

1B Compound Adjectives

- 1  1.4 Put the words in the box in the correct categories. Listen and check.

far-reaching forward-thinking highly respected life-changing middle-aged
open-minded record-breaking slow-moving time-consuming well-educated

adjective/adverb + present participle	adjective/adverb/noun + past/participle	noun + adjective/present participle
good-looking	old-fashioned self-centered	world-famous

- 2 Complete the sentences with the correct options.

- 1 That dress is very *old-fashioned* / *middle-aged*. It's totally out of style compared to your other clothes!
- 2 It's really *slow-moving* / *time-consuming* to do my homework. I'm not good at math.
- 3 When I meet new people, I always try to be *open-minded* / *well educated*, even when I don't think I like them.
- 4 My manager is very *forward-thinking* / *record-breaking* – he has some very innovative ideas.
- 5 People who are *highly respected* / *self-centered* only consider what is important for them.
- 6 A *world-famous* / *far-reaching* novelist spoke at our school yesterday, but I'd never heard of him.
- 7 When Emily was over 50, she made a *life-changing* / *middle-aged* decision and moved to China.
- 8 His decision to leave his job had *far-reaching* / *forward-thinking* consequences for his family.