

Exercise A

Choose suitable adjectives from the box and change them into adverbs to fill in the gaps in the following sentences.

clear loud gentle neat sudden easy rude angry bright polite

1. Speak clearly, I cannot hear you.
2. Never talk to anyone rudely, it is bad manners.
3. Always deal gently with children.
4. The manager spoke angrily to the clerk.
5. The sum was easily, students could solve it very easily.
6. The sky is clear, the sun is shining brightly.
7. Rajiv writes neatly, it is a pleasure to check his work.
8. Suddenly the storm arose.
9. Raman is a well behaved boy, he always speaks so politely.
10. Grandpa has a booming voice. He laughs so loudly.

Exercise B

Underline the adverbs in the following sentences and write – manner , time , frequency or place in the space given.

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| 1. The children enjoyed the picnic <u>hugely</u> . | Manner |
| 2. He <u>never</u> comes to our house. | Time |
| 3. Mother is <u>out</u> in the garden. | Place |
| 4. He blurted the truth <u>innocently</u> . | Manner |
| 5. I am going to tidy my room <u>tomorrow</u> . | Time |
| 6. Our neighbours have gone abroad by <u>now</u> . | Time |
| 7. I saw that movie <u>last year</u> . | Time |
| 8. I always jog in the <u>morning</u> . | Time |
| 9. I have found it. It is <u>here</u> . | Place |
| 10. Tom ate the burger <u>greedily</u> . | Manner |

Exercise C

Replace the adverb phrase given in colour with an adverb in each sentence.

quietly immediately easily properly fearfully
rarely untidily patiently skillfully unwisely

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| 1. I solved the sum without any difficulty . | easily. |
| 2. Sarika wrote the essay in an untidy manner . | untidily |
| 3. She tolerates his rudeness with a lot of patience . | patiently |
| 4. The child retreated with a lot of fear . | fearfully |
| 5. He came into the room without any noise . | quietly |
| 6. She always works in a proper manner . | properly |
| 7. Sam solved the puzzle without any delay . | immediately |
| 8. Mostly he is on the right track. Once in a while he | rarely |

goes off the track.

9. He plays the **guitar with great skill**.

skillfully

10. He spent his money **without wisdom**.

Unwisely

Exercise D

Choose an adverb from the box to complete each sentence.

attentively rarely badly sincerely fluently

aimlessly generously stealthily gleefully heavily

1. Ranu fell badly and hurt himself.
2. They crept stealthily round the house, without making a noise.
3. He contributed sincerely to the old Home Society.
4. The Sinha children wandered aimlessly in the playground, watching other children play.
5. She grinned gleefully when she caught the butterfly.
6. The head girl spoke fluently and impressed everyone.
7. They listened attentively to their new coach.
8. The rich businessman promised generously to help us in building a library in the colony.
9. The bus overturned and many passengers were hurt heavily.
10. He rarely visited a cinema mall.

