

El Presente

Regular “ar” verbs

1. Drop the “ar”
2. Add the appropriate ending based on the subject

Regular “ar” endings

o	amos
as	
a	an

Example: hablar: to speak; to talk

hablo	hablamos
hablas	
habla	hablan

andar: to walk

caminar: to walk

cantar: to sing

bailar: to dance

alquilar: to rent

arreglar: to fix, to straighten

ayudar: to help

viajar: to travel

trabajar: to work

usar: to use

montar: to ride

comprar: to buy

cambiar: to change

dibujar: to draw

escuchar: to listen
estudiar: to study
descansar: to rest
enseñar: to teach
ganar: to earn, to win
llamar: to call
llorar: to cry
lavar: to wash
llegar: to arrive
limpiar: to clean
mirar: to look at; to watch
necesitar: to need
nadar: to swim
olvidar: to forget
preguntar: to question
practicar: to practice
pasar (tiempo): to spend, to pass (time)
pintar: to paint
tocar: to touch, to play (an instrument)
preparar: to prepare

Regular “er” verbs

Regular “er” verb endings

o	emos
es	
e	en

Example: Comer: to eat

como	comemos
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comes	
come	comen

correr: to run

beber: to drink

leer: to read

creer: to think; to believe

deber: should

aprender: to learn

comprender: to understand

vender: to sell

Regular “ir” verbs

Regular “ir” verb endings

o	imos
es	
e	en

Example: vivir: to live

vivo	vivimos
vives	
vive	viven

abrir: to open

escribir: to write

asistir: to attend

compartir: to share

recibir: to receive

Irregular Verbs

Ser: to be

soy	somos
eres	
es	son

Estar: to be

estoy	estamos
estás	
está	están

Ir: to go

voy	vamos
vas	
va	van

Tener: to have

tengo	tenemos
tienes	
tiene	tienen

Venir: to come

vengo	venimos
vienes	
viene	viene

Irregular “yo” forms

hacer: to do, to make	hago
salir: to leave, to go out	salgo
poner: to put, to place, to set	pongo
ver: to see	veo
dar: to give	doy
saber: to know	sé
traer: to bring	traigo
escoger: to choose	escojo

Stem-Changers

u-ue

Jugar: to play

juego	jugamos
juegas	
juega	juegan

e-ie

Example: cerrar: to close

cierro	cerramos
cierras	
cierra	cierran

empezar: to start; to begin

comenzar: to start; to begin

querer: to want

preferir: to prefer

perder: to lose
recomendar: to recommend
pensar: to think
entender: to understand

o-ue

Example: probar: to try; to taste

prueba	probamos
pruebas	
prueba	prueban

poder: to be able, "can"
soñar: to dream
volar: to fly
almorzar: to eat lunch
recordar: to remember
mover: to move

e-i

Example: repetir: to repeat

repito	repetimos
repites	
repite	repiten

servir: to serve
pedir: to order, to ask for