

Lesson 17

The Gerund

Definition:

Gerund is a non-personal form of the English verb with the suffix -ing, combining the features of a noun and a verb.

Gerunds	Notes
painting	
singing	
playing	
reading	
walking	

Examples	
for coming in time	
for not coming in time	
Finding a new method is the only way out.	
The findings were of great importance.	
I prefer not waiting for too long.	
Playing the piano is her hobby.	
I am fond of reading books.	
Thank you for reading this article.	
She likes visiting her friends.	
Walking is very healthy.	
Mary is fond of dancing.	
Police officer minds your waiting here.	