

ADJECTIVES

Tell us about a noun (something or somebody)

- a) Adjective before a noun.
- b) Adjective after copulative verbs: be, look, seem, feel, smell, taste, sound.

AND**+ LY****ADVERBS**

Tell us about a verb (how somebody does something or how something happens)

- a) Adverb after a verb
- b) Adverb before an adjective
- c) Adverb before another adv

IRREGULAR ADVERBS

Good	→	well
Fast		fast
Hard		hard
Late		late

- a) We didn't go because of the **heavy** rain.
John is a **careful** driver

- b) This cake tastes **good**
It sounds **great**.

- a) It rained **heavily**
John drove **carefully**

- b) I'm **terribly** sorry
He was **seriously** injured

- c) Ann learns languages **incredibly**
quickly

- 1 - USE THE ADJECTIVE IN BRACKETS OR MAKE AN ADVERB (ADJ+LY) AS NECESSARY

1. (careful) You must read the instructions _____ before you use the machine.
2. (noisy) Children are always very _____
3. (angry) Something had happened to him. He had an _____ look.
4. (beautiful) Don't you think she paints _____ ?
5. (free) She will understand anything you tell her. You can talk to her _____
6. (clear) It's important that you write all the details _____
7. (hungry/economical) The population in many African countries are _____ because they have a lot of _____ problems.
8. (good) He plays tennis very _____
9. (quiet) The boys were so _____ that I thought they were planning something.
10. (sure) I was _____ that I had left the camera on the table.
11. (slow) I have to buy a new car. This one is very _____
12. (warm) They gave us a very _____ welcome.
13. (comfortable) When I arrived he was sitting _____ in an armchair.
14. (hard) We worked _____ all day.
15. (fast) Don't drive so _____ ! It's dangerous.
16. (easy) It wasn't _____ to find their house in the middle of the night.
17. Can I use your phone, please? / (certain) Yes, _____
18. (happy) When I gave him the present, he looked at me _____

INTERMEDIATE _____ ADVERBS

- 3 - CHOOSE TWO WORDS (ONE FROM EACH BOX TO COMPLETE THE SENTENCES)

Absolutely	reasonably	badly
Seriously	slightly	unusually
unnecessarily	Completely	

Changed	enormous	ill
Planned	cheap	damaged
Quiet	long	

- 1.- The party went wrong because it was _____
- 2.- I thought it would be expensive but it was _____
- 3- My grandmother is _____ in hospital.
- 4.- What a huge ship! It is _____
- 5.- Fortunately, my car was only _____ in the accident.
- 6.- My dog is always barking but today it is _____
- 7.- After the redecoration, my flat was _____ It looked new!
- 8.- Don't make their wait _____ . They're so impatient!