

6 Intensifying adverbs

EXERCISES

6.1 Escoge un adverbio del recuadro para sustituir el adverbio "very" en cada una de estas expresiones.

utterly strongly bitterly ridiculously highly deeply

1 very ashamed

6 very disappointing

2 very cheap

7 very opposed

3 very controversial

8 very ridiculous

4 very stupid

9 very easy

5 very successful

10 very concerned

6.2 Utiliza una colocación del ejercicio previo (6.1) para completar cada una de estas oraciones.

1 The flight from London to Rome was
..... It only cost 20 euros.

2 Some people love her new book, others are very angry about it. It is
.....

3 His father was a peace campaigner all his life and was
..... to war.

4 The exam results were
..... for the whole class. We had all expected to do much better.

5 When I realised how much my selfish behaviour had upset everyone, I was
.....



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- 6 In the 1990s she ran a(n)
..... company which made outstanding profits.
- 7 Everyone got more than 95% correct in the test; it was
.....
- 8 You must apologise immediately. It was a(n)
..... remark to make.
- 9 She has always been
about the environment and would like to work for a conservation agency.
- 10 That you should even think that I would steal money from you is
..... ! You must be crazy!

6.3 En cada grupo de frases hay una que no es colocación, selecciona cual no es poniendo una cruz en la incorrecta. .

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| 1 strongly recommend | strongly influence | strongly love | strongly dislike |
| 2 highly educated | highly profitable | highly unusual | highly exhausted |
| 3 bitterly regard | bitterly regret | bitterly resent | bitterly criticise |
| 4 absolutely convinced | absolutely tired | absolutely devastated | absolutely absurd |
| 5 deeply unhappy | deeply religious | deeply successful | deeply committed |



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6.4 En este corto texto el escritor sobreutiliza la palabra "strongly". Corrige la colocación errónea utilizando los adverbios que están en el recuadro. Solo puedes usar un adverbio para cada frase. Escribe tus respuestas en los recuadros de abajo en el orden según el texto.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Everyone was complaining strongly when they heard about the new plan. People were strongly shocked to hear that children would be strongly forbidden to use the sports ground and most people were strongly opposed to the new rules. Even people who normally never expressed an opinion were strongly appalled by the proposals.



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