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## Compound Verb Match Answer Key

1. **enjoy** - Compound subject with *and* → plural.
2. **play** - Compound subject with *and* → plural.
3. **are** - Verb agrees with closest subject "students" (plural).
4. **was** - Verb agrees with closest subject "coach" (singular).
5. **make** - Compound subject with *and* → plural.
6. **are** - Compound subject with *and* → plural.
7. **helps** - Verb agrees with closest subject "best friend" (singular).
8. **shine** - Compound subject with *and* → plural.
9. **works** - Verb agrees with closest subject "television" (singular).
10. **perform** - Compound subject with *and* → plural.

### Teacher Notes

- This worksheet highlights the **two main compound subject rules**:
  1. *And* → plural verb.
  2. *Or/Nor* → verb matches the closest subject.
- Students often mistakenly make verbs plural in *or/nor* cases. Encourage them to **underline the subject closest to the verb** before deciding.
- Extension: Ask students to **create three original sentences** using compound subjects, then swap with a partner for correction.