

Exercise 1: (Verb + full infinitive)

present infinitive: (to) play (it refers to present and future)

perfect infinitive: (to) have played (it refers to the past)

eg. "I can help you with the flat tire"

a) He told me that *he could help me with the flat tire*. (we **change the tense** of the active verb)

b) He **offered to help me with the flat tire**. (we **use the infinitive** of the active verb)

1. "I'll come with you"

a) He told me that

b) He **agreed**

2. "I want you to give me the password"

a) He told me that

b) He **demanded**

3. "I won't come with you"

a) He told me that

b) He **refused**

4. "Be quiet or I'll punish you"

a) He told me that

b) He **threatened**if I'm not quiet.

5. "I knew the secret"

a) He told me that

b) He **claimed**
(perfect infinitive)

Exercise 2: (Verb + **smn** + full infinitive)

eg. "You can use my car"

a) He told me that I *could use* his car. (we **change the tense** of the active verb)

b) He **allowed me to use** his car. (we **use the infinitive** of the active verb)

1. "You should take an umbrella"

a) He told me that

b) He **advised me**

2. "You're not allowed to smoke in here"

a) He told me that

b) He **forbade me**

3. "Take a coin and insert it into the slot"

a) He told me that

b) He **instructed me**

4. "You have to think fast and decide"

a) He told me that

b) He **urged me**

5. "Remember to pay the bill"

a) He told me that

b) He **reminded me**

More introductory verbs :

ask smn to, **beg** smn to, **command** smn to, **encourage** smn to, **invite** smn to,
order smn to, **permit** smn to, **warn** smn to, **want** smn to

Exercise 3: (Verb + gerund)

| Gerund | active | passive |
|---------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| present | breaking | being broken |
| perfect | having broken | having been broken |

eg. “You broke the vase”

a) He told me that *I had broken the vase*. (we **change the tense** of the active verb)

b) He **accused me of breaking (having broken) the vase**. (we **use the gerund** of the active verb)

1. “I am terribly sorry for the delay”

a) He told me that

b) He **apologized for**

2. “I stole the money”

a) He told me that

b) He **admitted to**

3. “I can run faster than you”

a) He told me that

b) He **boasted about**

4. “No, I didn’t break the porcelain ”

a) He told me that

b) He **denied**

5. “Let’s try one more time”

a) He told me that

b) He **suggested**