

Adjectives and Adverbs (1)



Revise the most commonly used adjectives and adverbs!

• We use adjectives to describe a person or a thing. For example: The tree is high and green. "High" and "green" are the adjectives that tell us something about the noun in that sentence.

We use adverbs to describe in what way something is done. For example: She climbs the tree carefully. "Carefully" is the adverb which is used to tell us something about the verb "climb" in that sentence. How did she climb? Carefully!

1 In English we form adverbs by adding "ly" at the end of the adjective. For example: highly or actively. However, there are some exceptions: the adverb of "good" is "well". Some adjectives don't change like "fast" and "hard". With others you need to watch the spelling: happy - happily. Safe - safely. Terrible - terribly.

In the following exercises decide if you need an adjective or adverb and use the correct form!

Dora thinks that Ella is really	
O nicely	
O nice	
O nise	
She rides her bike down the steep hill.	
O careful	
O carefull	
O carefully	
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Don't ride too!	
○ fast	
O faster	
O fastly	
a lastly	
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He is tired today and walks to school.	
"slow or slowly?"	
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The cake is very!	
"good or well?"	
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Look at that car! I think the owner is very	
O richly	
O rich	
O richer	



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She answers the exam quest	ions		
O nervous			
○ nervousely			
nervously			
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I can jump that high	, and you?		
"easy or easily?"			
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You have to pay for your football classes			
"month or monthly?"			
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Luca is very	today, what happened?		
O quiet			
quietly			
O quieter			
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Bella strokes the dog O calmer	·		
○ calmly ○ calm			
Cairi			
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Look at those	berries!		
"red or redly?"			
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Can you see those	towers behind the park? That's where I live.		
"high or highly?"	•		
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	_, I have no clue what she said!		
O quickly			
O quickely			
O quick			
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You did that exercise very _	!		
O well	•		
O goodly			
O good			