

# Adverbs

## Word Formation - Adverbs

### Spelling Rules

Read the rules then practice by writing the adverb form of the words.

<b>Rule A</b> Many adverbs are formed by adding -ly to the corresponding adjective: slow – slowly careful – carefully If the adjective ends in -ll, add only -y to form the adverb	<b>Rule B</b> For adjectives ending in a consonant +le, omit the -e and add -y: reasonable – reasonably, gentle – gently Omit the final -e and add -ly in these two cases: true – truly whole – wholly In other cases, the final -e is kept: immediate – immediately brave – bravely	<b>Rule C</b> For adjectives ending in -y, change the -y to -i and add -ly: happy – happily noise – noisily	<b>RULE D</b> It is usually necessary to add -ally to adjectives ending in -ic: automatic – automatically, scientific – scientifically In other cases: public – publicly
1. effect	1. absolute	1. easy	1. basic
1.	1.	1.	1.
2. polite	2. immediate	2. angry	2. tragic
2.	2.	2.	2.
3. original	3. true	3. busy	3. realistic
3.	3.	3.	3.
4. eventual	4. extreme	4. lucky	4. physical
4.	4.	4.	4.
5. truthful	5. unfortunate	5. possible	5. critical
5.	5.	5.	5.