

Gerund (-ing) or infinitive after a modal verb????

[Troufam si + inf.

Vaham tam + inf.

Nechcu + inf.

Navhruju + inf.

Nedokazal jsem + inf.]

## 6 Categories:

I. Use gerund or infinitive with to, don't worry about it ☺:

Like, begin, start, continue, propose

I hate Adrian's stupid charts, so I propose to strike.

II. Use only infinitive with to:

Attempt, deserve, expect, threaten, neglect, manage, fail

I threatened NOT to bake a cake.

III. Use someone (4.pád) plus infinitive with to:

Beg, dare, challenge, encourage, invite, persuade, convince, urge

allow, permit, force, oblige

IV. Use someone plus infinitive WITHOUT to:

Let, make, help

**V. Use only gerund (-ing)**

Avoid, detest, imagine, keep on, mind, miss, put off, postpone, risk

**VI. Use gerund OR infinitive, BUT the meaning is different!!!!**

Go on, remember, stop, try

[Hate, regret] always go with gerund except for these set phrases:

We regret to inform you that.....

I hate to tell you this, but.....

Otherwise:

I regret getting up so late today.

I hate waking up early.