The sculpture in this video is called the WEEE man and it's made of waste electrical items. It lives at the Eden Project, a unique visitor attraction in Cornwall, in the south-west of England.

Do the preparation task first. Then watch the video and do the exercises. Remember you can read the transcript at any time.

1. Check your understanding: matching
Match the vocabulary with the correct definition and write a–h next to the numbers 1–8.

1. waste  a. a unit of weight
2. a sinew b. an object made up of different parts
3. a tonne c. something that is no longer useful
4. an appliance d. a muscle
5. a structure e. a machine that cuts grass
6. to fix f. a place to bury waste material
7. a landfill g. an electrical household object
8. a lawnmower h. to mend

2. Check your understanding: multiple choice
Circle the best option to complete these sentences.

1. The giant structure made out of waste weighs 3.3 tonnes. / 0.3 tonnes. / 30 tonnes.
2. The giant structure is called WEEE because it is made out of Waste Electricity and Edible Equipment. / Waste Electrons and Electrical Equipment. / Waste Electric and Electronic Equipment.
3. This stuff represents a lifetime of an average British household’s waste. / an average American household’s waste. / an average French household’s waste.
4. How high is the WEEE man? 6 metres / 7 metres / 9 metres.
5. Its sinews are made out of lawnmowers and electrical fans. / lawnmowers and telephones. / lawnmowers and mobile phones.
6. Its teeth and ears are made of computer mice and satellite dishes. / computer parts and television screens. / computer screens and mobile phones.
7. The brain is built from lawnmower parts. / computer parts. / television parts.
8. We can reduce the amount of waste by buying cheap products and recycling old appliances. / not buying cheap products and stop recycling old appliances. / not buying cheap products and recycling old appliances.

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