VERB PATTERNS 2

GERUNDS & INFINITIVES WITH OBJECTS

Task One. Read the text and choose the correct option.

In our office, the project leader often asks team members (1)_____ clear goals before starting a task. Yesterday, she encouraged us (2)_____ part in a skills workshop to improve teamwork. During the session, I heard several colleagues (3)_____ their concerns about deadlines, and the trainer noticed them (4)_____ closely with their partners. Later, the manager reminded everyone (5)_____ their progress reports, and she saw two interns (6)_____ extra research for the presentation.

Task Two. Complete the second sentence so that It has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. Use between two and five words.



1. It was anticipated that the staff would contribute new ideas.

EXPECTED

The staff were _____ new ideas.

2. They were organizing the files while I watched.

SAW

I saw _____ the files.

3. The trainer said to us "I want you to be on time."

WANTED

The trainer _____ on time.

4. They had to organize the files for quite a long time just as the manager asked.

KEPT

The manager _____ the files for quite a long time.

LIVEWORKSHEETS