

# Grammar Extra Practice • 1

## Verbs + *-ing*/ *to*-infinitive/ infinitive without *to*

### 1 Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form.

0. Jim doesn't need (**get**) *to get* up early tomorrow.
1. (**read**) \_\_\_\_\_ books is better than watching TV.
2. Eve likes (**swim**) \_\_\_\_\_ in the lake.
3. Avoid (**eat**) \_\_\_\_\_ fast food.
4. Do you want (**go**) \_\_\_\_\_ out tonight?
5. Jane decided (**buy**) \_\_\_\_\_ a flat.
6. I can't (**see**) \_\_\_\_\_ any elderly people here.
7. John hopes (**win**) \_\_\_\_\_ a car in the lottery.
8. You shouldn't (**shout**) \_\_\_\_\_ at this boy.
9. Can you (**dance**) \_\_\_\_\_?
10. I can't help (**laugh**) \_\_\_\_\_.

### 2 Complete the sentence so that it means the same as the first one.

0. A visit to Spain is her dream.  
She wants *to visit* Spain.
1. Why don't we go for a walk?  
How about \_\_\_\_\_ for a walk?
2. Tom let his son go to the party at the weekend.  
Tom allowed his son \_\_\_\_\_ to the party at the weekend.
3. Would you like to drink some tea?  
Do you fancy \_\_\_\_\_ some tea?
4. She often rides a bike.  
She enjoys \_\_\_\_\_ a bike.
5. Kate: "Let's play tennis".  
Kate suggested \_\_\_\_\_ tennis.
6. Is it OK for me to eat this hamburger?  
Should I \_\_\_\_\_ this hamburger?

### 3 Rewrite the sentences, using *too* or *enough* and the right adjectives from the box.

interesting   cold   tight   easy   lazy   fast   cheap
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0. It is too boring. - It *isn't interesting enough*.
1. This car is too slow. - This car \_\_\_\_\_.

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2. Mark isn't hard-working enough. - Mark \_\_\_\_\_.
3. That blouse is too expensive. - That blouse \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Today it isn't warm enough. - Today \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The exam was too difficult. - The exam \_\_\_\_\_.
6. My shoes aren't loose enough. - My shoes \_\_\_\_\_.

## Present Simple - Present Continuous - Stative Verbs

### 4 Circle the correct item.

1. Ellie **wants** / **is wanting** to become a teacher.
2. What time **is the bus leaving** / **does the bus leave**? At 6 or 6.30 pm?
3. Kitty **lives** / **is living** in London.
4. Water **boils** / **is boiling** at 100 °C.
5. My brothers **are getting** / **get** better and better at football.
6. I **hate** / **am hating** volleyball. I prefer tennis.
7. He **isn't understanding** / **doesn't understand** English grammar.
8. John **goes** / **is going** to Brighton tomorrow.

### 5 Ask and answer the questions in the Present Simple or the Present Continuous. Add all the necessary items.

0. you/watch TV/at the moment?

*Are you watching TV at the moment?*

*No, I'm not.*

1. you and your friends/eat out/every Sunday?

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2. your dad/listen/to music/now?

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3. your mum/enjoy/watch/football matches?

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4. you/want/go/to school/tomorrow ?

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