

Adjective or Adverb

adjective	adverb	translation
She is a good singer. <i>BUT: I am well. (positive ground.)</i>	She sings well .	Sie singt gut.
He drives a fast car.	He drives fast . He is fast asleep.	Er fährt schnell. Er schläft fest.
a hard nut	He works hard . I hardly know her.	Er arbeitet schwer. Ich kenne sie kaum.
It's near our home.	He came near . It's nearly one o'clock.	Er kam in die Nähe. Es ist beinahe eins.
She climbed a high tree.	The kite flew high .	Der Drache flog hoch.
I like early morning.	He came early .	Er kam früh.
He was late . (Er kam verspätet.)	They arrived late . I have seen him late ly.	Sie kamen spät an. Ich sah ihn vor kurzem.
Jane's a pretty girl.	It's pretty cold.	Es ist ziemlich kalt.
We had much fun.	I like it very much .	Ich mag es sehr.
Mr Jenkins is a friendly person.	We welcomed them in a friendly way.	Wir begrüßten sie freundlich.

VORSICHT

... nach den folgenden Verben gibt es kein Adverb!

feel	_____	He feels sick.	Es ist ihm schlecht.
get	_____	It's getting cold.	Es wird kalt.
look	_____	She looks sad.	Sie schaut traurig aus.
seem	_____	It doesn't seem nice.	Es scheint nicht nett zu sein.
smell	_____	The cheese smelled smelt.	Der Käse roch schlecht.
sound	_____	It sounds funny.	Es klingt komisch.
taste	_____	These apples taste sour.	Diese Äpfel schmecken sauer.

EXERCISE

Fill in suitable adverbs.

- He is a good skier. He skis well.
- Jimmy is a fast runner. He can run very _____.
- Helen and Kate are hard workers. They work _____.
- Tom gets up at six o'clock. He gets up _____.
- But Stephen gets up at eight o'clock. He gets up _____.
- Mr Parkinson is very friendly. He always talks to the children _____.
- John can't hear you. He is _____ asleep. (Er schläft fest.)
- Emma's handwriting is very good. She can write very _____.
- The aeroplane is high up in the sky. It's flying very _____.
- It is two minutes to one. It is _____ one o'clock. (beinahe)