

VERBS + INFINITIVE

EXPLANATION

Some verbs can be followed by both a noun or an infinitive of

one verb.

EXERCISE 1.

Use the hints given to form correct sentences with a verb in its

infinitive form or with the verb followed by a noun.

e.g. Iwant/beer

Iwant some beer.

Iwant to drink a beer.

1. She wants / money.

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2. They need /a bath

3. We need / a doctor

4. She would like $/ a \operatorname{coke}$

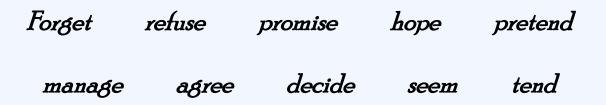
5. You need / a beautiful dress



INFINITIVE WITH OR WITHOUT TO

EXERCISE 1.

Complete each sentence with a suitable word from the box:



e.g I<u>tried</u> to do my best but it was useless

1. I was very tired, I to take a taxi home

2. I..... to pass my exam. I really want to go on holiday

3. The thief got into the house because Ito close the window



4. At the beginning she wasn't very sure but in the end she

to buy the car

- 5. Jim to lend me any money
- 1. Tom is always very sad. Heto be worried about something
- 2. We got lost in the middle of the city but in the end we...... to find the

House.

- 8. I am really worry for my daughter. Shenot to be late
- 9. My dog is very fat because heto eat too much
- 10. I shouted to her. She not to see me but I am sure she did



EXERCISE 2.

Now you have to decide if the infinitive is with or without to.

these days

2. When I was 18 I learnt howdrive a car

3. You don't needclean this carpet. It's perfect!

4. Ann offeredlook after our children while we were

out

5. I can'tspeak German