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ADVERBS OF MANNER

- **Adverbs of manner** tell us how something happens. They are usually placed after the main verb or after the object.

E.g. *She drinks **quickly**.* *He plays the piano **softly**.*

- Adverbs of manner are formed, by adding **-ly** to an adjective:

E.g. silent – silently safe – safely
calm – calmly loud – loudly

- For adjectives ending in **-y**, we change **-y** to **-i** and then add **-ly**:

E.g. hungry – hungrily angry – angrily

- For adjectives ending in **-le**, we drop the **-e** and then add **-ly**:

E.g. terrible – terribly horrible – horribly

- A few adverbs of manner have the same form as the adjective. We do not add **-ly**:

E.g. straight–straight fast – fast late – late



1. Write the correct adjectives or adverbs in the boxes below.

Adjective	Adverb
1. slow	
2. calm	
3. funny	
4.	horribly
5.	quickly
6. joy	
7. good	
8. careless	
9.	early
10. happy	

2. Fill in the blanks by forming the adverbs of the words in the brackets.

a. The students walked _____(slow) to their classroom.

b. You must read the instructions _____(careful).

c. Stephanie always writes _____(neat).

d. She _____(gentle) touched the flowers.

e. He can play the drums _____(good).

f. She spoke _____(soft) to her students.

g. Tell her to sit _____(quiet).

h. Mary ran _____(fast) in the race.