


# Adverbs

## With Adil Adverb

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My name is Adil Adverb. You'll often find me close to Veronica Verb. I love to describe her actions. For example:

Veronica Verb always laughs loudly and she runs quickly.




That's my job - to tell you more about a verb.

An adverb tells you where, why or how much something is done.

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# Can you spot the adverb in this sentence?

Jessica shouted loudly.




The verb (the action) is in purple.

The adverb in blue tells us how Jessica shouted: she shouted loudly.

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# Can you spot the adverb in this sentence?

Isabelle tried hard.




The verb (the action) is in purple.

The adverb in blue tells us 'how much' Isabelle tried.

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# Can you spot the adverb in this sentence?

Abigail threw the ball up.



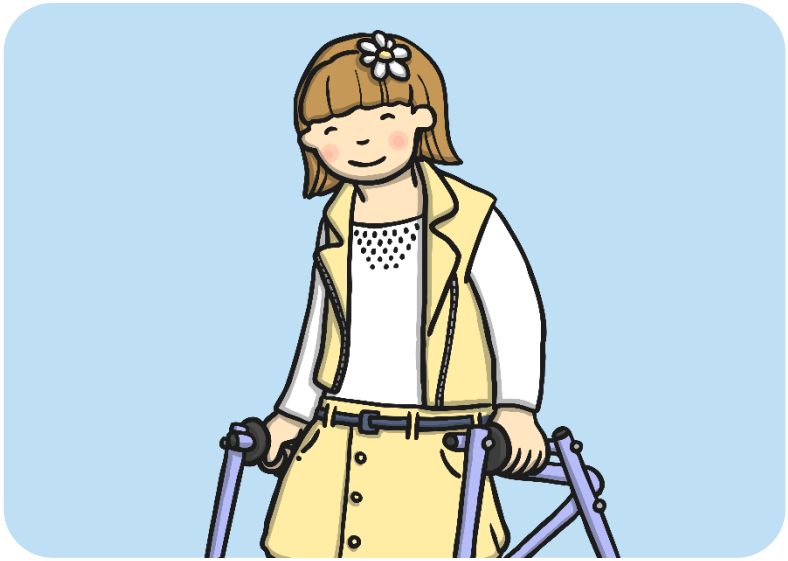

The verb (the action) is in purple.

The adverb in blue tells us 'where' Abigail threw the ball.

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# Some adverbs are made by adding ‘ly’ onto the end of the word.

kind + ly = kindly



Lilly smiled kindly.

careful + ly = carefully

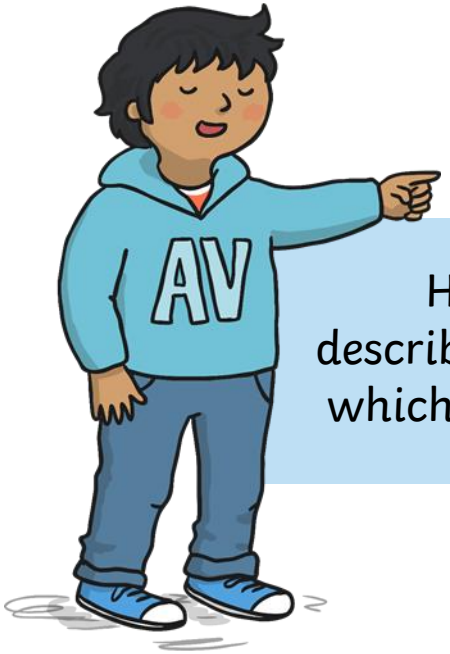


Daniel coloured his picture carefully.

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**Some adverbs describe where an action is happening.**

Liam ran upstairs.




Here, 'upstairs' is describing **where** Liam ran, which makes it an adverb.

