

EXERCISE**1 1****ADVERBS**

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

- 1 Wendy _____ ate anything during dinner as she was not feeling well.
(1) hardly (2) often (3) seldom (4) occasionally ()
- 2 I can _____ hear you. Please speak up.
(1) seldom (2) frequently (3) often (4) barely ()
- 3 Anna liked the countryside so much that she _____ spent her holidays there.
(1) seldom (2) often (3) rarely (4) barely ()
- 4 Samantha _____ sleeps with the light on as she is afraid of the dark.
(1) usually (2) seldom (3) never (4) hardly ()
- 5 I have _____ bought this brand of shoes before. Are they comfortable?
(1) hardly (2) seldom (3) never (4) occasionally ()
- 6 When my grandmother was alive, we _____ went to the swimming complex together. It was our favourite place.
(1) often (2) seldom (3) hardly (4) rarely ()
- 7 Cindy is a very quiet girl but she _____ speaks up for her friends when they are in trouble.
(1) hardly (2) barely (3) seldom (4) sometimes ()
- 8 Tom is known as a chatterbox in class as he is _____ talking.
(1) sometimes (3) seldom
(2) always (4) occasionally ()
- 9 You should read more _____ if you want to improve your English.
(1) seldom (3) always
(2) occasionally (4) frequently ()
- 10 Joyce _____ fetches her brother home from school. She _____ lets him walk home on his own.
(1) never ... seldom (3) never ... occasionally
(2) often ... seldom (4) hardly ... never ()