

EXERCISE 1

In this unit, you will practise the skills you need to answer a diagram labelling task in IELTS Listening Section 4. The topic of this unit is survival and the environment.

Read the information. Then choose the correct words to form collocations about the environment.

When you learn a new word, try to learn some **collocations**. Collocations are words that are commonly used together. For example, here are some typical collocations using the word *environment*:

noun + noun:

environment agency, environment policy

adjective + noun:

new environment, safe environment

1. **noun + noun**

Weather branches/forecast/storm

2. **noun + noun**

Snow slope/ storm/ weather

3. **adjective + noun**

Survival branches/wall/ situation

4. **noun + noun**

Body situation/ slope/ temperature

5. **noun + noun**

Cave forecast/ slope/wall

6. **noun + noun**

Mountain forecast/ slope/ temperature

7. **noun + noun**

Tree branches/ slope/wall