

Adding ing

Remember

If a word ends with **e**, drop the **e** to add **ing**.

hide → hid**ing** like → lik**ing** slide → slid**ing**

Try it

1 Add **ing** to these action words. Write the new words.

fall	<u>falling</u>	shake	_____
hold	_____	hope	_____
smile	_____	snore	_____
come	_____	rain	_____
shout	_____	have	_____

2 Complete the **ing** words. Use the action words in the pink box.

stroke boil ride wait burst drive

r _____ a bike	w _____ for a bus
b _____ a balloon	d _____ a car
st _____ the cat	b _____ hot water



Read–cover–write

Read this sentence and remember it. Then cover it and write it underneath.

I was having fun riding my bike.

Check your spellings with the answers on page 41. Test yourself, or get a friend to test you.

I can add **ing** to words ending with **e**.