

Infinitive as an attribute

Инфинитив в качестве
определения

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- ▶ **Infinitive** используется для сообщения особой информации, которая ставит их в ряд первых (the first), единственных (the only), последних (the last) и т.д.
- ▶ Gutenberg was *the first* **to invent** a printing machine.

... was the first/ last/only (...)
to + infinitive

- ▶ На русский язык такая конструкция переводится с помощью придаточного определительного предложения.
- ▶ Columbus was *the first European* to come to Central America.
- ▶ Колумб был первым европейцем, который пришел в Центральную Америку

Elisabeth I / to rule / Tudor monarch / the
last / in England / to be



Florence Nightingale/to be/to change/
the first/ person/ the system of the army
hospitals



Richard Burbage/the first English actor/the role of Hamlet/ to play



Joseph Nicéphore Niépce/the first engineer/ to
be/ a photographer/ to make



Joseph Lister/ to be/ the first
doctor//with penicillin/ to treat people



Elizabeth Taylor/ to be/ the second
American actress/ in a Russian film/ to
play



Helen Sharman/ to be / to orbit/the first
British astronaut/ the Earth/ on the Mir
station



Harold Abrahams/ the first European sportsman/ to be/to win an Olympic sprint in 1924



Jayne Torvill and Christopher Dean/ to
get the best marks/to be the only ice
dancers

