

2. Complete the text with the verbs in the box. Then guess the animal.

climb   communicate   drink   fly  
grow   hear   jump   run   swim

It isn't a small animal. It can <sup>1</sup> ..... to  
between 2,000 and 6,500 kilos as an adult. That's  
heavy! It can <sup>2</sup> ..... fast – forty kilometres  
an hour – but it definitely can't <sup>3</sup> ..... It  
can <sup>4</sup> ..... trees, but it can't <sup>5</sup> .....  
high. It makes noises with its long nose, called a  
trunk, to <sup>6</sup> ..... with other animals. It also  
uses its trunk to <sup>7</sup> ..... water. It likes water  
and it can <sup>8</sup> ..... well. It has got huge ears  
and it can <sup>9</sup> ..... well. This is the largest  
land animal on Earth. What is it?