1.	Rith abhaile! Rith mé abhaile. Bhí mé **ag rith** abhaile. Is breá liom **a bheith ag rith**.	Run home! I ran home. I was **running** home. I like **to run**.
	Ól an bheoir! D'ól me beoir. Bhí mé **ag ól** beorach. Ní maith liom beoir **a ól**.	Drink the beer! I drank beer. I was **drinking** beer. I don't like **to drink** beer.
	Ná bris na bréagáin! Bhris sé na bréagáin. Bhí sé **ag briseadh** na mbréagán. Níl sé go deas na bréagáin **a bhriseadh**.	Don't break the toys. He broke the toys. He was **breaking** the toys. It's not nice **to break** the toys.
2.	Inis an fhírinne! D'inis sí an fhírinne. Bhí sí **ag insint** na fírinne.	Tell the truth! She told the truth. She was **telling** the truth.
	Oscail an doras! D'oscail mé an doras. Bhí mé **ag oscailt** an dorais.	Open the door! I opened the door. I was **opening** the door.
	Ceannaigh na brioscaí! Cheannaigh sé na brioscaí. Bhí sé **ag ceannach** na mbrioscaí.	Buy the cookies! He bought the cookies. He was **buying** the cookies.
3.	Faigh airgead! Fuair sé airgead. Bhí sé **ag fáil** airgid.	Get [some] money! He got money. He was **getting** money.
	Téigh abhaile! Chuaigh sí abhaile. Bhí sí **ag dul** abhaile. Ba chóir duit **dul** abhaile.	Go home! She went home. She was **going** home. You should **go** home.
	Tar anuas! Tháinig an madra anuas. Bhí an madra **ag teacht** anuas.	Come down! The dog came down. The dog **was coming** down.

Comhrá 1	**Conversation 1**
A: Cad a rinne tú inné?	What did you do yesterday?
B: Bhí mé **ag siúl** sa pháirc	I was **walking** in the park
agus **ag ól** cupán caife.	and **drinking** a cup of coffee.
A: An maith leat siúcra **a chur**	Do you like **to put** sugar
i do chuid caife?	in your coffee?
B: Ní maith.	No.
Is fearr liom caife **a ól** gan siúcra.	I prefer **to drink** coffee without sugar.
A: Bímse féin **ag cur** siúcra agus uachtair	I **put** sugar and cream
i mo chuid caife.	in my coffee.
Comhrá 2	**Conversation 2**
A: Cad a rinne tú sa siopa?	What did you do in the shop?
B: Bhí mé **ag ceannach** glasraí don dinnéar.	I was **buying** vegetables for dinner.
A: Cad a bhí tú **ag insint** don siopadóir?	What were you **saying** to the shopkeeper?
B: Bhí mé **ag insint** an nuacht is déanaí dó.	I was **telling** him the latest news.
A: Agus cad a dúirt séisean?	And what did he say?
B: Ní dúirt sé rud ar bith.	He didn’t say anything.
Comhrá 3	**Conversation 3**
A: Cá bhfuil tú **ag dul**?	Where are you **going**?
B: Táim **ag dul** abhaile chun airgead **a fháil**.	I’m going home **to get** some money.
A: Cad a bheidh tú **ag déanamh** ansin?	What will you be **doing** then?
B: Beidh mé **ag teacht** ar ais anseo.	I’ll be **coming** back here.
A: An féidir liom **dul** leat?	Can I **go** with you?
B: Is féidir, cinnte.	Yes, of course.
Ceisteanna	**Questions**
An mbíonn tú **ag siúl** sa pháirc go minic?	Do you **walk** in the park often?
Cad a bhí tú **ag ól** maidin inniu?	What were you **drinking** this morning?
An maith leat siúcra **a chur** i do chuid tae?	Do you like **to put** sugar in your tea?
An raibh tú **ag obair** inniu?	Were you **working** today?
Cad a bhí tú **ag déanamh** inniu?	What were you **doing** today?
Cad ba mhaith leat **a dhéanamh** ar an deireadh seachtaine?	What would you like **to do** on the weekend?

	Dúnmharú ar an Dart 1 le Ruadhraí Ó Báille	Murder on the Dart 1 by Ruadhraí Ó Báille
1.	„Ó a dhiabhail!”	“Oh, devil!”
2.	Rith Niall Ó Conaill amach an doras ar nós na gaoithe.	Niall O’Connell ran out the door like the wind.
3.	Bhí sé a leathuair tar éis a hocht agus bhí cúig nóiméad aige chun an *Dart* **a fháil**.	It was half past eight and he had five minutes **to get** the *Dart*.
4.	Bhí a theach ar an tSeanchill síos an bóthar ón stáisiún, ach an mhaidin seo bhí sneachta agus leac oighir gach áit.	His house was in Shankill, down the road from the station, but this morning there was snow and ice everywhere.
5.	Nuair a tháinig sé go dtí bun an bhóthair, bhí an t-oighear an-dona.	When he came to the end of the road, the ice was very bad.
6.	Lean sé air, **ag rith** agus **ag scátáil** go dtí gur shroich sé an stáisiún.	He kept on, **running** and **skating** until he reached the station.
7.	Go tobann, tógadh dá chosa é!	Suddenly, he was swept from his feet.
8.	„Aaaaaaaagh!”	„Aaaaaaaagh!”
9.	Chuaigh a chás suas san aer, agus thit Niall ar a thóin ar an talamh.	His case went up in the air and Niall fell on his bum on the ground.
10.	Bhí áthas air nach raibh aon daoine timpeall.	He was happy that there weren’t any people around.
11.	Sheas sé agus thosaigh sé **ag siúl** arís – go mall an uair seo.	He stood and he began **walking** again – slowly this time.
12.	Ansin, chuala sé an traein, agus thosaigh sé **ag rith**.	Then, he heard the train, and he began **running**.
13.	Ach bhí sé ródhéanach.	But he was too late.
14.	Nuair a shroich sé an t-ardán, chonaic sé na doirse **ag dúnadh** agus an traein **ag imeacht** léi.	When he reached the platform, he saw the doors **closing** and the train **going** off.
15.	„Damnú air!” ar seisean.	„Damn it!” he said.
16.	Tháinig traein eile, agus fuair Niall suíochán gan aon trioblóid.	Another train came, and Niall got a seat without any trouble.
17.	„Huh! Tá gach duine fós sa leaba!” a dúirt sé leis féin.	„Huh! Everybody is still in bed!” he said to himself.
18.	„Is amadán mise agus **teacht** amach maidin mar seo.	„I’m a fool **coming** out a morning like this.
19.	Beidh an scoil dúnta.”	The school will be closed.”