

Liceo 3 / Liceo 4 - PET - Basic Verbs

Modal auxiliaries - Substitute forms

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| I must work harder. = I have to work harder. | tener que hacer algo |
| I needn` t work tomorrow. I don` t have to work tomorrow. | no tener que hacer algo |
| I am able to speak German. = I can speak German. | ser capaz de hacer algo |
| We are allowed to leave school at lunchtime. = We may leave school at lunchtime. | tenemos el permiso de hacer algo podemos |
| You mustn` t talk in class ! = You are not allowed to talk in class. | No debes hablar en clase ! |
| You look tired, shall I help you ? | .. te ayudo ? /.. quieres que te ayude ? |
| You really should work harder ! | Deberías.... |

Basic verbs

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| abuse | abusar de |
| accept - to accept an apology | aceptar aceptar una disculpa |
| accompany | acompañar |
| ache | doler |
| achieve | lograr algo |
| act - act in a play - act strangely - act in a stupid way | actuar / comportarse actuar en una obra de teatro comportarse de una manera rara comportarse de una manera tonta |
| add - add numbers | añadir algo / agregar / adicionar sumar |
| address an envelope | escribir la dirección en un sobre |
| admire | admirar |
| admit that.../ doing sth. | admitir que / reconocer |
| advertise | anunciar |
| advise sb. to do sth. | aconsejar |
| afford (I can` t afford that. / ...to do that) | poder permitirse algo |
| - agree to do sth. - agree with sb. | estar de acuerdo para hacer algo estar de acuerdo con alguien |
| - aim at doing sth. - We aim to put a stop to.... | apuntar Tenemos como objetivo ... |
| to allow sb. to do sth. | permitir |

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| announce sth. | anunciar algo |
| annoy sb. | molestar / fastidiar |
| answer - answer a letter - answer the door - answer the phone | responder responder a una carta ir a la puerta / atender la puerta contestar el teléfono |
| apologize to sb. for doing sth. | disculparse por / pedir perdón |
| appear He appears to be sad today. = seem to be | aparecer parecer ser |
| apply for a job | solicitar |
| approach | acercarse |
| approve of sth. / of sb. doing sth. | aprobar/autorizar algo / a alguien a hacer algo- |
| argue about sth. | discutir |
| arrange sth. / to do sth. - She arranged the flowers beautifully. | organizar arreglar / colocar |
| arrest | detener / arrestar |
| arrive (at a place) | llegar a |
| ask for sth. - ask for permission - ask a question | preguntar (por) pedir permiso hacer una pregunta |
| attach sth. to sth. - attach importance to sth. | adjuntar algo darle importancia a algo |
| attack | atacar |
| attempt to do sth. | intentar |
| attend (school, a course) | asistir (a la escuela, a un curso) |
| attract (attention) | atraer (atención) |
| avoid doing sth. | evitar |
| bake (a cake) | hornear |
| balance | balancear/ equilibrar |
| bang / She banged her knee. | golpearse / darle un golpe |
| bar a door / The door was barred. | bloquear / atrancar: La puerta estaba atrancada. |
| bargain with sb. | regatear |
| - The book is based on a true story. - The company is based in London. | basarse en tener su sede en |
| believe in sth. / in doing sth. | creer en |
| beat (beat, beaten) | golpear |
| become (rich / a teacher) (became, become) | hacerse (rico / profesor) / convertirse en |

