UNIT 12 - LESSON 4

GUERILLA GARDENING

Get started: guerrilla gardens

Look at the photo.

1. What are the people doing?
2. Where are they?
3. What time of day it is?
4. Why are they doing this?
5. What do you remember about guerrilla gardeners or community gardens?

LISTEN FOR GIST A garden in the city

What do the two people want to do?

a. Grow flowers and start a farmer's market.

b. Grow vegetables and possibly start a farmer's market.

c. Grow flowers and create a nice garden and farmer's market.

LISTEN FOR DETAIL A garden in the city

Are the statements true or false?

1. There used to be a garden on the street corner. ____

2. The man suggests talking to the neighbors about it. ____

3. The woman suggests growing vegetables on the weekends. ____

4. The man recommends a time to start the cleaning operation. ____

LIVEWORKSHEETS

READING: Grow your own salad!

Read the advice about Growing your Own Salad. Put the comments in the correct order.

Now, watch your plants grow.

Next, plant your seeds in a sunny place and water them twice a week.

Finally, get your lettuce, a tomato, and an onion from the garden.
Wash them, and enjoy your fresh salad!

Then, make sure you have space for each type of plant.

First, go to your local store and buy seeds for lettuce, tomatoes, onions, and other salad favorites.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

WRITING Advice about growing anything

Think of your own tips for growing anything.

- Choose the right place: is it inside, outside, in or out of the city?
- Choose the right plant(s) for that place: flowers, fruit, vegetables?
- Choose the right plant(s), buy anything else you need (tools)
- Think of how best to plant your plant(s)
- Think of tips for looking after your plant(s)

Useful language
First, ….. Then, ….. Next,…. Now ….Finally,

LIVEWORKSHEETS