

Fill in the correct form: Gerund or Infinitive (with or without "TO")

1. I heard the clock _____ six. **(STRIKE)**
2. They saved a lot of money by _____ the tickets in advance. **(BOOK)**
3. It was very nice of you _____ for us. **(WAIT)**
4. They agreed _____ the meeting after the lunch break. **(CONTINUE)**
5. I don't plan on _____ the whole night with you. **(SPEND)**
6. The teacher accused the students of _____. **(CHEAT)**
7. What do you advise me _____? **(DO)**
8. He refused _____ his mind. **(CHANGE)**
9. I avoided _____ the early train because of the rush hour. **(TAKE)**
10. I'd rather _____ for you **(NOT WAIT)**
11. He always keeps _____ around in the hallway. **(RUN)**
12. I have given up _____ newspapers. There's nothing in them anymore. **(READ)**
13. I let him _____ out early because he had a few things to do. **(GO)**
14. They decided _____ hiking in such bad weather. **(NOT GO)**
15. Do you know anything about _____ stamps? **(COLLECT)**
16. He suggested _____ the car here instead of _____ home. **(LEAVE, DRIVE)**
17. How do you make this machine _____? **(WORK)**
18. John used _____ a footballer. He stopped _____ because of several injuries. **(BE, PLAY)**
19. He always thinks carefully about things before _____ a decision. **(MAKE)**
20. I have a friend who claims _____ able to speak 5 languages. **(BE)**
21. How old were you when you learned how _____? **(DRIVE)**
22. I don't mind _____, but it would be better to get a taxi. **(WALK)**
23. I was far from _____ a word he said. **(BELIEVE)**
24. The teacher had them _____ off their boots before _____ the room. **(TAKE, ENTER)**
25. You'd better _____ those apples. They're still green. **(NOT EAT)**

KEY

1. I heard the clock **strike** six. **(STRIKE)**
2. They saved a lot of money by **booking** the tickets in advance. **(BOOK)**
3. It was very nice of you **to wait** for us. **(WAIT)**
4. They agreed **to continue** the meeting after the lunch break. **(CONTINUE)**
5. I don't plan on **spending** the whole night with you. **(SPEND)**
6. The teacher accused the students of **cheating**. **(CHEAT)**
7. What do you advise me **to do**? **(DO)**
8. He refused **to change** his mind. **(CHANGE)**
9. I avoided **taking** the early train because of the rush hour. **(TAKE)**
10. I'd rather **not wait** for you **(NOT WAIT)**
11. He always keeps **running** around in the hallway. **(RUN)**
12. I have given up **reading** newspapers. There's nothing in them anymore. **(READ)**
13. I let him **go** out early because he had a few things to do. **(GO)**
14. They decided **not to go** hiking in such bad weather. **(NOT GO)**
15. Do you know anything about **collecting** stamps? **(COLLECT)**
16. He suggested **leaving** the car here instead of **driving** home. **(LEAVE, DRIVE)**
17. How do you make this machine **work**? **(WORK)**
18. John used **to be** a footballer. He stopped **playing** because of several injuries. **(BE, PLAY)**
19. He always thinks carefully about things before **making** a decision. **(MAKE)**
20. I have a friend who claims **to be** able to speak 5 languages. **(BE)**
21. How old were you when you learned how **to drive**? **(DRIVE)**
22. I don't mind **walking**, but it would be better to get a taxi. **(WALK)**
23. I was far from **believing** a word he said. **(BELIEVE)**
24. The teacher had them **take** off their boots before **entering** the room. **(TAKE, ENTER)**
25. You'd better **not eat** those apples. They're still green. **(NOT EAT)**