

GRAMMAR DRILL

ADVERBS OF MANNER

NAME: _____

1 Find six adverbs in the word snake.

e a g e r l y h a u d o n e c a l m l y k
 h u y a d g n o i s i l y d h e l a z i l y n
 j a g f u l r a r e l y p o s t a r f a s t k s y

2 Unscramble the letters to make adverbs and complete the paragraph.

Once upon a time in a big city, there was a new police officer who unfortunately crossed paths with one of the worst criminals in town. She was new, but she did her job 1) bravely (barveyl). Nevertheless, the first time they met she was unable to arrest him. The criminal robbed bank after bank 2) greedily (greeldyi). He was very sneaky. With time, the criminal became the rookie's archenemy. She 3) carefully (creallufy) studied all the evidence trying to figure out the criminal's next move. One night, she 4) suddenly (suedndyl) discovered the criminal's pattern. She 5) eagerly (egrealy) went to the district captain and together they 6) quickly (qcuikly) created a plan to catch the criminal. Everything was finally ready. The next day would be the last robbery the criminal would ever commit.

3 Circle the correct option.

- 1 She was in a good mood. She was doing her homework _____.
 a happily. b sadly. c happy.
- 2 He wasn't thinking about what he was doing. He was making a decision _____.
 a calmly. b reckless. c recklessly.

- 3 David didn't have breakfast this morning. He was eating his lunch _____.
 a carefully. b quick. c hungrily.
- 4 I have to handle this serious problem _____.
 a carefully. b lazily. c bad.
- 5 He was being truthful about his opinion. He talked _____.
 a true. b honestly. c irritably.
- 6 Diego was feeling really sleepy. He was doing his homework _____.
 a loudly. b easy. c lazily.
- 7 Marta fell down and hurt herself _____.
 a badly. b inadequately. c bad.

4 Complete the sentences with words from the box.

gently	loudly	quickly	terribly
well	late	slowly	

- 1 If you don't want to miss the train, walk quickly.
- 2 If you listen to music too loudly you might be deaf when you get older.
- 3 The sloth moves really slowly.
- 4 He couldn't walk very well with the crutches and his heavy schoolbag.
- 5 She overslept and arrived late to school.
- 6 Ana was terribly surprised by the news.
- 7 The driver gently woke the sleeping woman on the bus.

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5 Put the words in the correct order to make sentences.

- 1 said / calmly / my dog / now / The vet / is sleeping / .
The vet said my dog is sleeping calmly now.
- 2 exam results / my / anxiously / I / waited for / .
I anxiously waited for my exam results.
- 3 attended to / My mother / kindly / the guests / .
My mother kindly attended to the guests.
- 4 protested / openly / against slavery / They / .
They openly protested against slavery.
- 5 music / can damage / too loudly / your hearing / Playing / .
Playing music too loudly can damage your hearing.
- 6 beautifully / plays / My cousin / the piano / .
My cousin plays the piano beautifully.
- 7 in bed / Adrián / likes to read / comfortably / .
Adrián likes to read comfortably in bed.

6 Circle the mistake in each sentence.

- 1 We need to move the TV (careful).
- 2 I never study (lazy) for an English test.
- 3 Our teacher explained (clear) how to use adverbs of manner.
- 4 Try to behave (proper) at the ceremony.
- 5 She (successful) completed her first surgery.
- 6 If you are going to arrive late, please enter the hall (quiet).
- 7 When my brother is listening to music, he sings (loudly).

7 Write the correct version of the sentences in Activity 6.

- 1 We need to move the TV carefully.
- 2 I never study lazily for an English test. Our teacher explained clearly how to use adverbs of manner.
- 3 Try to behave properly at the ceremony.
- 5 She successfully completed her first surgery. If you are going to arrive late, please enter the hall quietly.
- 6 When my brother is listening to music, he sings loudly.

8 Write seven sentences with the adverbs from the box.

beautifully	bravely	gladly	hard
carelessly	noisily	fast	

- 1 Students' own answers.
- 2 Students' own answers.
- 3 Students' own answers.
- 4 Students' own answers.
- 5 Students' own answers.
- 6 Students' own answers.
- 7 Students' own answers.