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| begin to do sth. / by doing sth. | empezar a |
| behave (well, in a stupid way...) | comportarse |
| belong to sb. | ser de alguien |
| bend sth. (<i>bent, bent</i>) | doblar / inclinar |
| benefit from sth. | beneficiarse de |
| bite (<i>bit, bitten</i>) | morder |
| blame sb. for doing sth. | echarle la culpa a alguien |
| bleed (<i>bled, bled</i>) | sangrar |
| blow (<i>blew, blown</i>) | soplar |
| board a plane | abordar un avión |
| boil (<i>boilt, boilt</i>) | hervir |
| book (<i>a flight, a hotel</i>) | reservar |
| bomb | bombardear |
| borrow sth. from sb. | pedir prestado algo a alguien |
| break (<i>broke, broken</i>) - Somebody broke into the house last night. - The car has broken down . - break a record | romper(se) Alguien forzo (entro a robar) en la casa anoche. el auto se rompió romper un récord |
| breathe | respirar |
| bring (<i>brought, brought</i>) - Who bought that topic up ? - She was brought up in London. - She brings up her kids on her own. | traer ¿ Quién emepzó a hablar de esto ? Ella fue criada en Londres. Ella cría a sus hijos sola. |
| brush | cepillar |
| build (<i>built, built</i>) | construir |
| burn (<i>burnt, burnt</i>) | quemar |
| bury | enterrar |
| buy (<i>bought, bought</i>) - buy sth. online | comprar comprar algo por Internet |
| - call (sb) - I call myself Harry. I`ll call for you at 7. | llamar llamarse Te buscaré a las 7. |
| cancel | cancelar |
| carry - carry on doing - carry out a plan | llevar continuar hacienda algo llevar a cabo un plan |
| care about | preocuparse por algo / alguien |

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| catch (<i>caught, caught</i>) | atrapar |
| cause (an accident / problems) | causar |
| celebrate | celebrar |
| challenge sb. to do sth. | desafiar |
| change - change one's mind | cambiar de / variar cambiar de opinión |
| charge (money for sth.) | cobrar |
| chat (with sb. about sth.) | charlar |
| check - check into a hotel / out of a hotel | comprobar registrarse/ irse de un hotel |
| choose to do sth. / from sth. (<i>chose, chosen</i>) | elegir (de) |
| claim to be / that... | afirmar |
| clap (one's hands) | aplaudir |
| clean | limpiar |
| climb (a mountain, a ladder...) | trepar |
| close (a window, the door) | cerrar |
| collect | coleccionar |
| comb (one's hair) | peinar |
| command (a group soldiers) | mandar/ordenar |
| communicate with sb. | comunicarse |
| compare sth. to sth. | comparar |
| compete with sb. for sth. | competir con alguien por algo |
| complain about sth. | quejarse sobre |
| concentrate on sth. / on doing sth. | concentrarse en |
| confirm (a date / a flight...) | confirmar |
| connect (sth. with sth.) | conectar algo con otra cosa |
| consider doing sth. | considerer |
| consist of | consistir en |
| contact sb. (at a phone number) | contactarse con |
| contain | contener algo |
| continue doing sth. / to do sth. | continuar haciendo algo |
| control | controlar |
| cook | cocinar |
| cool down (the temperature, tempers) | enfriar |
| copy | copiar |
| correct | corregir |

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| cost (<i>cost</i> , <i>cost</i>) | costar |
| cough | toser |
| count - I count on you! | contar algo contra con alguien |
| crash into | chocar con |
| create | crear |
| cross (the street) - Cross that out and write it again. | cruzar la calle tachar y escribirlo de nuevo |
| cruise the streets | "pasear en coche" |
| cry | llorar |
| cure sb. from sth. | curarse de algo |
| cut (<i>cut</i> , <i>cut</i>) - She cut up the cake into small pieces. - to cut down trees | cortar cortar/ dividir una torta en pequeños partes talar |
| damage | dañar |
| dance | bailar |
| date (a boy / girl) | citar/ salir con (salir en una cita) |
| deal with (a problem, a person) | hacer frente a un problema |
| decide to do sth. | decidirse a hacer algo |
| declare sth. / to make a declaration | declarar |
| decrease (by...%) | disminuir |
| defeat | derrotar |
| defend (oneself) | defender(se) |
| be delayed | estar retrasado |
| deliver | repartir |
| demand | demandar |
| depart (The plane departs at....) | partir |
| depend on (It depends on what you want to do.) | depender de |
| describe sth. to sb. | describir |
| deserve to do sth. | merecer ganar |
| design | diseñar |
| destroy | destruir |
| develop / develop into | desarrollar algo / en algo |
| dial a number | discar un numero |
| die of | morir (de) |
| differ from | diferenciarse de |

