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# Gerund

## RECAPITULATION



- Underline the gerunds in the following sentences. 1. John was punished for teaching.
- 2.Reading is an important skill.
- 3.We gave our students in writing.
- 4.Her singing is hurting my ears.
- 5. The team practiced running on Friday...

# What is a



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### Gerunds



A gerund is a noun made from a verb by adding ing

Usage	Example
Subject	Running is good for your heart.
Direct Object	He hates waking up early.
Subject Complement	What I dislike most is repeating myself.
Object Complement	I saw Tom riding his bike.
Object of a Preposition	I am interested in improving myself.
Object of a Possessive	She does not like your bossing her around.

# THE GERUND FORM OF VIEWS





As subject of a sentence

As direct object of a sentence

As a subject complement



- Writing in English is difficult.
- Watching TV is my favorite pastime.

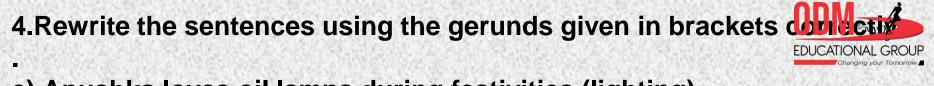
- I like writing in English.
- I love going out to restaurants.

- My cat's favorite activity is sleeping.
- One of his duties is doing homework

4.Rewrite the sentences using the gerunds given in brackets correctly



- b) Homemade food is very healthy.(eating)
- Ans Eating homemade food is very healthy.
- c) Megha likes story books.(reading)
- Ans Megha likes reading story books.
- d) Selfies have become a new sensation.(taking)
- Ans Taking selfies have become a new sensation.



- e) Anushka loves oil lamps during festivities.(lighting)
- Ans Anushka loves lighting oil lamps during festivities.
- f) Hitesh loves coins. He has many rare ones.(collecting)
- Ans Hitesh loves collecting coins. He has many rare ones.
- g) I like traffic rules. They keep us safe on the roads.(following)
- Ans I like following traffic rules. They keep us safe on the roads.

5. Identify the errors and rewrite the sentences correctly

b)Ride a roller coaster is scary for me. Ans - Riding a roller coaster is scary for me.

c)Fly a kite on a windy day is fun. Ans - Flying a kite on a windy day is fun.

d)Eat fruits without washing them is harmful for health. Ans – Eating fruits without washing them is harmful for health.



5. Identify the errors and rewrite the sentences correctly.



- e) Yash was scolded for break the window pane.
- Ans Yash was scolded for breaking the window pane.
- f) Climb Mt. Everest is not an easy task.
- Ans Climbing Mt. Everest is not an easy task.
- g) Divya enjoys shop with her friends. She loves buy shoes.
- Ans Divya enjoys shopping with her friends. She loves buying shoes.

#### **LEARNING OUTCOME :**



The students learn usage of gerunds in day to day conversations.



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