

adverbs of frequency.

Grammar

3 a Look.

never					
not often	★				
sometimes	★	★			
often	★	★	★		
usually / normally	★	★	★	★	
always	★	★	★	★	★

b Rewrite the sentences below with the correct adverbs of frequency.

Quasar tidies my room, but he doesn't put things in the right places. My chair's in the wardrobe.

c Where do the adverbs of frequency go?
with a normal verb?
with auxiliary verbs (have, do / don't, etc)?
with the verb be?

4 Put the adverbs of frequency in the correct place.

Quasar usually takes out the rubbish.

- 1 Quasar takes out the rubbish. (usually)
- 2 He doesn't do the shopping. (normally)
- 3 My homework is very easy. (always)
- 4 I don't help in the house. (often)
- 5 Quasar feeds the cat. (sometimes)
- 6 He takes newspapers to the recycling centre. (usually)
- 7 Quasar is busy. (always)
- 8 I clean the car. (never)

5 Look at the other jobs in exercise 1 again. What do you think Quasar does wrong? Use the adverbs of frequency.

He sometimes cooks the dinner, but he usually burns it.

6 How often do you do these things?

I always make my bed.

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|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1 make my bed | 5 do the shopping |
| 2 play the piano | 6 go swimming |
| 3 tidy my bedroom | 7 get up early |
| 4 wash up | 8 cook a meal |

Listening and writing

7 a Listen. Jessica is talking to a radio DJ. Tick (✓) the jobs she does.

Jobs	How often
✓ make her bed	<i>normally</i>
tidy her room	
vacuum the floor	
set the table	
wash up	
cook the dinner	
feed the dog	
do the shopping	



b Listen again. How often does Jessica do the jobs? Write the adverbs of frequency.

c What does Jessica do?

She normally makes her bed.

8 Write sentences about your life. Write about something that:

- 1 you always do
- 2 you usually do at the weekend
- 3 you don't often do
- 4 is usually in the kitchen
- 5 doesn't often happen
- 6 is usually good
- 7 you never watch on TV
- 8 you don't normally play

Pronunciation

-es endings

9 a Which verbs have an /əz/ ending? Tick (✓) them.

takes	washes ✓	makes	practises
watches	goes	likes	uses
catches	writes	cycles	finishes

b Listen, check and repeat.