

## ing ed

**A** Add **ing** to each of these words, to tell your reader that something is happening now. The first one is done to help you. Then write each word in a sentence.

1 jump jumping \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2 dust \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3 splash \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4 fall \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**B** When you add **ing** to short words like these you need to double the last letter. The first one is done to help you.

1 chop chopping                      2 mop \_\_\_\_\_

3 drip \_\_\_\_\_                      4 drop \_\_\_\_\_

5 run \_\_\_\_\_                      6 hop \_\_\_\_\_

7 clap \_\_\_\_\_                      8 swim \_\_\_\_\_

9 slip \_\_\_\_\_                      10 shop \_\_\_\_\_

11 skid \_\_\_\_\_                      12 hug \_\_\_\_\_

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Remember, to add **ing** to a short word, first look at the letter before the last letter.

If it is a single vowel, **double** the last letter before adding **ing**.

If it is not a single vowel, just add **ing**.

**w**, **x** and **y** are never doubled.

sit sitting sleep sleeping crack cracking

**A** Add **ing** to these words. Decide whether you need to double the last letter before adding **ing**. The first two are done to help you.

1 sit sitting 2 bath bathing 3 sleep \_\_\_\_\_

4 box \_\_\_\_\_ 5 sell \_\_\_\_\_ 6 jump \_\_\_\_\_

7 cut \_\_\_\_\_ 8 shop \_\_\_\_\_ 9 blow \_\_\_\_\_

10 shoot \_\_\_\_\_ 11 bang \_\_\_\_\_ 12 sing \_\_\_\_\_

13 slip \_\_\_\_\_ 14 press \_\_\_\_\_ 15 try \_\_\_\_\_

To add **ing** when a word ends with **e**, drop the **e** before adding **ing**.

hope hoping but hop hopping

**B** Decide whether you need to drop the **e** or double the last letter, or neither, before adding **ing** to these words. The first two are done to help you.

1 wave waving 2 walk walking 3 rake \_\_\_\_\_

4 bounce \_\_\_\_\_ 5 sleep \_\_\_\_\_ 6 save \_\_\_\_\_

7 stop \_\_\_\_\_ 8 skate \_\_\_\_\_ 9 graze \_\_\_\_\_

10 blame \_\_\_\_\_ 11 dive \_\_\_\_\_ 12 hike \_\_\_\_\_

13 slide \_\_\_\_\_ 14 pack \_\_\_\_\_ 15 win \_\_\_\_\_