


Word-building

1 MAKING NOUNS FROM VERBS

- a Make nouns from the verbs in the list and write them in the correct column.

achieve /ə'tʃi:v/ agree /ə'gri:/ argue /'ɑ:gju:/
attach /ə'tætʃ/ choose /tʃu:z/ compensate /
 'kɒmpənsейt/ complain /kəm'plein/ consider /kən'sīdə/
deliver /dī'līvə/ demonstrate /'demənstreit/
explain /īk'splein/ fail /feil/ improve /īm'pru:v/
lose /lu:z/ manage /'mænɪdʒ/ pay /peɪ/
respond /rī'spɒnd/ sell /sel/ serve /sɜ:v/
succeed /sək'sīd/ tempt /tempt/ treat /tri:t/
value /'vælju:/

+ ation	+ ment	new word
	achievement	

- b  8.20 Listen and check. Underline the stressed syllable in the nouns.

ACTIVATION Test a partner. Then change roles.

A (book open) Say the verb. B (book closed) Say the noun.

- c Complete the questions with a noun from a in the singular or plural.

- 1 Have you ever been on a demonstration? What were you protesting about?
- 2 Have you ever opened an email _____ that contained a virus?
- 3 Do you often have _____ with your family? What about?
- 4 Do you prefer reading grammar _____ in your own language, or do you think it's better to read them in English?
- 5 Have you ever made a _____ to a company and got _____?
- 6 Do you think that there's too much _____ when you're shopping, e.g. for a new phone?
- 7 In a restaurant, what's more important for you, the food or the _____?

- d  8.21 Listen and check.

ACTIVATION With a partner, ask and answer the questions in c.