Answer 1.

row=5;

for i in range(row):

for j in range(i):

print ('\* ', end="")

print('')

for i in range(n,0,-1):

for j in range(i):

print('\* ', end="")

print('')

Answer2.

word = input("Input a word to reverse: ")

for i in range(len(word) - 1, -1,-1):

print(word[i], end="")