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| dig (<i>dug, dug</i>) (a hole in the ground) | excavar |
| disagree with sb. about sth. | no estar de acuerdo |
| disappear | desaparecer |
| disappoint | decepcionar |
| discover | descubrir |
| discuss | discutir |
| dislike doing sth. | no gustarle hacer algo / desagradar |
| display | exponer/ mostrar |
| disturb | molestar |
| dive (<i>dived or dove, dived</i>) | bucear |
| divide (by / into) | dividir por/ entre |
| doubt sth. / that... | dudar |
| draw (a picture) - draw the curtains | dibujar / hacer un dibujo cerrar la persiana |
| dream about doing sth. | soñar con / sobre algo |
| dress - get dressed - dress up (for a special occasion) | vestir vestirse vestirse para una ocasión especial |
| drink (<i>drank, drunk</i>) | beber |
| drive (<i>drove, driven</i>) | conducir / ir en coche |
| drop | dejar caer |
| dry | secar |
| dust (the floor, a bookshelf...) | quitar el polvo |
| earn (money) | ganar |
| eat (<i>ate, eaten</i>) | comer |
| educate | educar |
| elect (a president, a government...) | elegir |
| employ (a person, a worker) | emplear / dar trabajo |
| empty (the rubbish bin) | vaciar |
| encourage sb. to do sth. | alentar a alguien a hacer algo |
| I ended up doing it myself. | Terminé haciéndolo yo mismo. |
| enjoy sth./ doing sth. | disfrutar de |
| enter (a room) | entrar |
| entertain sb. | entretener |
| escape from (prison) | escapar de |
| examine | examinar algo/alguien |

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| exchange sth. for sth. | intercambiar |
| excuse sb. / oneself | excusarse |
| exist | existir |
| expect sb. to do sth. / sth to be | esperar que algo/alguien haga algo |
| experiment with | experimentar con |
| explain sth. to sb. | explicar |
| explode | explotar |
| explore | explorer |
| export | exportar |
| fail to do sth. | fracasar |
| faint | desmayarse |
| fall (<i>fell, fallen</i>) | caer |
| - fall in love | enamorarse |
| fascinate | fascinarse con |
| fax | enviar un fax |
| feed (<i>fed, fed</i>) | alimentar |
| feel (<i>felt, felt</i>) | se sentirse |
| - I don` t feel like going out tonight. | No tengo ganas de salir esta noche. |
| fetch | ir a buscar |
| - I` ll fetch you from the station. | Te iré a buscar a la estación. |
| - Can you fetch me a glass of water, please. | ¿ Podrías irme a buscar un vaso de agua por ? |
| fight (<i>fought, fought</i>) | pelear |
| - Can you please fill in this form ? | ¿ Podría completar este formulario? |
| - He filled up the car with petrol. | llenar el auto con gasolina |
| find (<i>found, found</i>) | encontrar |
| - find out about | descubrir algo /enterarse de // averiguar algo |
| - I must find out when he is arriving. | Debo averiguar cuando está llegando. |
| finish | terminar |
| fit into (<i>fit, fit</i>) | entrar/caber |
| float | flotar |
| flood | inundarse |
| flow (water , a river) | fluir |
| fly (<i>flew, flown</i>) | volar |
| fold | doblar/ plegar |
| follow | seguirle a alguien |
| forbid (<i>forbade, forbidden</i>) | prohibir |

