Adverbial Phrase

Part 1: Improve the following sentences by adding an adverbial phrase from the word bank.

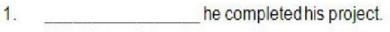
Word bank:

After the meeting
For many years
In the yard
Near my house
Without any help

Adverb phrases usually describe when, where or how something happens.

He ran by the lake.

The adverb phrase "by the lake" describes where he ran.



- she prepared for the party.
- we found a baby frog.
- 4. _____there were a lot of cars.
- my parents never asked me about my grades.

Part 2: Add your own adverbial phrase to these sentences:

1. _____the pig ran.

she ate the spicy foods.

he went to the library.

4. they built a new house.

the team won the match.

Starting word suggestions:

in inside
out outside
at from
near everywhere
over without
under

Adverbial Phrases

An adverbial phrase is a group of words that act together as an adverb, giving more information about a verb, adjective, or other adverb in a sentence. The adverbial phrase answers the same questions as a regular adverb: how/how much, when, or where.



Underline the adverbial phrase. On the line, write the question it answers.

1. We expect our grandparents to arrive in about an hour.	-
2. My cousin watches television almost as much as you do.	-
3. The weatherman says it will rain all day.	
4. Your brother plays soccer better than my brother does.	
5. Our friend drives on Mondays.	
6. Stacy and Nancy will walk on the sidewalk.	
7. The snake slithers through the tall grass.	
8. Mom combs my hair more gently than Dad does.	
9. He found his lucky penny in the morning.	-
10. We raced our toy cars on the playground.	-
11. Shayla and Coral were reading their books in the car.	
12. The music teacher played the piano better than her student.	+
13. Jenny tried to talk to Peter underneath the water.	-
14. Early in the morning the air is cold and fresh.	
15. Mom will pick us up after school is out.	
16. Jan will run on the track at school.	