# afterwards /ˈɑːftəwədz/

**1.** *at a later time; after an event that has already been mentioned*

* Afterwards she was sorry for what she'd said.
* Let's go out now and eat afterwards.
* **Shortly afterwards** he met her again.
* He took his family to supper at a restaurant, and **soon afterwards**, he fell ill.

(adverb) at a later time; after an event that has already been mentioned;