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| forget to do sth. | olvidar |
| freeze (<i>froze, frozen</i>) | congelar |
| frighten | asustar |
| fry | freír |
| gain experience | ganar experiencia |
| get sth. (<i>got, got / AE: gotten</i>) - How do you get on with Harry ? - How are you getting on with your work ? - When did you get back from New York ? - Can you get in through the window ? - We´ll get off at the next stop. - Get your coat on and then we can leave. - Where do I have to get on the bus ? - When do you have to get up ? - get rid of sth. | conseguir algo/ recibir algo / hacerse con ¿ Cómo congenias/te llevas con Harry ? ¿ Cómo te llevas con tu trabajo ? ¿ Cuándo vuelves de Nueva York ? ¿ Puedes entrar por la ventana ? Nos bajaremos en la próxima parada. Ponte la chaqueta y luego nos vamos. ¿ Dónde tengo que subirme al ómnibus ? ¿ Cuándo te tienes que levantar ? deshacerse de |
| give (<i>gave, given</i>) - When will you give me back the book ? - He finally accepted my view and gave in . - He really needs to give up smoking. - I must give way to traffic at a roundabout. | dar ¿ Cuándo me devolverás el libro ? Finalmente se rindió. Realmente tiene que dejar de fumar. Debo ceder el paso en una rotonda. |
| glance at | mirar/ echar un vistazo |
| go (<i>went, gone</i>) | ir |
| govern (a country) | gobernar |
| grow (<i>grew, grown</i>) - grow up | crecer criarse |
| guard | proteger / defender |
| guess /take a guess | adivinar |
| guide | guiar |
| - Please hand in your work on Monday ? - Can you please hand out the worksheets ? | entregar un trabajo distribuir una tarea |
| handle (a situation well or badly) | manejar una situación bie/ mal |
| hang (<i>hung, hung</i>) (a picture) - She hung up at the end of phone call. | colgar el teléfono Ella colgó al final de nuestra conversación |
| happen | ocurrir / suceder / pasar |
| - hate - hate doing sth. / to do sth. | odiar / detestar No me gusta nada... |
| have (<i>had, had</i>) | tener |

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| - have to do sth. | tener que hacer algo |
| - have a good / poor memory | tener buena / mala memoria |
| help | ayudar |
| hear (<i>heard, heard</i>) | oír |
| - hear from sb. | tener noticias de |
| help | ayudar |
| heat (a room, a house) | calentar/ |
| hit (<i>hit, hit</i>) | chocar con |
| help sb. to do sth. | ayudar a alguien a hacer algo |
| hide (<i>hid, hidden</i>) (sth. / oneself) | esconder |
| hire (a car) | contratar/emplear |
| hit (<i>hit, hit</i>) | golpear |
| hold (<i>held, held</i>) | llevar / sostener |
| - hold a meeting | tener una reunión |
| - I was help up in heavy traffic an hour. | |
| hope that... / for sth. | esperar que / tener la esperanza que |
| hurry up | darse prisa |
| imagine doing sth. | imaginarse hacienda algo |
| import (goods) | importar |
| improve | mejorar |
| include doing sth. (My job includes traveling a lot.) | incluir (Mi trabajo incluye viajar mucho.) |
| increase | aumentar |
| influence | influenciar/ influir |
| inform sb. about sth. | informar sobre |
| injure / get injured | herir / resultar herido |
| insist on doing sth. | insistir sobre |
| insure against | asegurar contra |
| intend to do sth. | intentar hacer algo |
| interrupt | interrumpir algo/ alguien |
| introduce | presentar |
| invade (a country) | invadir |
| invent | inventar |
| invite sb. to sth. / sb. to do sth. | invitar |
| involve (My job involves working late.) | implicar (Mi trabajo implica trabajar hasta tarde.) |
| iron / do the ironing | planchar |
| join (a club) | unirse a |

