

Adjectives and Adverbs

- An **adjective** describes a subject when it comes after a linking verb. It can also come before a noun and describe it.
- An **adverb** usually comes after a verb and describes it. It can also come before an adjective or adverb and describes them.

ADJECTIVE	ADVERB	RULE
Anne is a beautiful girl.	She dances beautifully .	Most adjectives + -ly Kind → kindly Careful → carefully
The question is easy .	Ted answered the question easily .	Adjectives ending in -y: y → ily Lucky → luckily Angry → angrily
Brian is a fast runner.	He runs fast .	Some adjectives = Adverbs Early → early Hard → hard
I am a good baseball player.	I play basketball well .	Irregular adverbs Good → well

1. Change the adjectives into adverbs

ADJECTIVE	ADVERB	ADJECTIVE	ADVERB
QUICK		HEALTHY	
FAST		LOUD	
NICE		QUIET	
HAPPY		SLOW	
GOOD		DANGEROUS	

2. Circle the correct answer

- The car is very **slow** / slowly.
- You played really **good** / well.
- They played **happily** / happy.
- We always eat **healthy** / healthily.
- Why does Fin always talk **loud** / loudly?
- That team can't run very **quick** / quickly.

3. Find eight adverbs. Then complete the table.

-ly	
dangerous	
quiet	
quick	
amazing	
-ily	
noisy	
hungry	
busy	
happy	

D	A	N	G	E	R	O	U	S	L	Y
C	R	O	L	L	O	A	N	T	L	Y
F	G	A	M	A	Z	I	N	G	L	Y
N	B	O	U	R	L	Y	P	O	D	L
O	U	H	A	P	P	I	L	Y	T	Q
I	T	P	A	R	Y	L	I	L	A	U
S	I	Q	U	I	E	T	L	Y	A	I
I	L	I	S	A	L	L	Y	D	N	C
L	Y	L	B	U	S	I	L	Y	P	K
Y	S	Y	B	O	L	L	Y	S	E	L
U	H	U	N	G	R	I	L	Y	L	Y

4. Write sentences. Use adverbs and the verb in brackets.

Example: Molly is a loud singer. (sing) → *Molly sings loudly.*

1. Jack and Leo are good tennis players. (play)

2. I'm a fast runner. (run)

3. Milly eats healthy meals. (eat)

4. Some animals are very slow. (move)

5. The sun is very bright today. (shine)

6. Isabelle has a nice voice. (talk)

5. Use the adjectives in brackets to form adverbs

Last year, I really wanted to take part in the school sports day. But I can't run very _____ (**fast**) and I can't swim _____ (**good**) either. So, I decided to enter the cycling race. I practiced _____ (**hard**) and rode my bike to school and back everyday. On today of the race, I started off _____ (**bad**) and all the cyclists were doing better than me. Everyone was shouting _____ (**loud**) and it was very exciting. In the end, I won the gold medal and I was very happy. I became the school champion.