel sorry about something

2) be sorry because you will have to say something unpleasant and not nice



a) I **am sorry to tell** the truth, but your work is not up to the standard.

b) I **am sorry for telling** her the truth.

1) apologize for a present action

2) apologize for an earlier action



- a) He **is afraid to touch** the dog in case it bites him.
  - b) He **is afraid of having** a dog. It's too much of responsibility for him.
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- 1) having fear that something will happen
  - 2) not willing to do something



- a) She introduced herself and **went on to talk** about the product.
- b) She **went on presenting** the product till 11 o'clock.

- 1) continue
- 2) then do something



- a) She **meant to buy** a new car soon.
- b) She wants to do it, even if it **means sacrificing** many things she loves.

- 1) intend
- 2) involve



- a) We **tried to move** the heavy branch to the side of the road.
- b) If you can't go to sleep, **try drinking** some milk.
- 1) do as an experiment
  - 2) attempt, do one's best





a) I **like to pay** my bills as soon as I get them.

b) Tom **likes meeting** new people.

c) I **would like to see** it with my own eyes.

1) enjoy

2) prefer this time

3) do something because it is the right and correct way to do it



Verbs taking both forms without  
any change in meaning



begin, start, propose, bother, intend, continue

never to –ing forms together

I am beginning to understand.

They continued discussing/ to discuss their plans.



advise, allow, permit, recommend, encourage

1) to inf with an object or in passive

He **advised us to book** in advance.  
We **were advised to book** in advance.

2) – ing form when there is not object.

He **advised booking** in advance.



## need, require, want

- 1) to inf with an active meaning

I want to break free.

I need to relax.

- 2) – ing form with a passive meaning = something must be improved (or passive infinitive)

The carpet needs Hoovering.

The carpet needs to be hoovered.



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Применяйте активное  
отслеживание!



Thank you for coming!