

## Gerund Phrases

**A gerund phrase is a group of words that contains a gerund, its modifiers, and/or objects. Gerund phrases function as subjects, objects, or complements.**

**Example:** Running into Mary yesterday was a pleasant surprise.

Underline the gerund phrases, including all the modifiers and objects.

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7) Cooking healthy meals takes a lot of time and effort.

8) I think buying groceries in bulk can help save a lot of money.

9) Shopping at the mall is one of Gretchen's favorite pastimes.

10) My little sister hates waking up early to go to school.