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ADVERBS WITH TWO FORMS AND DIFFERENT MEANINGS

Hard (adj.)

1. *hard* (adv.) = with great effort, with difficulty; e.g. He works **hard**.
2. *hardly* (adv.) = very little, almost not; e.g. They **hardly** know each other.

Late (adj.)

1. *late* (adv.) = after the expected time; e.g. Ana worked **late** yesterday.
2. *lately* (adv.) = recently; e.g. I haven't seen her **lately**.

• Which is right?

1. You have to study hard / hardly now if you want to realize your dreams.
2. Please don't send your CV late / lately.
3. It's not surprising that they didn't find a job. They hard / hardly tried.
4. I can hard / hardly wait to enter the promising world of work.
5. Nick has updated his career portfolio late / lately.
6. She went to bed late / lately last night. She had to update her portfolio.
7. I have made some progress late / lately.
8. My dad worked hard / hardly for this promotion.

• Choose the correct variant.

1. I am sure you can find a job if you try _____.
2. I don't think he will get the job. He can _____ speak English.
3. Elena has made good progress _____.
4. They came home _____ last night.
5. Have you seen him _____?
6. He got the job he wanted! _____.
7. _____ if you want to get promoted.

