**LESSON ON ADJECTIVES AND ADVERBS**

What is your favourite adjective or adverb?

Do you often use adjectives or adverbs in English?

Why do we use adjectives?

Think of synonyms and antonyms for the following adjectives?

FORTUNATE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

ANGRY \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

CAUTIOUS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

EXHAUSTED \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

HAZARDOUS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Make a few sentences using adverbs formed from the above mentioned adjectives.

1.

2.

3.

What is the difference between VERY and TOO +adjectives or adverbs?

1. Do you ever get too tired to think?

2. Are you ever too scared to ask questions?

3. Do you ever feel too embarrassed to apologize for something?

4. Have you ever too sick to go to work or school this year?

5. What is something you feel is too difficult to do?

6. Are 17-year-olds too young to get married?

When are adjectives and adverbs used? Are there any exceptions?

Which verbs are **not** followed by adverbs?

**Choose the correct word:**

1.  The students were very **quiet / quietly** when they entered the circus tent.

2.  The ring at the center of the tent was **colorful / colorfully** decorated.

3.  We were all very **eager / eagerly** to see what the circus had in store for us.

4.  A woman in an all silk gown with dragon patterns on it was singing **beautiful / beautifully**.

5.  As the show began, the mood in the auditorium was **joyous / joyously**.

6.  My friend started laughing quite **loud / loudly** when the clowns came out in their little car.

7.  I could barely hear the ringmaster over the crowd because they were so **noisy / noisily**.

8.  The man with the popcorn **sloppy / sloppily** applied butter and seasoning to his treat.

9.  The trapeze artists performed **fantastic / fantastically** even though there was a safety net.

10.  I became very **irate / irately** when the man with the Abraham Lincoln hat sat in front of me.

11.  I **jealous / jealously** watched as a young girl was chosen to come on stage with the magician.

12.  It was **hysterical / hysterically** when the clowns came back during the ringmaster's speech.

13.  Perhaps the most astonishing was how all of my money **magical / magically** disappeared.

14.  My teacher **truculent / truculently** inquired about the treatment of the circus animals.

15.  The show went by **amazing / amazingly** quick and then it was time to leave.

**Comparatives and superlatives of adverbs**

1. hard \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. carefully \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. early \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. quickly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. slowly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. late \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
7. far \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
8. well \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
9. badly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
10. clearly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**MIX: comparatives and superlatives of adjectives and adverbs**

1. I drive \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(careful) than my husband.
2. Angela works \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(hard) than I do, but our secretary works \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(hard) of all of us.
3. You should go to the doctor. Your cold is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(bad) than two days ago.
4. Anita sings\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(beautiful) of all people in the choir.
5. Our teacher explains the lessons\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(clear) than your teacher.
6. I can’t study in this room. It is too noisy. I’m going to find a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(quiet) room.
7. In Canada, January is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(cold) month.
8. Ken arrived \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(early) of them all.
9. Teenagers usually drive \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(fast) than their parents.
10. Marie is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(lucky) person I know. She has won the lottery four times.
11. I don’t understand this lesson. It is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(difficult) than the last one we did.
12. The teacher arrived \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(late) than the students.

**Conversation (pair work):**

1. what /beautiful place to visit/your country
2. who/speak/fast in your class
3. who/kind person /you know
4. what animal/live/long
5. what/good book/ever seen
6. what/happy day/in your life
7. what/brave thing/ever done
8. what/expensive thing/ever bought
9. what/good restaurant/your city

**Class survey:**

1. **Arrived at school**
2. **Number of siblings**
3. **Length of time in the city**
4. **Number of languages**
5. **Distance from school**
6. **Shoe size**
7. **Number of instruments played**