

# ADDING -ING



# VERB + -ING

TALK + *ing* > TALKING

COOK + *ing* > COOKING

READ + *ing* > READING

# VERBS ENDING IN -E

( the silent -e drops )

LEAVE + **ing** > LEAV**ING**

TAKE + **ing** > TAK**ING**

COME + **ing** > COM**ING**

# VERBS ENDING IN -EE

( the final -e doesn't drop )

SEE + **ing** > SEE**ING**

AGREE + **ing** > AGREE**ING**

# ONE-SYLLABLE VERBS

( CVC )

SIT + **ing** > SIT**TING**  
GET + **ing** > GET**TING**  
RUN + **ing** > RUN**NING**

**EXCEPTIONS ( -w, -x, -y ):**

SEW + **ing** > SEW**ING**  
FIX + **ing** > FIX**ING**  
ENJOY + **ing** > ENJOY**ING**

# TWO-SYLLABLE VERBS

( CVC )

2<sup>nd</sup> SYLLABLE STRESSED > DOUBLE CONSONANT

Ex. BEGIN + **ing** > BEGIN**NING**

1<sup>st</sup> SYLLABLE STRESSED > NO CHANGE

Ex. LISTEN + **ing** > LISTEN**ING**

# VERBS ENDING IN -L

TRAVEL + **ing** > TRAVELL**ING**

**EXCEPT:** SAIL + **ing** > SAIL**ING**

# VERBS ENDING IN -IE

( IE > Y )

DIE + **ing** > D**Y**ING

LIE + **ing** > L**Y**ING