

# Rules for Adding '-ing'

Short vowel sound, with one consonant –  
double the consonant and add '-ing'

hit **t**ing

Short vowel sound, with two  
consonants – add '-ing'

jump**ing**

Ending in 'e' – drop the 'e'  
then add '-ing'

joke~~e~~ **ing**

Long vowel sound – just add '-ing'

sail**ing**