

ADVERB

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A word that modifies the meaning of a verb, an adjective, or another Adverb is called an Adverb.

eg. He runs quickly.

He walks fast.

It is quite clear.

* Kinds of Adverbs:-

1. Adverbs of Time (which show when)

eg. I come here daily

He gave me yesterday

wasted time never returns

I reached late.

2. Adverbs of Frequency (How often)

eg. I have not seen him once.

You seldom sing a song.

You often makes mistakes.

I have told you twice.

3. Adverb of Place (Where)

eg. Go there ; wait here ; come in.

I looked everywhere.

4. Adverbs of Manner (how or in what manner)

eg. Ram writes neatly. / He swims well.

You work hard

He should not do so.

5. Adverbs of Reason:

eg. I, therefore, left that company.

Hence.

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6. Adverbs of Certainty:-

8 e.g. certainly, definitely, probably, surely.

He is probably in the park.

9 He definitely left the house this morning.

10 How adverbs are formed:-

11 Rule I:- In most cases, an adverb is
12 formed by adding '-ly' to an adjective.

13	Adjective	Adverb
	cheap	cheaply
14	Quick	Quickly
	Slow	Slowly
15	Easy	Easily
16	Angry	Angrily
	happy	happily
17	lucky	luckily
18	Basic	Basically
	Economic	Economically

Rule II - Some adverbs have the same form as the adjective.

eg. Early High Straight
Fast Late Wrong
Hard Near

Compare :- It is a fast car.

He drives very fast.

This is a hard exercise.

He works hard.

Rule III :- 'Well' and Good

well is the adverb that corresponds to the adjective 'good.'

eg. He is a good student
He studies well.

They are good swimmers
They swim well.

Interrogative Adverbs :- (why, where, how, when)

eg. why are you so late?

How are you?

When does the train arrive?

How do you start the car?

How many people are coming?

Adverbs : Comparative & Superlative:

Adverb	Comparative (than)	Superlative
Hard	Harder	the hardest
late	later	the latest
Fast	Faster	the Fastest

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