

# Boring Sentences

I can use adverbs in a sentence.

1. Please save us from these boring sentences! Can you rewrite these sentences using an adverb from the box below to make them more interesting? The first one has been done for you.

a) The fox ran along the street.

*The fox ran quickly along the street.*

b) The snail climbed up the wall.

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c) Jack pushed past Zac in the line.

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d) Holly gave her friend a sweet.

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e) Amelia asked her teacher a question.

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f) Ismas shouted at her brother

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## Word Bank

slowly

rudely

quickly

kindly

# Hunt the adverb

Circle the adverbs in the passage below. There are six altogether. One has already been found, so you need to find another five.

'Put it down, Megan!' I shouted **loudly** at my little sister.

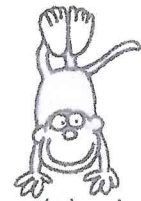
'Shush, Peter, you'll frighten him,' she whispered quietly.

'How can you frighten a slippery, slimy snail?' I laughed.

Megan looked hurt and I felt a bit guilty. 'He can have some of my sandwich,' I said, placing a lettuce leaf on the lawn.

Megan carefully placed the snail on the leaf. It quickly and very greedily munched away. Megan smiled happily.

Adverbs describe actions.



Adverbs usually end in *ly*.

Now think of an adverb to complete each of these sentences:

2 I was in a hurry so walked very \_\_\_\_\_ to school.

3 She tickled me \_\_\_\_\_ on the nose with a feather.

4 Harry spoke quite \_\_\_\_\_ to the old man.

5 I held the glass bowl very \_\_\_\_\_.

