

Vocabulary

Multiword verbs

1 Circle the correct option to complete the sentences.

- 1 I signed up for / worked on a group that cleans up our local beach every weekend.
- 2 The scientists carried out / consisted of a lot of tests with their equipment.
- 3 When I was at school, I belonged to / consisted of the chess club.
- 4 The team carried out / consisted of 20 scientists and engineers.
- 5 We have to belong to / come up with some new ideas for saving energy.
- 6 The team had to deal with / sign up to a new problem every week.
- 7 We spent three weeks belonging to / working on a solution to the problem.

2 Complete the text about an adventure weekend with the correct form of these multiword verbs.

belong to	carry out	come up with
consist of	deal with	sign up for
work on		

The first time I felt that I really ¹ _____ a team was when I was 16. I had ² _____ an adventure weekend. We had to ³ _____ lots of tasks in small groups. The "forest challenge" ⁴ _____ several parts. The most difficult part was to ⁵ _____ a way of crossing a river. We ⁶ _____ that for about an hour—we had lots of ideas but no equipment to help us. Everyone got wet, but we all kept working. And we had to ⁷ _____ cold rainy weather all the time. But nobody quit and we all made it back to the campground!

Listening

1 You are going to listen to two presentations for Earth Day. Before you listen, think about your answer to these questions.

- 1 What kind of thing does Earth Day focus on?
- 2 What kinds of things do you recycle at home?
- 3 Where do you take things you want to recycle?
- 4 What are some of the biggest wild animals in your country?
- 5 Do wild animals cause any problems in your country? What about in other places?





2 Listen to the presentations and complete the notes.

	Presentation 1	Presentation 2
Name of the country?	1 _____	The U.K. / England
Project?	2 _____	White-tailed eagle project
Who started the project?	3 _____	A group of people
First time doing...?	4 Recycling the town's waste	5 _____
Team consists of...?	6 Local people and big companies	7 _____ organizations
Is the project running now?	Yes, it's very successful	Not yet; it's a future plan

3 Listen again. Check (✓) the true statements about the projects, according to the presentations.

- 1 There were about 50 people in the first stage of the Thailand project.
- 2 Money from recycled plastic pays for the village's Wi-Fi connection.
- 3 The next stage for the recycling project is to try it in other communities.
- 4 Nobody knows what happened to the white-tailed eagles that used to live in the U.K.
- 5 The white-tailed eagles now in Scotland came from Norway.
- 6 Some people don't think it's a good idea to bring the white-tailed eagle back to the U.K.

4 The teacher asks for questions about the presentations. Think of two questions you would like to ask Sandro or Kristen.
