Gerund vs. Infinitive

Fill in the blanks with the appropriate form of the verb.

1. I am thinking .................................. a business.
   - to start
   - of starting

2. I stopped her .................................. my room.
   - to enter
   - from entering

3. They encouraged me ................................. again.
   - to try
   - trying
   - from trying
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4. I am tired .............................. to advice.
   to listen
   of listening

5. I saw them ............................... in the garden.
   Please select 2 correct answers
   play
   playing
   to play

6. She was told ............................
   to quit
   quitting
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7. I was made ..................... the whole story.

8. Harsh punishments may deter potential offenders ..................... a crime.

9. I was not allowed .....................
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10. The illness prohibited her ......................... blood.

to donate

from donating

11. I was advised ................................. harder.

to work

working

to working
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12. We could not restrain him from attacking us.

from attacking

to attack

from attack

Answers

I am thinking of starting a business.
I stopped her from entering my room.
They encouraged me to try again.
I am tired of listening to advice.
I saw them playing / play in the garden.
She was told to quit.
I was made to repeat the whole story.
Harsh punishments may deter potential offenders from committing a crime.
I was not allowed to go.
The illness prohibited her from donating blood.
I was advised to work harder.
We could not restrain him from attacking us.