

VISIT THE FOLLOWING WEBSITES AND  
COMPLETE THE RULE. Don't forget about the  
task (last slide)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cy6GQRj3MO0>

PART 3. CHANGE IN MEANING (for slide  
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PART 3. CHANGE IN MEANING (for slide  
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## Verbs taking to *infinitive* or *-ing* form with a change in meaning

- **forget + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*I'm sorry, I forgot to lock the car.*
- **forget + -ing form** (= ?)  
*We'll never forget visiting Paris.*
- **remember + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*Remember to read the instructions.*
- **remember + -ing form** (= ?)  
*I don't remember meeting Al before.*
- **mean + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*He means to move to Newcastle.*
- **mean + -ing form** (= ?)  
*Working harder means getting more money.*

- **try + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*She tried hard to cope with her new job.*
- **try + -ing form** (= ?)  
*Try adding some more sauce to your pasta.*
- **stop + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*He stopped to buy some milk on his way home.*
- **stop + -ing form** (= ?)  
*Stop talking to each other, please!*

- **want + to infinitive** (= wish)  
*I want to find a better job.*
- **want + -ing form** (= sth needs to be done)  
*Your dress wants cleaning.*

**Need=want.** Он может употребляться и с инфинитивом, и с герундием. Однако в случае с этим глаголом важно обратить внимание на то, кто (одушевленное) или что (неодушевленное) испытывает нужду. Если речь идет о вещах, то необходимо употребить герундий. Если речь идет о людях, то употребляется инфинитив

• **go on + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*After finishing her BA, she went on to get a master's degree.*

**go on + -ing form** (= ?)  
*She went on watching TV.*

• **regret + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*I regret to tell you that you have failed.*  
**regret + -ing form** (= ?)  
*He regrets telling lies when he was young.*

• **would prefer + to infinitive** (specific preference) *I'd prefer to have an early night tonight.*  
**prefer + -ing form** (in general)  
*I prefer reading a book to watching TV.*  
**prefer + to infinitive + (rather) than + infinitive without to**  
*I prefer to read a book (rather) than watch TV.*

• **be sorry + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*I'm sorry to hear he has been injured.*  
**be sorry for + -ing form** (= ?)

*I'm sorry for misunderstanding/having misunderstood what you said.*

• **hate + to infinitive** (= feel sorry that you have to ask, interrupt, etc.)  
*I hate to interrupt, but I must talk to you.*  
**hate + -ing form** (= feel sorry for what one is doing) *I hate making you feel uncomfortable.*

• **be afraid + to infinitive** (= the subject feels anxious about doing sth)  
*I'm afraid to drive over the old bridge.*  
**be afraid of + -ing form** (= the subject is afraid that what is described by the -ing form may happen)  
*She is afraid of breaking her leg if she jumps over the wall.*

• **mean + to infinitive** (= ?)  
*He means to move to Newcastle.*  
**mean + -ing form** (= ?)  
*Working harder means getting more money.*

### Forget, remember, regret:

В случаях с этими тремя глаголами *-ing* форма (герундий) соответствует опыту, действию, которое произошло в прошлом, до момента говорения. Поэтому обратите внимание на то, что в русской версии герундий будет переводиться прошедшим временем: «как встретил», «как говорил», «что не поступила». Инфинитив остается инфинитивом: «принимать таблетки», «позвонить маме», «сообщать о том».

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Put the verbs in brackets into the *infinitive* or *-ing* form.

- 1 Tom stopped ..... *to pick up* ..... (pick up) his dry cleaning on the way home.
- 2 If you don't stop ..... (eat) so much chocolate, you'll make yourself ill.
- 3 Try ..... (phone) John at the office if he's not at home.
- 4 I tried my best ..... (finish) the test, but there just wasn't enough time.
- 5 He was promoted in 1990 and went on ..... (become) a company director.
- 6 The band went on ..... (play) even after the lights had gone out.
- 7 Jane was afraid ..... (show) her school report to her parents.
- 8 I'm afraid of ..... (lose) my way in the forest.
- 9 What do you mean ..... (do) with all that money?
- 10 Playing a musical instrument well means ..... (practise) for years.
- 11 I regret ..... (tell) you that your appointment has been cancelled.
- 12 She regrets ..... (spend) so much money on her new dress.
- 13 Do you remember ..... (ride) a bicycle for the first time?
- 14 Remember ..... (post) the letters on your way home.