

vocabulary worksheet

level 3



All the words for this activity come from the podcast
A garden bench

- 1 Match a noun with its definition *as used in the podcast*. Careful - there are some definitions which are correct but these are not the ones used.

carpenter	the act or process of changing something from one form, use or system to another
	[of paint] a small amount of this is used to make a place look better
hitch	the movement of your tongue over the surface of something in order to eat it or clean it
	the small details of how to do something or how something works
technicalities	a building or room that has been changed so that it can be used for a different purpose, especially for living in
lick	the lowest part of the leg, below the ankle, on which a person or an animal stands
foot	a problem or difficulty that causes a short delay
	a person whose job is making and repairing wooden objects and structures
conversion	a unit for measuring length equal to 12 inches or 30.48 centimetres

- 2 Look at the words in *italics* and find them in the transcript. Can you work out their meaning from context?

- a You're looking very *chuffed* with yourself, Richard. The bench looks wonderful.
- B I wanted something really simple so I *trawled* the web, the internet
- c So it turned out quite *chunky*, hasn't it?
- d I chose *specifically* a very simple plan...
- e ...but I had a couple of *joints* which were a little bit difficult.

answers

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- a pleased
- b surfed / searched
- c thick and heavy
- d deliberately / in a detailed and exact way
- e a place where two or more parts of an object are joined together, especially to form a corner:

