

# Conjugating –ER Verbs:

- A **verb infinitive** tell you the action, but it doesn't tell you who's doing it.
- It is recognized in the English language by **the word 'to' in front of a verb** (example – 'to jump').
- In Spanish, a verb infinitive is most any **word that ends in –AR, –ER, or –IR.**

To conjugate an –ER verb, **drop the –ER and add:**

Subject Pronoun	Verb Ending ( <i>Spanish</i> )
yo	<b>-o</b>
tú	<b>-es</b>
él, ella, usted, object (singular)	<b>-e</b>
nosotros	<b>-emos</b>
ellos, ustedes, objects (plural)	<b>-en</b>

Example: **LEER**

Subject Pronoun	Verb ( <i>Spanish</i> )	Verb ( <i>English</i> )
yo	leo	I read
tú	lees	you (familiar) read
él, ella, usted, object (singular)	lee	he, she, you (formal), object reads
nosotros	leemos	we read
ellos, ustedes, objects (plural)	leen	they, you all (plural), objects read

