

Some words tell us what a person, an animal or a thing does.
Such words are called **verbs**.
Examples: Birds **chirp**. A ship **sails**.

J. Match the nouns with the verbs.

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| 1. dog | → | a. cries (3) |
| 2. painter | → | b. barks (1) |
| 3. baby | → | c. teaches (4) |
| 4. teacher | → | d. paints (2) |

K. Write the correct verbs in the blanks.

- A worm can crawl (fly/crawl)
- A duck can swim (talk/swim)
- A kangaroo can hop (laugh/hop)
- A wolf can howl (howl/swing)
- A sparrow can fly (bark/fly)



We add **-ing** to words when we talk about an action that is taking place now.

Examples: Anita is drawing a picture. Mohan is drinking milk.

L. Add **-ing** to these verbs.

- fall falling
- sing singing
- play playing
- jump jumping
- sleep sleeping
- walk walking
- read reading



8. eat

eating

9. climb

climb

M. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1. Minu is reading the newspaper. (read)

2. Granny is stitching a shirt. (stitch)

3. The children are studying for their exams. (study)

4. Neha is walking towards the door. (walk)

5. The dog is playing with Jai. (play)