

To-Infinitive (To + Verb 1)

English II
Meeting 10



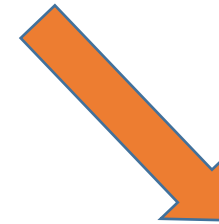
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The Infinitive



To Infinitive

e.g.: She **likes** to sing ballads.



Bare Infinitive

e.g.: She **can** sing ballads.

To-Infinitive? or Not?

- 1 He is going to Jakarta tonight.
- 2 My goal is to get good grades.
- 3 I want to upgrade my computer.
- 4 We have full schedule from Monday to Saturday.



To-Infinitive? or Not?

- 5 That boy over there is very polite to everyone.
- 6 She invited me to her wedding party.
- 7 That book on science fiction belongs to my brother.
- 8 To learn a language takes time, efforts, and hard work



How to use To-Infinitive

1. As a Subject

Example:

To study grammar will take time.

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To play the game was easy.

Note:

The usual form is with 'it'.

It will take time **to study** grammar.

It was easy **to play** the game.

How to use To-Infinitive

2. After some verbs

Verbs:

Afford, agree, decide, plan, learn,
want, promise, etc.

Example:

I **can't afford to buy** a house.

They **agreed to help** us.

I **have decided to leave** on Monday.

She **plans to buy** a new flat next year.

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3. As a complement	<p>Example: My plan is <u>to take</u> an English course. Complement</p> <p>My goal is</p> <p>The most difficult thing is</p> <p>The decision was</p>
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4.	After a pronoun/noun	<p>We need a staff to organize the event.</p> <p>I expect you to be on time.</p> <p>My dad taught me</p> <p>The doctor advised Chris</p> <p>She helped him</p>
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How to use To-Infinitive

5.	After an adjective.	He is glad to meet you. I'm happy to help . She is ready to start her journey. We were sorry She is lucky
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How to use To-Infinitive

6. To express a purpose

I exercise every day **to stay** healthy.

I watch ETJ English channel every day **to improve** my pronunciation.

I play music **to build** muscle memory.

We went to the library

Sarah took the psychology class **to understand** human behavior.

David attended the webinar

I travelled to Japan

It's the end of the lesson.
See you😊