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| - join the army | alistarse en el ejército |
| joke about sth. | bromear |
| judge sb. by sth. | juzgar |
| jump | saltar |
| keep sth. (<i>kept, kept</i>) - keep doing sth. = to keep on doing sth. - Keep up the good work ! - keep calm - keep straight on - keep a promise | mantener seguir / continuar haciendo algo Qué siga el buen trabajo ! mantenerse tranquilo seguir todo recto/ derecho mantener/ cumplir una promesa |
| kick | patear |
| kill | matar |
| kiss | besar |
| knit (<i>knit</i> or <i>knitted</i> / <i>knit</i> or <i>knitted</i>) | hacer punta |
| knock (on the door) - The fall knocked him out . | golpear (la puerta) El golpe lo hizo perder el conocimiento |
| know about | saber (de) |
| lack | carecer de |
| land (plane) - land on one's feet | aterrizar caer parado |
| last | durar |
| laugh about | reírse (de) |
| lay (<i>laid, laid</i>) | colocar |
| lead (<i>lead, lead</i>) sb. somewhere - Where does this road lead ? - Which team is leading ? | dirigir ¿ A dónde me lleva esta calle ? ¿ Qué equipo está primero ? |
| learn to do sth. (<i>learnt, learnt</i>) | aprender |
| leave (<i>left, left</i>) - leave sb. - He left out some important facts. | irse / marcharse abandonar El dejó afuera hechos importantes. |
| lend (<i>lent, lent</i>) (sb. money) | prestar |
| let sb. do sth. (<i>let, let</i>) - Let me think. - Let's go out tonight ! | dejar a alguien hacer algo Déjame pensar. Vamos a salir esta noche ! |
| lie (<i>lay, lain</i>) / to lie down down | estar tumbado / tumbarse |
| lie to sb. | mentirle a alguien |
| Please help me to lift this table. | Ayúdame a levantar esta mesa. |

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| like sth / doing sth. | gustar algo/ alguien |
| limit (the damage) | limitar |
| listen to sb. / music / the radio | escuchar (música / oír la radio) |
| live | vivir |
| load | cargar/llevar |
| lock (up) | cerrar con llave |
| look - look like / She looks like her sister. - It looks like we have to.... - Who`s looking after the baby now ? - to look around - I`m looking forward to going to the party. - Look out , the traffic is very heavy. - Look up the meaning in a dictionary. | mirar parecerse a / Ella se parece a su hermana. Parece que tenemos que... ¿ Quién esta cuidando al bebe ahora ? echar un vistazo Espero ir a la fiesta. Cuidado, el transito esta pesado. Buscar el significado de una palabra en el diccionario. |
| lose (<i>lost, lost</i>) | perder |
| love sb. love doing sth. | amar gustarle mucho a uno |
| lower (standards, one`s expectations) | bajar/reducir |
| manufacture | fabricar |
| mail / to send by mail | enviar un mail (correo electrónico) |
| make (<i>made, made</i>) - make sb. do sth. - make sure that... - make (a story) up | hacer algo hacer que alguien haga algo asegurarse que inventar (una historia) |
| manage to do sth. manage (a club, band...) | manejarse /arreglárselas para hacer algo gestionar algo |
| mark | señalar/calificar |
| marry | casarse |
| match | igualar |
| matter - It doesn`t matter. | importar No tiene importancia. |
| mean (<i>meant, meant</i>) - I mean that... - What does this mean ? - What do you mean ? / What do you mean by...? - I didn`t mean to hurt you. | significar Quiero decir que ¿ Qué significa esto ? ¿ Qué quieres decir ? / ¿ Que quieres decir con...? No quería lastimarte. / tener la intención de hacer |
| measure | medir |

