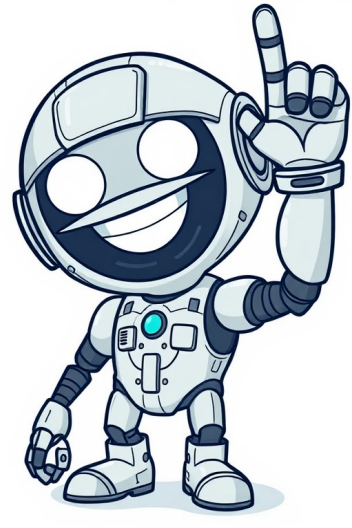


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Using phrases like "dedicated to" can sometimes be tricky in English. For instance, these words are used to express how we think and feel, as seen here: "These words are used to express how we think and feel." "Notice how they are followed by a simple present tense verb." "All kinds of jobs are listed on the internet." When we say "dedicated to", it often works like this: "I am dedicated to my husband" or "I am dedicated to making this world a better place." But sometimes, people write: "I am dedicated to do..." and wonder if this is correct. Actually, according to one of the dictionaries I own, "dedicated to" cannot be followed by the original form of a verb; it must be followed by a noun, pronoun, or gerund. This is because "to" here isn't a to-infinitive. Yet, I came across so many sentences using "dedicated to be" and "dedicated to do" on the internet. Hi, According to one of the dictionaries I own, "dedicated to" cannot be followed by the original form of a verb; it must be followed by a noun, pronoun, or gerund, because "to" here is not a to-infinitive. However, I came across so many sentences using "dedicated to be" and "dedicated to do" on the Internet. Could anyone explain this to me? Is it grammatically correct to use "dedicated to do..."? Hi, sus4! I wouldn't use the internet as your source of gramatically correct English. You will find so many errors! I would not say "I am dedicated to do...". It is not correct. Some ways you could use this phrase: I am dedicated to my husband. I am dedicated to making this world a better place. Hi, According to one of the dictionaries I own, "dedicated to" cannot be followed by the original form of a verb; it must be followed by a noun, pronoun, or gerund, because "to" here is not a to-infinitive. However, I came across so many sentences using "dedicated to be" and "dedicated to do" on the Internet. Could anyone explain this to me? Is it grammatically correct to use "dedicated to do..."? I found only four examples in the British National Corpus (BNC): "the ultimate in designer resorts, one enormous pleasure garden dedicated to give as much as possible to as many as". One needs to be dedicated to play rugby nowadays. The America First Committee was formed, dedicated to keep the nation out of the war and opposed to. a non-ideological, non-denominational, profit-making organization dedicated to bring together people from many different Hi joylolade, thanks for your help! I got confused because some of the sources I referred to were newspapers, government Web sites, and such. Thanks M56! I didn't know of the British National Corpus. This seems like a great resource. It is. Here's a link to it: If you need help using it, just ask. I would have preferred the -ing form on those examples except for this one: "One needs to be dedicated to play rugby nowadays", This one is correct, because dedicated is an adjective here, not a verb: One needs to be dedicated in order to play rugby. Yes, me too. Sorry, but I'm afraid I don't get the adjective/verb difference. One needs to be dedicated to breed a child Right now I'm dedicated to breeding my child Are they correct? Is that what you tried to explain? Are they correct? Is that what you tried to explain? Syntactically, those sentences are correct; they reflect what has been said above. Semantically, you may want to have another look at them. The difference between a) One needs to be dedicated to play rugby nowadays. (correct) b) The committee was dedicated to keep the nation out of the war. (incorrect) is that in a) 'to' is a preposition with the meaning 'in order to', whereas in b) 'to' is the particle of the infinitive 'to keep'.the key thing about doing something is to be determined and dedicated to continually improving your English skills I see thank you so much for explaining this velisarius we discussed with my friend whether or not it is possible to use the verbing form in order to do something but not to do something for example smaller companies were merged into the parent company in order to create a single organization is this true no they merged in order to create a single organization xqby is correct in order to really creates an infinitive which does not allow the use of an ing ending which is used in forming the gerund so you can say in order to create or for the purpose of creating hello what about in order for it requires a noun doesn't it they merged in order for creating a corporation no that does not work either I found an explanation as to the use of this structure in question order purpose noun in order to/in order for/in order that with the aim of achieving something source I assumed that in order for calls for the gerund but it seems I was wrong PS it has just dawned on me that in order for requires a subject please accept my apologies for hijacking the thread last edited mar 20 2009 actually audiolaik you were correct that in order for could be followed by a gerund since in order for ends in a preposition it requires an object which could be a noun pronoun or gerund which functions as a noun an example in order for boxing to gain respectability it needs to rid itself of in my previous post I was referring strictly to the construction in order to which has to complete the infinitive in order that is looking for a clause to complete it I have never seen in order for either written or spoken It wasn't the first thing I thought of either but it is a perfectly acceptable and commonplace construction as loob audiolaik and g_man_50 explain above in order for requires a noun and an infinitive and the noun may be a gerund a verbal noun but need not be in order for voting to take place a quorum must be present in order for voters to have a real chance to make an informed choice they must know where candidates stand on the issues it's probably rather more common in written English than in spoken English chamyto is slightly formal whether followed by to or for ... to or that thanks a lot to all of you I understand better now according to my gramar book in order for is grammatically incorrect this is very curious but impossible to discuss without more information would you tell us the reason it gives for this claimThe use of vague verbs followed by abstract nouns in English can be avoided by using powerful verbs and concrete nouns instead. This helps to make sentences more clear and effective. In the given sentence, "Then he would be doing society a sterling services," the verb phrase "would be doing" is used in a hypothetical context. ## The Meaning of "Would Be Doing" The meaning of "would be doing" can vary depending on the context. It can refer to past or future time, and it is often used in conditional sentences to express a hypothetical situation. ## Tense and Modality However, the sentence is not in the past progressive tense, as suggested by some grammarians. Instead, it uses modal verbs to convey epistemic modality, which refers to a judgment or deduction made by the speaker based on certain facts or assumptions. ## The Role of Modal Verbs Modal verbs like "would" are considered finite and are used to mark modality, not tense. In this sentence, "would be doing" marks epistemic modality, which becomes clear when we see the entire conditional sentence. ## Clarification It's worth noting that traditional grammar sometimes considers "would be doing" as the progressive tense, but this is not accurate. The verb phrase itself is tenseless because its components are also tenseless.

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