

Adjectives and Adverbs_1_3

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What is the difference between adjectives and adverbs?

Adjectives	Adverbs
<p>Adjectives modify _____. This means that adjectives tell us something about a person or a thing.</p> <p>Examples: Mandy is a <i>beautiful</i> girl. He seems <i>angry</i>.</p>	<p>Adverbs modify verbs, adjectives or other adverbs. They can also comment on complete sentences.</p> <p>Examples: Mandy drives <i>carefully</i> (the _____ is modified). Tom is <i>extremely</i> angry when he is stuck in traffic (the _____ is modified). Mandy drives <i>very</i> carefully (the _____ is modified). <i>Unfortunately</i>, Peter was late (the whole sentence is commented on).</p>
<p>Examples: nice, happy, dangerous, quick, uncomfortable</p>	<p>Examples: nicely, happily, dangerously, quickly, uncomfortably → Adverbs usually end in _____.</p>

1. Adjectives ending in -ed and -ing

- *Adjectives ending in -ed are used to describe how people feel:*
 - He was *surprised* to find that he had been upgraded to first class.
 - I was *confused* by the findings of the report.
 - She felt *tired* after working hard all day.
- *Adjectives ending in -ing are used to describe things and situations:*
 - Being upgraded to first class is surprising.
 - The findings of this report are confusing.
 - Working hard all day is tiring.

2. Adverbs: Irregular forms (examples)

daily	
friendly	
fast	
hard	
good	

Adjectives and Adverbs: Exercises

Task 1: Fill in one of the following adjectives. You will need some of them more than once:

Confused, confusing, bored, boring, disappointed, disappointing, interesting, interested, surprised, surprising, amusing, amused

I do the same thing every day. My job is very _____ .

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I have nothing to do. I'm _____ .

☐

My job is very varied. I find it _____ .

☐

I'm _____ in applying for the job.

☐

I heard some very _____ news. I'm going to lose my job. I feel terrible

☐

Cheer up . Don't feel so _____ . There are plenty of other jobs.

☐

I heard a very _____ story. It will make you laugh.

☐

It's not _____ that you failed the exam. You never did any work.

☐

I don't understand this exercise. I'm very _____ .

☐

I do not get this task. It is very _____ .

☐

My trip to Paris has been cancelled. I'm really _____ . I really wanted to go.

☐

The performance of the English team was very _____ . They played much worse than expected.

☐

There are a lot of road signs. It's all very _____ .

☐

I am very _____ in this subject. I find it fascinating.

☐

The lesson was really _____ . I almost fell asleep.

☐

I was _____ by her behaviour. It was very funny.

☐

I was _____ by the news. I didn't expect it.

☐

I was _____ by his behaviour. It was outrageous.

☐

I'm _____ in finding out more about this. Where can I look?

☐

When the students did badly, the teacher became really _____ and didn't smile for weeks.

Task 2: Fill in the words in brackets as adjectives or adverbs

- a. Fred is _____ (tired).
- b. Fred does his homework _____ (tired).
- c. But he is able to finish his homework _____ (quick).
- d. He also did _____ (good) in the last exam.
- e. The bus driver was _____ (serious) injured.
- f. Kevin is _____ (extreme) clever.
- g. The hamburger tastes _____ (awful).
- h. She was standing _____ (dangerous) close to the fire.
- i. Be _____ (careful) with this glass of milk. It is hot.
- j. Robin looks _____ (sad). What is wrong with her?
- k. Jack is _____ (terrible) upset about losing his keys.
- l. Don't speak so _____ (fast). I can't understand you.
- m. Maria _____ (slow) opened her present.
- n. You can _____ (easy) open that tin.
- o. This performance is great. They play quite _____ (good).
- p. I have not had my _____ (daily) milkshake today.
- q. I drink milk _____ (daily).
- r. Tom works _____ (hard) every day at the garage.
- s. Jennifer has _____ (final) found a new job.
- t. This is my _____ (final) offer.

Task 3: Correct the mistakes.

- a. He looked at me furious.

- b. Tom is frowning. He looks sadly.

- c. Tom is frowning. I think he might be depressing.

- d. Lucky, we did not get wet.

- e. Tom made a terribly discovery.

- f. This task is tired.