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| meet (<i>met, met</i>) | conocer/encontrarse con |
| melt | derretir |
| mend | remendar /zurcir |
| mention doing sth. | mencionar |
| mind - Would you mind if I call tomorrow ? - Do you mind me smoking ? - I don` t mind. / I don` t mind waiting a bit. - Mind your head ! | importar ¿ Tienes inconveniente si te llamo mañana? ¿ Te importa si fumo? No tengo inconveniente. Preocúpate por tus cosas ! |
| miss sb. / to miss doing sth. | extrañar a alguien / extrañar hacer algo |
| mix | mezclar |
| move | mover(se) |
| move (to another flat / country) | mudarse / trasladarse |
| multiply by | multiplicar por |
| murder | asesinar |
| name - Can you name ten African countries ? | nombrar/poner un nombre ¿ Puedes nombrar 10 países africanos ? |
| note sth. down | anotar |
| notice sth. - Did you notice anything wrong ? | darse cuenta/advertir/percibir ¿ Adviertes algo malo ? |
| need to do / to be | necesitar |
| offer (sb.) to do sth. | ofrecer |
| open - open an account | abrir abrir una cuenta corriente |
| operate | operar algo |
| order | pedir (en un bar o restaurante) / ordenar , mandar |
| organize | organizar algo |
| overtake a car (overtook, overtaken) | adelantar |
| owe sb. sth. (You owe me an excuse.) | deber |
| pay (<i>paid, paid</i>) | pagar |
| pack (a suitcase) | hacer el equipaje / hacer las maletas |
| paint | pintar algo |
| park (a car) | estacionar |
| part from someone | despedirse |
| pass (time, an exam) | pasar (tiempo/ pasar un examen |
| phone | telefonar / hablar por teléfono |

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| pick up (from the floor) | recoger |
| pay (for) | pagar |
| play - play the part of someone (= to act) | jugar a hacer/desempeñar el papel de... (actuar) |
| please | complacer a alguien |
| point at sth. | señalar algo |
| post a letter | enviar una carta |
| pour (a drink / coffee) | derramar |
| practise doing sth. | practicar |
| press | apretar |
| prefer doing sth. to doing sth. / sth. to sth. | preferir |
| prepare | preparar |
| press - press a button | apretar / empujar presionar un botón |
| prevent sb. from doing sth. | impedir / evitar |
| print sth. | imprimir |
| produce | producir |
| promise (sb.) to do sth. | prometer |
| pronounce (a word correctly) | pronunciar |
| protect sb. from sth. | proteger |
| prove sth. | probar |
| provide sb. with sth. | proveer |
| pull | tirar / estirar |
| punish sb. for sth. / sb. for doing sth. | castigar |
| push | empujar |
| put (put, put) - Put the book away. - The meeting was put off until the next week. - He put on a suit. - The fire was quickly put out. - They have put up the prices again. | poner / colocar guardar el libro posponer ponerse un traje El fuego fue rápidamente apagado. Tuvieron que subir los precios nuevamente. |
| qualify for | calificar para |
| quit (quit, quit) (a club) - quit doing sth. | abandonar dejar de hacer algo |
| rain | llover |
| raise sth. (Raise your arm.) - raise prices | levantar (Levanta tu brazo.) levantar/subir precios |

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| reach (a place) / for sth. | llegar a / alcanzar |
| read - read a notice | leer leer un anuncio |
| realize that | darse cuenta de |
| receive | recibir |
| recognize sb. / that | reconocerle a alguien |
| recommend sth. / sb. to do sth. | recomendar algo |
| record (a song) | grabar una canción |
| recover from (an illness, a shock) | recuperarse |
| reduce by ...% | reducir |
| refund money | devolver/reintegrar dinero |
| refuse to do sth. | negarse a hacer algo / rechazar |
| regret sth./ doing sth. | arrepentirse de |
| relax | relajar(se) |
| remain (somewhere / seated / silent) | permanecer (en un lugar, sentado) |
| remember sth. / doing sth. - Please remember to buy some milk. - You remind me of your little sister. - Please remind me to bring ... | recordar / acordarse de Acuérdate de... ! Me recuerdas a tu hermana pequeña. Recuérdate traer... |
| remove sth. from | remover/ eliminar |
| rent sth. (a car , flat...) | alquilar |
| repair | reparar |
| repeat doing sth. | repetir |
| replace sth. by | sustituir |
| reply sth. to sb. | responder |
| report sth. to sb. | reportar |
| request | solicitar |
| require - This requires a lot of skill. | requerir Esto requiere mucha destreza. |
| rescue sb. from | rescatar de |
| reserve (a seat, a hotel room) | reservar |
| respect | respetar |
| rest (from work) / to have a rest - The doctor told me to rest. | descansar El doctor me dijo que descansara. |
| retire (from work / from a job) | retirarse |
| return (home) | retornar/ volver |

