

COMPOUND NOUNS

I/ Match the words to make compound nouns.

A	B
1. life	a. reef
2. rain	b. resources
3. wild	c. stop
4. endangered	d. expectancy
5. bus	e. species
6. coral	f. forest
7. natural	g. sea

II/ Use compound nouns to complete the sentences below.

traffic jam	nature reserve	fireplace	hay fever
policeman	post box	rainforest	weekend

1. Laura is late because there was a terrible _____ in the city centre.
2. Can you please put this letter in the _____?
3. The _____ stopped the teenagers and asked for their identity documents.
4. In winter, we like to sit in front of the _____ to get warm.
5. The first major _____ was Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming, the United States.
6. What are your plans for the _____?
7. Fortunately, there are many products available for treating symptoms of _____.
8. The Amazon _____ is home to more than a third of all the world's species of plants, birds, and animals.

III/ Choose the correct answer.

1. Prevent a heart _____ by eating properly and getting enough exercise.
 - A. stroke
 - B. attack
 - C. murmur
2. I'm going to the barber for a _____.
 - A. trim
 - B. new style
 - C. haircut
3. They're digging a new swimming _____ in the park.
 - A. suit
 - B. pool
 - C. game
4. I'd love to learn to pilot an _____.
 - A. boat
 - B. airplane
 - C. submarine
5. One reason donuts are fattening is that they're fried in cooking _____.
 - A. oil
 - B. sugar
 - C. pans
6. Sherrie is upset because she lost an _____.
 - A. input
 - B. earring
 - C. friendship
7. We put a _____ in the garden to chase birds away.
 - A. runway

B. sunshade

C. scarecrow

8. I've got to pick up a package at the post _____.

A. main

B. office

C. post

