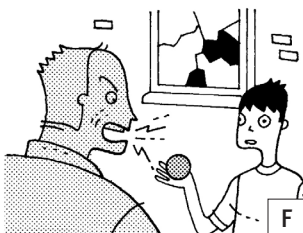


# 1D

## Verb + infinitive or -ing form

**A** Read the sentences and choose the correct verb form. Check in a dictionary if necessary. Then match each sentence with a picture A–H.

- 1 He denied **to break** / **breaking** the window with the ball.
- 2 The waiter recommends **to try** / **trying** the tomato soup.
- 3 She can't give up **to smoke** / **smoking**, although her husband really wants her to.
- 4 She can't afford **to buy** / **buying** the trainers.
- 5 He often imagines **to be** / **being** a rich, successful businessman.
- 6 She's planning **to visit** / **visiting** Paris next summer.
- 7 She arranged **to meet** / **meeting** her friend at 3 o'clock.
- 8 She admitted **to drive** / **driving** too fast when the accident happened.



**B** Read the sentences below and put the verb in brackets into either the infinitive or -ing form. Find someone who ...

- 1 wants \_\_\_\_\_ (become) famous in the future. ....
- 2 can't stand \_\_\_\_\_ (fly).  
.....
- 3 spends a lots of time \_\_\_\_\_ (get) ready for school in the morning.  
.....
- 4 is looking forward to \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) school. ....
- 5 sometimes pretends \_\_\_\_\_ (be) ill to avoid \_\_\_\_\_ (come) to school. ....
- 6 expects \_\_\_\_\_ (get) a good score in his / her next English test.  
.....
- 7 would agree \_\_\_\_\_ (marry) someone just for his / her money.  
.....
- 8 fancies \_\_\_\_\_ (start) his / her own business in the future.  
.....
- 9 is planning \_\_\_\_\_ (do) some sport this week. ....
- 10 hopes \_\_\_\_\_ (live) abroad in the future. ....
- 11 could give up \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) chocolate. ....
- 12 will carry on \_\_\_\_\_ (work) until he /she is 70. ....

**C** Ask your classmates the questions and find at least one person who answers **yes** for each question. Write his / her name on the dotted line. Give as much information as possible in your answers.

Do you want to become famous in the future?

Yes, I'd love to be a famous singer and make lots of money ...