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| review | revisar/ repasar |
| revise | revisar |
| reward sb. for | premiar a alguien por /recompensar |
| ring (<i>rang, rung</i>) (the phone/ door-bell) - Please ring back later. - I`ll give you a ring. | sonar Por favor llama mas tarde. Te llamo después. |
| rise (<i>rose, risen</i>) - The sun rises in the East - Prices are rising. | El sol sale por el este. Los precios están subiendo. |
| rob | robar algo |
| rule a country | gobernar un país |
| run - run in a race - run business - He ran out of time. - to run away | correr correr una carrera manejar un negocio quedarse sin tiempo escaparse |
| sack | despedir (de un trabajo) |
| sail | navegar |
| save - save time / money | salvar a alguien ahorrar tiempo/ dinero |
| say (<i>said, said</i>) | decir |
| score (a goal) | hacer un gol |
| scream at sb. | gritarle a alguien |
| search for sth. | buscar algo |
| see (<i>saw, seen</i>) | ver |
| seem to be | parecer |
| select | seleccionar |
| sell (<i>sold, sold</i>) | vender |
| send (<i>sent, sent</i>) - send sth. by post | enviar enviar por correo |
| separate sth. from sth. - She set off early for work. (<i>set, set</i>) - He set up his own business. | separar de Ella partió temprano hacia el trabajo. El creó/estableció su propio negocio. |
| sew (<i>sewed, sewn</i>) | coser |
| shake (<i>shook, shaken</i>) | sacudir |
| sit (<i>sat, sat</i>) - sit down | estar sentado sentarse |

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| - sit in the shade | sentarse en la sombra |
| shake | agitar / temblar |
| share sth. with sb. - share a view | compartir compartir una opinión |
| shave | afeitarse |
| shine (<i>shone, shone</i>) | brillar |
| shock | consternarse/ shockearse |
| shoot (shot, shot) | lanzar / tirar un tiro |
| shout at sb. | gritar |
| show (<i>showed, shown</i>) - Show it to me. | enseñar / mostrar Muéstramelo. |
| shut (<i>shut, shut</i>) | cerrar |
| sign a (document) | firmar |
| signal at sb. | hacer señas |
| sing (<i>sang, sung</i>) | cantar |
| sink (<i>sank, sunk</i>) The ship began to sink. | hundirse El barco comenzó a hundirse. |
| ski | esquiar |
| sleep (<i>slept, slept</i>) | dormir |
| slip on the ice | resbalarse en el hielo |
| smell (<i>smelt, smelt</i>) | oler |
| smile | sonreír |
| smoke | fumar |
| snow | nevar |
| We need to sort out the problem. | Tenemos que solucionar el problema. |
| That sounds like a good idea. | Parece una buena idea. |
| speak (<i>spoke, spoken</i>) - speak to sb. - speak languages / a language | hablar hablar con hablar idiomas |
| spell (<i>spelt, spelt</i>) | deletrear |
| - spend time with (<i>spent, spent</i>) - spend money on | pasar tiempo con gastar dinero en |
| play on a swing | hamacarse |
| spill | derramar |
| spoil sth. (<i>spoilt, spoilt</i>) | echar a perder / estropear / malcriar |
| stain | manchar |

