

Complete the sentences using action verbs

Action verbs: Action verbs express specific actions -- both physical and mental.

Complete each sentence by using an action verb from the box. The first sentence has been done as an example.

sailed, think, smiled, cheered, paid, writing, hopped, listening, flew, counted, bake, reading

- 1 Joey and Rachel sailed up the Hudson river all afternoon.
- 2 I could not _____ of a better gift for you.
- 3 Chandler and Monica _____ at each other.
- 4 I _____ the cashier yesterday.
- 5 The teacher _____ the number of pupils in the bus.
- 6 I can't _____ soft bread.
- 7 Ben _____ his father from his seat at the stadium.
- 8 Two little bunnies _____ into my backyard last evening.
- 9 Grandma was _____ to an old song on her gramophone.
- 10 I am _____ a letter to my best friend.
- 11 I am _____ an interesting murder mystery these days.
- 12 The parrot _____ away as soon as I opened the cage.