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Homework 2

Chap 3 exercises 3.1, 3.3, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7

**3.1 find adjectives (underline):**

The cold drizzle from the dark, cloudy sky eventually became a rushing torrent that sent the three friends indoors. They pondered what games to play so that their patience would last while they waited for this unexpected weather to move on.

Overlooked the first “the”, that is sometimes an adjective but looking back I can see that it is being used differently here, also overlooked the word “what” because I was focused on the “they” before it and after determining it was the pronoun and not an adjective moved to the middle of the sentence.

**3.3: Underline single word adverbs below**

1. We looked everywhere for the cat today and finally found her sleeping very comfortably on our bed.

2. The manager seemed genuinely sorry when he said, “Unfortunately, I am not able to accommodate you tonight. The hotel is filled with guests who arrived unexpectedly on a tour bus.”

Thought “not would be an adjective following the *be* verb, thought tonight would be the noun but see now that it is a adverb here.

**3.5: List which are prepositional (underline numbers)**

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10

Woot! I got this one!!!

**3.6: define function of prep phrase**

1. adverb

2. adjective

3. adverb

4. adverb

5. adjective

6. adjective

7. adjective

8. adverb

9. adverb

10. adjective

It was describing after the BE verb so it was a adverb, I debated the accent in my head for a while and ended up choosing wrong.

**3.7: find and classify prep phrases**

1. from the porch (adv) of the mansion (adj) throughout the field (adj) near the road (adj)

2. many people in America (adj) beyond the expectations (adv) of their family (adj)

3. Without a word (adv) of warning (adj) suddenly appeared (adv) on my doorstep (adj)

4. after the polices officer’s speech (adv) about security(adj) my safety(adv)

5. against their will (adv) of the tribe (adj) through the tiny village (adj)

6. until midnight (adv) during the fireworks (adv)

7. on the run (adj) between two trains (adv) on the deserted track (adj)

8. to the health (adv) of your family (adj)

9. in the pet store (adj) underneath the blanket (adv) in his cage (adj)

10. in the stand (adj) for the winning team (adv)

Woot!! Improved over the course and didn’t miss the hast hand full!!