

## EXERCISE

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## ADVERBS

Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

- 1 Samuel is always very busy but \_\_\_\_\_ he plays basketball with his friends.  
(1) seldom    (2) always    (3) never    (4) sometimes    (    )
- 2 The hippopotamus \_\_\_\_\_ comes out of the water on a hot day because the water keeps it cool.  
(1) always    (2) often    (3) seldom    (4) frequently    (    )
- 3 Ben likes Chinese cuisine. He \_\_\_\_\_ goes to a Chinese restaurant with his parents.  
(1) seldom    (2) always    (3) hardly    (4) never    (    )
- 4 Jack hates swimming but \_\_\_\_\_ he will accompany me to the swimming complex.  
(1) hardly    (2) rarely    (3) never    (4) sometimes    (    )
- 5 I have never seen such a small animal \_\_\_\_\_. What is it?  
(1) already    (2) now    (3) after    (4) before    (    )
- 6 Bob is a healthy boy. He \_\_\_\_\_ falls ill.  
(1) often    (2) seldom    (3) always    (4) usually    (    )
- 7 I \_\_\_\_\_ see a beggar at the bus stop when I go to school but he is not there today.  
(1) always    (2) seldom    (3) never    (4) hardly    (    )
- 8 Victoria plays the piano very \_\_\_\_\_ and sometimes she will play at school concerts.  
(1) well    (2) badly    (3) soundly    (4) carefully    (    )
- 9 Mrs Randy scolded her son \_\_\_\_\_ for coming home late.  
(1) weakly    (2) gaily    (3) sternly    (4) softly    (    )
- 10 Peter hurt his ankle \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1) now    (2) already    (3) soon    (4) yesterday    (    )