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| stand (<i>stood, stood</i>) - to stand up - I can't stand smoking . | estar de pie ponerse de pie No puedo soportar... |
| start | comenzar/ empezar |
| stay - stay behind | quedarse / permanecer quedarse atrás / para atrás |
| steal (<i>stole, stolen</i>) | robar |
| stop - top doing sth. | parar dejar de hacer algo |
| store sth. | almacenar |
| stress (the importance of sth.) | estresarse |
| strike (<i>struck, struck</i>) | hacer huelga/ paro |
| study | estudiar |
| succeed in doing sth. | tener éxito en algo |
| suffer - suffer from (shock) | sufrir sufrir de |
| suggest doing sth. | sugerir algo |
| sum up (a story) | sumar |
| supply sb. with sth. | abastecer / suministrar |
| support sb. / support a team | apoyar / apoyar un equipo = ser hincha de |
| suppose - I suppose it's true. | suponer Supongo que es verdad. |
| surprise | sorprender |
| sweep the floor (<i>swept, swept</i>) | barrer el piso |
| surprise | sorprender |
| swim (<i>swam, swum</i>) | nadar |
| swing backwards and forwards (<i>swang, swung</i>) | ir para atrás y para adelante |
| switch / turn on | encender |
| switch / turn off | apagar |
| take st (<i>took, taken</i>) - take place - take a long time - take a holiday - take a photo - take part in sth. - take sth. away from sb. - take off (clothes) | tomar/traer/ agarrar llevarse a cabo en tomarse mucho tiempo tomar vacaciones tomar una foto formar parte de sacar algo de alguien sacarse/ quitarse la ropa |

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| - take up sth. / a new hobby | comenzar algo nuevo |
| talk - talk about - talk to | hablar hablar de hablar con |
| tape a conversation | grabar una conversación |
| taste sth. - This tastes good. (food) - taste of | probar (el sabor de algo) - esta rico / sabroso - tener sabor a |
| teach (<i>taught, taught</i>) | enseñar |
| tear (tore, torn) | rasgar |
| tell (<i>told, told</i>) - tell a story - tell the truth | contar / decir contar una historia decir la verdad |
| test sb. on sth. | testear/ poner a prueba |
| thank sb. for sth. | agradecer |
| think (<i>thought, thought</i>) - What are you thinking about ? - I`ll think about it. | pensar ¿ En que piensas ? Lo pensaré. |
| throw (<i>threw, thrown</i>) - throw away | lanzar / tirar |
| tidy up | arreglar / poner en orden |
| tie sth. to sth. (with a string) | atar |
| translate from ...into | traducir |
| travel | viajar |
| trust sb. | confiar en |
| try to do sth. - try on clothes | intentar / probar to try on clothes |
| turn - Could you turn down the music ? - How could you turn down that offer ? - Please turn off the radio. - Can you turn on the TV, please. - It turned out to be the wrong number. | girar ¿ Puedes bajar la música ? ¿ Puedes rechazar la oferta ? ¿ Puedes apagar la radio ? ¿ Puedes encender la TV, por favor ? Resultó ser un numero equivocado. |
| type (a letter) | escribir a maquina |
| understand = to see why (<i>understood, understood</i>) | entender |
| undress | quitarse la ropa /desvestirse |
| update | actualizar |

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| use - use up | utilizar / usar consumir |
| I used to cycle a lot when I was young. | Yo solía andar en bicicleta cuando era joven. |
| visit | visitar |
| vote for sb. (in an election) | votar |
| wait for sb. | esperar a alguien |
| wake up / to wake sb. up (woke, woken) | despertarse / despertarle a alguien |
| walk | caminar / andar |
| want to do sth. | querer (hacer algo) |
| warn sb. of the dangers of doing sth. / not to do sth. | advertir |
| wash (oneself) | lavar |
| waste (money, time on) | desperdiciar / gastar (en) |
| watch | mirar / observar |
| watch TV | ver la televisión |
| wave goodbye | hacer adiós |
| weaken | debilitar |
| wear (clothes) (<i>wore, worn</i>) - to wear off / Has the pain worn off yet ? | llevar puesto / usar ropa El dolor se fue? |
| weigh | pesar |
| welcome | dar la bienvenida a alguien |
| win (<i>won, won</i>) - win a race | ganar ganar una carrera |
| wind up the car windows. (<i>wound, wound</i>) | cerrar/ levantar los vidrios del auto |
| wish | desear |
| witness | presenciar |
| wonder why / if... | preguntarse |
| work for sb. | trabajar (para) |
| worry about | preocuparse por... |
| write (a note / a letter) (<i>wrote, written</i>) | escribir (una nota / una carta) |