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Basenice

# GERUND

• Spelling rules → **Ing** ing → ando, endo, iendo

## Rule ①

• Verbs that end in "e"  
Delete the "e" and add **ing**.  
• Examples  
Make → Making  
Write → Writing  
Dance → Dancing

## Rule ⑤

• If the verb ends in **two Vowels** and **one consonant**  
don't double the consonant.  
• Example  
Need → Needing  
Wait → waiting  
Speak → Speaking

## Rule ②

Verbs that end in "ie"  
Delete "ie" and add **ying**.  
Lie → Lying  
Die → Dying  
Tie → Tying

## Rule ⑥

• **Two** or **more** syllables  
• If the last syllable **is not** stressed, do **not** double consonant  
Happen → happening  
Visit → visiting  
re Member → remembering

## Rule ③

One-syllable verbs that **end** in one **Vowel** and one **Consonant**  
Double the consonant and add "ing"  
Swim → Swimming  
stop → stopping  
Run → Running

## Rule ⑦

• **Two** or **more** syllables  
• If the **last** syllable is stressed, **double** the last consonant.  
• Example  
Begin → Begin  
Prefer → Prefer  
Forget → Forget

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## Rule ④

If the verb ends in **two consonant**  
**don't** double the consonants!  
• Examples  
Work → Working  
Help → Helping  
Wash → Washing

## Rule ⑧

• If the verb ends in "y" or "w" don't double the consonant  
• Example  
Enjoy → enjoying  
Blow → blowing  
Snow → snowing  
Study → studying



## Structure

Subject + v.a + Gerund + Complement → **Positivo**

Subject + v.a + not + Gerund + Complement → **Negativo**

v.a + Subject + Gerund + Complement + ? → **Interrogativo**

- I was trying to understand the content of the last class. (+)
- I was not looking for the perfect pet for my family. (-)
- Was she doing her homework when you went to the mall? (?)