

ADJECTIVES AND ADVERBS (1) EXERCISES

Directions: Decide whether the underlined words are right or wrong. Correct the wrong words.

Examples: The driver of the car was serious injured. → wrong – seriously.

Be quiet, please! I'm trying to think. → right.

1. I waited nervous in the waiting room before the interview. _____
2. Why were you so unfriendly when I saw you yesterday? _____
3. Alice and Stan are very happy married. _____
4. Tom's English is not very good, but his German is almost fluent. _____
5. It rained continuous for four days. _____
6. Eve lived in the U.S. for five years, so she speaks very well English. _____
7. Everybody at the party was very colorful dressed. _____
8. Art likes wearing colorful clothes. _____
9. Sue is terrible upset about losing her job. _____

Directions: Complete the sentences with adverbs. The first letter(s) of each adverb are given.

*Example: We didn't go out because it was raining **heavily**.*

1. We had to wait for a long time, but we didn't complain. We waited *pat* _____.
2. I lost the tennis match because I played very *ba* _____.
3. I don't think he trusted me. He looked at me so *sus* _____.
4. Sorry, I didn't mean to kick you. I didn't do it *int* _____.
5. Nobody knew he was coming. He arrived *unex* _____.
6. Jan has just found a job in a store, but she won't be staying there long. She is only there *tem* _____ until she can find another job.
7. My French isn't very good, but I can understand *per* _____ if people speak *sl* _____ and *cl* _____.
8. I had very little difficulty finding an apartment. I found one quite *ea* _____.

Directions: Choose two words (one from each box) to complete each sentence.

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| absolutely | reasonably | badly |
| completely | seriously | fully |
| extremely | unusually | slightly |

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| cheap | enormous | planned |
| changed | ill | quiet |
| damaged | insured | sorry |

1. I thought the restaurant would be expensive, but it was _____.
2. Gerry's mother is _____ in the hospital.
3. What a big house! It's _____.
4. The fire destroyed our house, but luckily we were _____.
5. It wasn't a serious accident. The car was only _____.
6. A lot of things went wrong during our trip because it was _____.
7. The kids are normally very lively, but they're _____ today.
8. When I returned home after 20 years, everything had _____.
9. I'm _____ about losing your book. I'll buy you another one.