

- Complete sentences **Q1–Q10** below by choosing either the **gerund** or the **“to” infinitive** of the verb in brackets.

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## ANSWERS

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