Can you choose one of these adverbs and use it in a sentence?

here

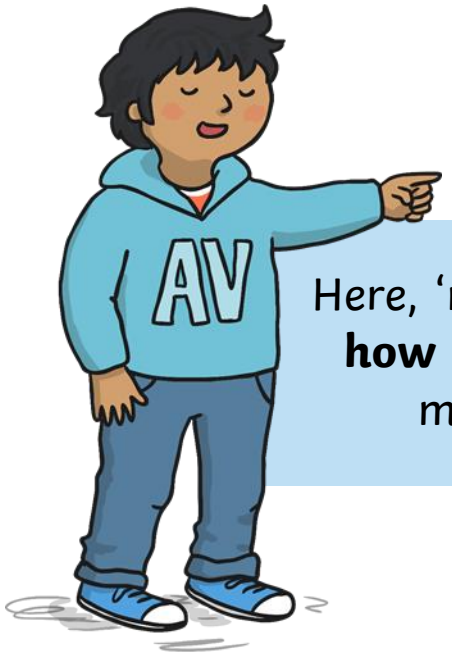
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**Some adverbs describe how an action is happening.**

Helen laughed nervously.




Here, 'nervously' is describing **how** Helen laughed, which makes it an adverb.

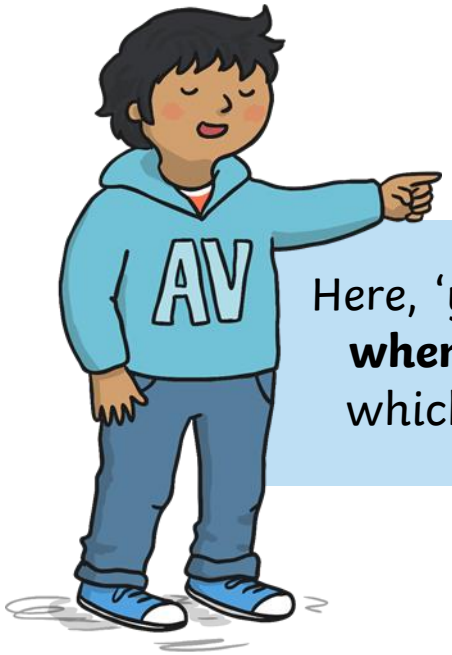
Can you choose one of these adverbs and use it in a sentence?

- quickly
- loudly
- sadly

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**Some adverbs describe when an action is happening.**

The penguins swam yesterday.




Here, 'yesterday' is describing **when** the penguins swam, which makes it an adverb.

Can you choose one of these adverbs and use it in a sentence?

earlier

later

today

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# Some adverbs describe how often an action is happening.

The lion roared daily.




Here, 'daily' is describing **how often** the lion roars, which makes it an adverb.

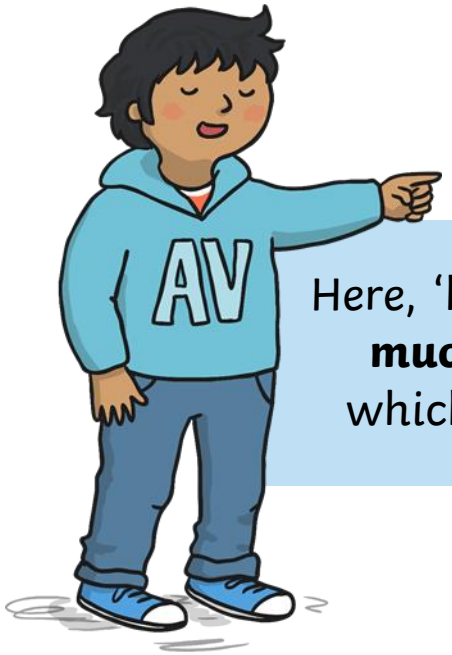
Can you choose one of these adverbs and use it in a sentence?

- weekly
- always
- sometimes

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**Some adverbs describe how much an action is happening.**

Amy tried hard to finish her homework.




Here, 'hard' is describing **how much** effort Amy put in, which makes it an adverb.

Can you choose one of these adverbs and use it in a sentence?

- very
- completely
- almost

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# Find the adverbs




Tom painted his picture beautifully.

Annie quickly brushed her hair.

Amjid read his books today in the library.

Neena swam well without arm bands.

Ben always rides his bike to school.

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