

## Lesson Vocabulary

### Words to Know

Knowing the meanings of these words is important to reading *Jane Goodall's 10 Ways to Help Save Wildlife*. Practice using these words.

### Vocabulary Words

**conservation** preservation from harm or decay; protection from loss or from being used up

**contribute** to help bring about

**enthusiastic** full of enthusiasm; eagerly interested

**environment** condition of the air, water, soil, etc.

**investigation** a careful search; detailed or careful examination

## Grammar

### Main and Helping Verbs

**Main verbs** show the action in a sentence. Main verbs are always the last word in a verb phrase. **Helping verbs** clarify the meaning of the main verb. For instance, they may indicate when the action takes place. They come before the main verb in a sentence. *Have, has, had, will, is, am, are, was, and were* can be helping verbs. *For example: Bob is building an airplane.* “Is” is the *linking verb* and “building” is the *main verb*.

### Activity

**Say It, Do It** With a family member, take turns making statements and have the other person act out the action verb. For example, if someone says “I’m flying over the trees,” the other person would act out “flying.”

## Practice Tested Spelling Words

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