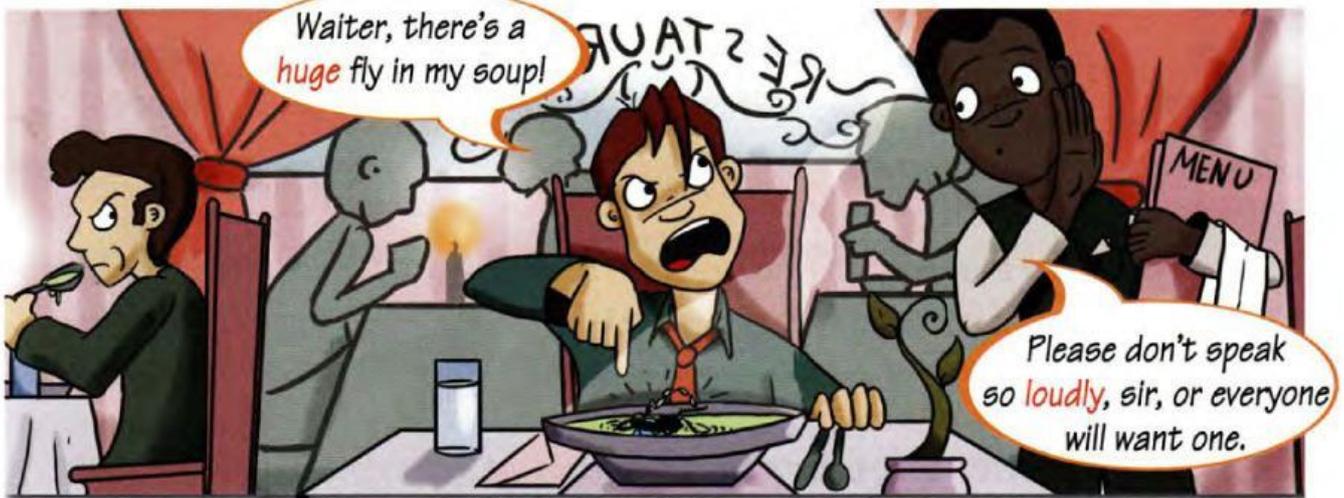


# Adjectives – Adverbs – Comparisons

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Listen and repeat. Then act out.



- **Adjectives** describe nouns. Adjectives have the same form in both singular and plural number. They normally come before nouns and after the verb 'to be'.

She's got three lovely children.

That car is fast. (What kind of car is it? A fast one.)

**Adverbs** describe verbs. They can describe **how** (adverbs of manner), **where** (adverbs of place), **when** (adverbs of time) or **how often** (adverbs of frequency) something happens.

He drives carefully. (How does he drive? Carefully.)

We usually form an adverb by adding **-ly** to an adjective.

slow-slowly

Some adverbs are the same as their adjectives: **hard, fast, early, daily, late, monthly.**

He runs fast. He is a fast runner.

Some adverbs are irregular.

good - well      He's a good singer. He sings well.

1 Write the correct adverb.

→ -ly	-le → -ly	consonant + y → -ily
wide ..... widely .....	possible .....	busy .....
calm .....	simple .....	heavy .....
sad .....	terrible .....	happy .....

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Put the words from the list below into the correct column.

bad	early	quick	tidy	hard	monthly
fast	easily	quietly	carelessly	late	careful
angrily	noisy	daily	slowly	large	happily

Adjectives	Adverbs	Adjectives & Adverbs
<i>bad,</i> .....	<i>angrily,</i> .....	<i>fast,</i> .....
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Put the adverbs from the list below into the correct column.  
Listen and check.

easily	here	often	happily
always	last year	there	carefully
yesterday	now	away	seldom
on Sunday	usually	everywhere	badly

How (adverbs of manner)	Where (adverbs of place)	When (adverbs of time)	How often (adverbs of frequency)
<i>easily,</i> .....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....

### Order of Adjectives

- Opinion adjectives** (bad, good, etc.) go before **fact adjectives** (old, red, etc.).  
She bought a **beautiful red** dress.
- When there are two or more **fact adjectives**, they go in the following order:

	size	age	shape	colour	origin	material	noun
This is a	large	old	rectangular	brown	French	wooden	bed.

4 Put the adjectives in brackets in the correct order.

Hi Susan!

How was your birthday? Mine was great! We had a fancy dress party this year and I invited all my close friends. I wore a  1) ... *funny orange* ... (funny/orange) clown suit and  2) ..... (green/curly) hair. Everyone laughed as I walked around the room with my  3) ..... (red/plastic/huge) shoes.

All my friends looked great too! My best friend Diane amazed us all with her fairy costume. She wore  4) ..... (silver/shiny) wings and carried a  5) ..... (long/plastic) wand.

The party was a lot of fun. We listened to  6) ..... (new/cool) CDs and ate lovely desserts. Mum made  7) ..... (tasty/crunchy) toffee apples and  8) ..... (traditional/delicious) fairy cakes. We ended the night with a best costume contest and, to my surprise, I won!

I will send you some photos very soon.

Take care,  
Megan

5 Put the adjectives in the right order.

- 1 a new / woollen / red / smart / hat *a smart, new, red, woollen hat* .....
- 2 a(n) modern / luxurious / Italian / car .....
- 3 two / long / blue / beautiful / dresses .....
- 4 a gold / tiny / round / Russian / coin .....
- 5 a plastic / blue / little / spoon .....