Put the verb into the gerund or the infinitive with ‘to’:

1. It appears ________________ (be) raining.
2. We intend ________________ (go) to the countryside this weekend.
3. I pretended ________________ (be) sick so I didn’t have to go to work.
4. Can you imagine ________________ (live) without TV?
5. They tolerate ________________ (smoke) but they prefer people not to.
6. I anticipate ________________ (arrive) on Tuesday.
7. A wedding involves ________________ (negotiate) with everyone in the family.
8. He denies ________________ (steal) the money.
9. He claims ________________ (be) a millionaire but I don’t believe him.
10. I expect ________________ (be) there about seven.
11. Julia reported ________________ (see) the boys to the police.
12. It tends ________________ (rain) a lot in Scotland.
13. Do you recall ________________ (meet) her at the party last week?
14. She mentioned ________________ (go) to the cinema, but I don’t know what she decided to do in the end.
15. The teenager refused ________________ (go) on holiday with his parents.
16. I understand ________________ (be) late once or twice, but every day is too much!
17. I would prefer you ________________ (come) early if you can.
18. That criminal deserves ________________ (get) a long sentence.
19. She completed ________________ (paint) her flat.
20. We arranged ________________ (meet) at four but at four thirty she still hadn’t arrived.
Answers:

1. to be
2. to go
3. to be
4. living
5. smoking
6. arriving
7. negotiating
8. stealing
9. to be
10. to be
11. seeing
12. to rain
13. meeting
14. going
15. to go
16. being
17. to come
18. to get
19. painting
20. to meet
21.