3.3 Vocabulary development

Vocabulary compound adjectives

1a Complete the compound adjectives with verbs from the box using *-ing* forms and past participles.

hand ~~know~~ look make price sleeve speak work

1 a well-*known* actor
2 a left-_____ tennis player
3 a short-_____ jacket
4 a good-_____ man
5 an English-_____ tour guide
6 a home-_____ cake

b Match the phrases in exercise **1a** to descriptions a–f.

a She's won a lot of matches because of her unusual style of play. *2*
b It's very fashionable, but her arms get cold when she wears it. ___
c I think he's a male model. ___
d She told us all about the history of the palace, and I understood every word! ___
e He's been in lots of Hollywood films and has won an Oscar. ___
f It's full of fruit and tastes better than anything you can buy in a supermarket. ___

2 Complete the text with compound adjectives formed from the words in the box.

500 easy ~~fifty~~ five full going hand hard ~~minute~~ over page priced second star time working

Vocabulary review

3 Match verbs 1–8 to words a–h.

1	make	a	with all the problems
2	make	b	for people to arrive
3	deal	c	the right choices
4	rise	d	to resist temptation
5	think	e	to the challenge
6	succeed	f	an effort to work hard
7	wait	g	in achieving your goal
8	manage	h	about what you want to do

4 Complete the job advertisement with words from the box.

being making managing setting solving taking tasking ~~working~~

Are you a leader?

Are you good at...

1 *working* with other people?
2 _____ responsibility?
multi-3 _____?
4 _____ goals?
5 _____ tight schedules?
6 _____ confident in yourself?
7 _____ decisions?
8 _____ problems?

If so, come and join our team!

The first day at work

Congratulations! Having survived that demanding 1 *fifty-minute* interview, you've finally got the job you always wanted, and it's a 2 _____ job, too, so you'll be working nine to five. Tomorrow is your first day. So, how do you make a good impression? It doesn't matter whether you have a job in a 3 _____ shop, selling old clothes and books, or a 4 _____ hotel, dealing with very rich guests prepared to pay £10 for an 5 _____ coffee in the luxurious bar, because whatever your job, you need to dress smartly, smile broadly and look confident when you arrive. You want your colleagues to think you are a friendly and 6 _____ person, and you want your boss to think you're 7 _____, so look busy and keen to do as much as you can. You need to get to know people, remember names, and ask questions, too; and if your new employer has given you a huge 8 _____ manual to read, make sure you read it! Remember that your colleagues will be judging you from day one, so make sure they judge you well.



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