

GRAMMAR

ADVERBS OF FREQUENCY

A - Read the sentences. Drag the adverbs in bold and drop them in the correct place on the line below

- 1 At the weekends we **usually** play football or go running together.
- 2 Mark is **sometimes** on his computer for eight or ten hours.
- 3 We **often** visit each other or do things together.
- 4 We **hardly ever** see each other, maybe three or four times in the last five years.



B- Put the words in the correct order

- 1 A / you / problems / often / with / friend / helps / real
A real friend often helps you with problems.
- 2 friends / other / understand / each / Real / always
- 3 friend / is / a brother or sister / real / sometimes / A
- 4 about / friends / ask / personal things / never / Real
- 5 disagree / Real / hardly ever / friends
- 6 are / age / the same / friends / Real / usually

C – Choose the correct alternative

- 1 Mixing yellow and red always/often/sometimes makes orange.
- 2 The colour red often/sometimes/hardly ever means 'danger' or 'stop'.
- 3 Apples are sometimes/hardly ever/never purple.
- 4 In football, the ball is usually/hardly ever/never white.
- 5 A chef in a restaurant never/sometimes/always has a white hat.
- 6 Food is often/hardly ever/never blue.
- 7 Cola is always/sometimes/never brown.
- 8 People always/often/never drink their coffee white – with milk.
- 9 Taxis in New York are hardly ever/always/sometimes yellow.
- 10 Eggs are usually/never/hardly ever white or brown.