

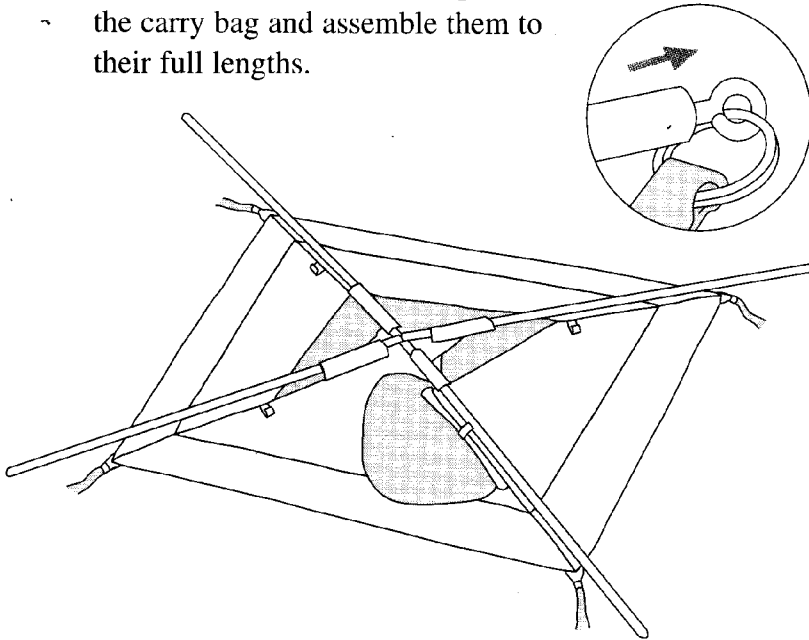
Tough Tent 2J6

COMPONENT LIST

- Tent Body (1)
- Tent Fly (1)
- Frame Members (2)
- Carry Bag (1)
- Pole Bag (1)
- Stake Bag (1)
- Stakes (8)
- Seam Sealer (1)

ASSEMBLY

1. Begin by laying the tent body out on the ground. In windy conditions, the windward corner of the tent should be staked down. Take all of the poles out of the carry bag and assemble them to their full lengths.



2. Insert the two long poles through the rod sleeves in the tent body. They should run from corner to corner, crossing in the center.
3. Once both of the poles are inserted, place a corner pin inside of the end of one of the poles. From the opposite corner, take the pole in one hand and the ring in the other, and slowly feed the pole up, making sure that it is bending evenly along its length. Make sure that the ferrules don't get caught inside the rod sleeves. Place the pin into the end of the pole to maintain tension.

Repeat with the other pole.

Attach all clips to the frame members.

VOCABULARY DEVELOPMENT

component (kəm-pō'nənt) *n.*: one of the main parts.

DECODING TIP

Draw a line between the two parts that make up the word *windward* (line 95). Then, look at surrounding context clues. What might this word mean?

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How would you go about identifying what *ferrules*, in line 106, are?

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