Identifying Adjectives and Adverbs in Sentences

1. Tick to show whether the underlined word in each sentence is an adjective (adj) or an adverb (adv).

	Adj	Adv
A. The dog barked <u>loudly</u> at the postman.	☐	☐
B. The girl whispered <u>quietly</u> to her friend.	☐	☐
C. The <u>noisy</u> children were asked to be quiet.	☐	☐

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2. Label the boxes with V (verb), N (noun), Adj (adjective) and Adv (adverb) to show the parts of the sentence.

The excited children smiled gleefully as they arrived at the theme park.

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3. Complete the sentences below by inserting an appropriate adjective and adverb.

A. The _____ grass was swaying _____ in the wind.

B. The _____ children sat _____ on the carpet.

C. The _____ dancer moved _____ across the stage.

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4. Tick to show whether the underlined word in each sentence is an adjective (adj) or an adverb (adv).

	Adj	Adv
A. The <u>tall</u> athlete was chosen to compete in the school high jump competition.	☐	☐
B. The flowers swayed <u>gently</u> in the warm summer breeze.	☐	☐
C. The <u>quieter</u> children in the class were picked first to choose an activity during golden time.	☐	☐

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5. Label the boxes with V (verb), N (noun), Adj (adjective) and Adv (adverb) to show the parts of the sentence.

The nervous parents cheered loudly as the team scored the winning ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ goal in the last few second of the match.

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6. Complete the sentences below by inserting an appropriate adjective and adverb.

A. The _____ girl was _____ upset because she had lost her favourite toy.

B. Before he went to sleep, Ben picked up his _____ book from the bedside table and put it _____ back on the shelf.

C. Earlier today, the _____ man walked _____ down the path to collect his mail.

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7. Tick to show whether the underlined word in each sentence is an adjective (adj) or an adverb (adv).

	Adj	Adv
A. Yesterday, I woke up <u>earlier</u> than I had done all week.	☐	☐
B. The talented musician performed <u>well</u> in the end of year concert on Saturday evening.	☐	☐
C. Yesterday, my dog Rosie gave birth to puppies and they are the <u>cutest</u> puppies ever.	☐	☐

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8. Label the boxes with V (verb), N (noun), Adj (adjective) and Adv (adverb) to show the parts of the sentence.

After arriving late to the concert, we were finally allowed inside during the ☐ ☐ interval and took our seats in front of the talented orchestra. ☐ ☐

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9. Complete the sentences below by inserting an appropriate adjective and adverb.

A. Feeling _____, Hannah and Alice set off on their _____ journey to London to attend a music festival.

B. Waiting _____for the train to arrive, Johnny and Gabriel moved down the _____ platform to find somewhere to sit.

C. My brother worked _____whilst he was at university so that he was able to get a _____ job when he finished.

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1. A. adverb, B. adverb, C. adjective
2. excited: Adjective, children: noun, smiled: verb, gleefully: adverb
3. Various answers, for example:

A. The long grass was swaying gently in the wind.
B. The well-behaved children sat sensibly on the carpet.
C. The professional dancer moved gracefully across the stage.

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4. A. adjective, B. adverb, C. adjective
5. nervous: Adjective, parents: noun, cheered: verb, loudly: adverb
6. Various answers, for example:

A. The young girl was very upset because she had lost her favourite toy.
B. Ben picked up his favourite book from his bedside table and put it carefully back on the shelf.
C. The frail man walked slowly down the path to collect his mail.

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7. A. adverb, B. adverb, C. adjective
8. arriving: verb, late: adverb, talented: adjective, orchestra: noun
9. Various answers, for example:

A. Feeling excited, Hannah and Alice set off on their long journey to London to attend a music festival.
B. Waiting patiently for the train to arrive, Johnny and Gabriel moved down the crowded platform to find somewhere to sit.
C. My brother worked hard whilst he was at university so that he was able to get a well-paid job when he finished.