Here is the list of rules for making a verb into a gerund:

1. You have the option to add the "ing" at the end of the verb and make it a gerund.

   ◦ Example: try, "+ing" = **trying**

2. Remove the "e" from the verb where it comes at the end and add the "ing."

   ◦ Example: make, "-e", "+ing" = **making**

3. Eliminate the "ie" from the verb where it comes at an end and add the "y" and then "ing."

   ◦ Example: lie, "-ie", "+ing" = **lying**

4. Keep the "ee" from the verb when it comes with "ee" at the end and add the "ing."

   ◦ Example: agree, "+ing" = **agreeing**

5. For monosyllabic words with a consonant-vowel-consonant format, doubling the final letter and appending "ing" at the end is a suitable approach.

   ◦ Example: cut, "t", "+ing" = **cutting**

6. Adding the "ing" at the end of the monosyllabic verb with consonant_vowel_consonant format, and the last word has less speaking importance.

   ◦ Example: shift, "t" "+ing" = **shifting**