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1. Do you know, I spend 12 hours a week ______________ to London!  
a) travel  
b) travelling  
c) to travel  
d) travelled

2. My parents won’t let me ___________ out after 8 o’clock.  
a) go  
b) going  
c) to go  
d) went

3. When I grow up I want ___________ a pilot.  
a) be  
b) to be  
c) being  
d) beeing

4. When I was late for class yesterday, my teacher made me ______________ outside the classroom for half an hour!  
a) standing  
b) stood  
c) to stand  
d) stand

5. I really enjoy ______________ English  
a) speak  
b) speaking  
c) spoke  
d) to speak

6. But I’m not too keen on ______________ the grammar!!  
a) learn  
b) learnt  
c) to learn  
d) learning
Quiz topic: Verb forms (the answers)

1. Do you know, I spend 12 hours a week _______________ to London!
   a) travel  
   b) travelling  
   c) to travel  
   d) travelled
   
   a) Travel is not correct – use 'spend time + ing'
   b) Travelling is correct - use 'spend time + ing'
   c) To travel is not correct – use 'spend time + ing'
   d) Travelled is not correct – use 'spend time + ing'

2. My parents won't let me _____________ out after 8 o'clock.
   a) go  
   b) going  
   c) to go  
   d) went
   
   a) Go is correct – after 'let' use the infinitive without to
   b) Going is not correct – after 'let' use the infinitive without to
   c) To go is not correct – after 'let' use the infinitive without to
   d) Went is not correct – after 'let' use the infinitive without to

3. When I grow up I want _____________ a pilot.
   a) be  
   b) to be  
   c) being  
   d) being
   
   a) Be is not correct – after 'want' use the infinitive with to
   b) To be is correct – after 'want' use the infinitive with to
   c) Being is not correct – after 'want' use the infinitive with to
   d) Beeing is not the correct spelling
4. When I was late for class yesterday, my teacher made me ______________ outside the classroom for half an hour!

a) standing  
b) stood  
c) to stand  
d) stand  

a) Standing is not correct – we say 'make someone do something'  
b) Stood is not correct – we say 'make someone do something'  
c) To stand is not correct – we say 'make someone do something’  
d) Stand is correct – we say 'make someone do something'  

5. I really enjoy ______________ English

a) speak  
b) speaking  
c) spoke  
d) to speak  

a) Speak is not correct – after the verb 'enjoy' use the -ing form of the verb.  
b) Speaking is correct – after the verb 'enjoy' use the -ing form of the verb.  
c) Spoke is not correct – after the verb 'enjoy' use the -ing form of the verb.  
d) To speak is not correct – after the verb 'enjoy' use the -ing form of the verb.  

6. But I'm not too keen on ______________ the grammar!!

a) learn  
b) learnt  
c) to learn  
d) learning  

a) Learn is not correct – after prepositions (in this case 'on') use –ing  
b) Learnt is not correct – after prepositions (in this case 'on') use –ing  
c) To learn is not correct – after prepositions (in this case 'on') use –ing  
d) Learning is correct – after prepositions (in this case 'on') use –ing