1. I recommend __________ the lobster. It's delicious.
   a) try
   b) to try
   c) you try
   d) you to try

2. I'm looking forward __________ you at the weekend.
   a) see
   b) to see
   c) seeing
   d) to seeing

3. We're thinking __________ to Rome on holiday this year.
   a) going
   b) of go
   c) of going
   d) of to go

4. I have to avoid __________ coffee after 6pm, or I can't sleep.
   a) drink
   b) drinking
   c) to drinking
   d) to drink
5. I can't afford __________ in London. It's too expensive!

a) of stay  
b) to stay  
c) for stay  
d) stay

6. If you're learning English, I'd urge __________ a good dictionary.

a) buy  
b) to buy  
c) you buy  
d) you to buy
ANSWERS:

1. I recommend __________ the lobster. It’s delicious.
   a) try
   b) to try
   c) you try
   d) you to try
   a) This doesn't work here. Try again!
   b) This doesn't work here. Try again!
   c) Correct! 'I recommend THAT you try...' would also be good here.
   d) This doesn't work here. Try again!

2. I’m looking forward __________ you at the weekend.
   a) see
   b) to see
   c) seeing
   d) to seeing
   a) This doesn't work here. Try again!
   b) This doesn't work here. Try again!
   c) This doesn't work here. Try again!
   d) Well done! After 'looking forward' we use 'to', then a noun phrase or a gerund phrase.

3. We’re thinking __________ to Rome on holiday this year.
   a) going
   b) of go
   c) of going
   d) of to go
   a) This doesn't work here. Try again!
   b) This doesn't work here. Try again!
   c) Well done! This is the correct structure.
   d) This doesn't work here. Try again!
4. I have to avoid __________ coffee after 6pm, or I can't sleep.

a) drink
b) drinking
c) to drinking
d) to drink

a) This doesn't work here. Try again!
b) Correct! After the verb 'avoid', we use a noun or a gerund.
c) This doesn't work here. Try again!
d) This doesn't work here. Try again!

5. I can't afford __________ in London. It's too expensive!

a) of stay
b) to stay
c) for stay
d) stay

a) This doesn't work here. Try again!
b) Well done! If we want to use another verb after 'afford', we normally use 'to' and the infinitive form.
c) This doesn't work here. Try again!
d) This doesn't work here. Try again!

6. If you're learning English, I'd urge __________ a good dictionary.

a) buy
b) to buy
c) you buy
d) you to buy

a) The verb 'urge' always needs an object. Try again!
b) The verb 'urge' always needs an object. Try again!
c) This structure doesn't work here. Try again!
d) Correct! After the verb 'urge', we need an object, then 'to' and the infinitive form of the verb.