

## **Words to Practise in the Present Participle**

Read the following present participle verbs out loud using the three different pronunciations of ING.

<b>Present Participle</b>	/ɪŋ/	/ɪn/	/ən/
being	biːɪŋ	biːɪn	bi:ən
calling	kɔːlɪŋ	kɔːlɪn	kɔːlən
coming	kʌmɪŋ	kʌmɪn	kʌmən
doing	duːɪŋ	duːɪn	du:ən
feeling	fiːlɪŋ	fiːlɪn	fiːlən
finding	faɪndɪŋ	faɪndɪn	faɪndən
getting	gɛtɪŋ	gɛtɪn	gɛtən
giving	giviŋ	givin	gīvən
going	gəʊɪŋ	gəʊɪn	gəʊən
having	hævɪŋ	hævɪn	hævən
looking	lʊkɪŋ	lʊkɪn	lʊkən
making	meɪkɪŋ	meɪkɪn	meɪkən
saying	seɪɪŋ	seɪɪn	seiən
seeing	siːɪŋ	siːɪn	si:ən
taking	teɪkɪŋ	teɪkɪn	teɪkən
thinking	θιηκιη	θιŋkɪn	θɪŋkən
trying	traɪɪŋ	traɪɪn	traɪən
using	juːzɪŋ	juːzɪn	juːzən
wanting	wɒntɪŋ	wontin	netnaw
working	wɜːkɪŋ	waːkɪn	wзːkən



## **Sentences to Practise in the Present Perfect Continuous Tense**

Read the following present perfect continuous sentences in their affirmative and negative form to focus on the word and sentence stress.

No	Affirmative	Negative	
1	I have been jumping	I have not been jumping	
2	They have been waving	They have not been waving	
3	He has been singing	He has not been singing	
4	She has been writing	She has not been writing	
5	You have been dancing	You have not been dancing	
6	It has been raining	It has not been raining	
7	They have been clapping	They have not been clapping	
8	You have been playing	You have not been playing	
9	We have been sleeping	We have not been sleeping	
10	He has been cleaning	He has not been cleaning	
11	She has been typing	She has not been typing	
12	I have been listening	I have not been listening	
13	We have been learning	We have not been learning	
14	You have been cooking	You have not been cooking	
15	We have been driving	We have not been driving	
16	She has been talking	She has not been talking	
17	They have been sitting	They have not been sitting	
18	He has been helping	He has not been helping	
19	It has been changing	It has not been changing	
20	They have been growing	They have not been growing	