

How do **–ER verbs** work in Spanish in the PRESENT TENSE?

leer	belongs to the –ER group of verbs
aprender	belongs to the –ER group of verbs
comer	belongs to the –ER group of verbs
beber	belongs to the –ER group of verbs
vender	belongs to the –ER group of verbs
correr	belongs to the –ER group of verbs

The form of the verb which ends in **–ER**
is known as the **infinitive** and always
means **TO** _____

You have met this verb form in the
construction:

me gusta **leer libros**
I like **TO READ** books



So how do you say **I read books**?
So how do you say **You (singular) read books**?
So how do you say **He/she reads books**?
So how do you say **We read books**?
So how do you say **You (plural) read books**?
So how do you say **They read books**?



I	yo	leER	leO
you (singular)	tú	leER	lees
he/she/it	él/ella	leER	lee
we	nosotros	leER	leemos
you (plural)	vosotros	leER	leéis
they	ellos/ellas	leER	leen

verb endings for -ER verbs in the present tense

I	yo	 o
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he/she/it	él/ella	 e
we	nosotros	 emos
you (plural)	vosotros	 éis
they	ellos/ellas	 en

useful vocabulary

<i>español</i>	<i>mensajes</i>	<i>patatas fritas</i>	<i>hamburguesas</i>	<i>en el parque</i>	<i>en la playa</i>
<i>francés</i>	<i>libros</i>	<i>agua</i>	<i>café</i>	<i>helados</i>	<i>refrescos</i>

¿Cómo se dice en español? (how do you say in Spanish?)

- 1) (LE**ER**) I read books _____
- 2) (APREND**ER**) I learn Spanish _____
- 3) (CORR**ER**) I run in the park _____
- 4) (COM**ER**) I eat chips _____
- 5) (BEB**ER**) I drink fizzy drinks _____
- 6) (VEND**ER**) I sell ice-creams _____
- 7) (LE**ER**) You (s) read messages _____
- 8) (APREND**ER**) You (s) learn French _____
- 9) (CORR**ER**) You (s) run on the beach _____
- 10) (COM**ER**) You (s) eat hamburgers _____
- 11) (BEB**ER**) Pedro drinks water _____
- 12) (VEND**ER**) Ana sells books _____
- 13) (CORR**ER**) Juan runs in the park _____
- 14) (COM**ER**) María eats chips _____
- 15) (BEB**ER**) Teresa drinks coffee _____
- 16) (LE**ER**) We read messages _____
- 17) (COM**ER**) We eat ice creams _____
- 18) (VEND**ER**) We sell coffee _____
- 19) (BEB**ER**) Juan and María drink fizzy drinks _____
- 20) (APREND**ER**) Oscar and Ana learn French & Spanish _____

Now write 5 sentences to say what you do in the evening using **-ER** verbs!

In the evening = por la tarde

Normally = normalmente

Sometimes = a veces

Often = a menudo

Never = nunca

And = y

Or = o

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REMEMBER

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