

## Where does the adverb go?

### Activity Type

Reading and writing exercise

### Focus

Adverbs of degree

### Aim

To rewrite sentences, putting adverbs of degree in their correct position.

### Preparation

Make one copy of the worksheet for each student.

### Level

Intermediate (B1)

### Time

20 minutes

### Introduction

In this adverbs of degree word order worksheet, students practice the position of degree adverbs in a sentence.

### Procedure

Give each student a copy of the worksheet.

The students then rewrite sentences, putting the adverbs of degree in brackets in their correct position.

When the students have finished, check the answers with the class.

Answer key

1. The temperature was **barely** above freezing.
2. We felt **incredibly** lucky after winning tickets to the World Cup.
3. You are walking **too** slowly.
4. She's **quite** unsure of what she'll do after university.
5. I am **completely** drained of energy after that strenuous workout.
6. He didn't work hard **enough** to pass the exam.
7. This cake is **absolutely** wonderful.
8. My teacher is **terribly** grumpy today.
9. He is **almost** done with his work.
10. The presentation wasn't **very** good. I could **hardly** hear the presenter.
11. I **completely** agree with you. The government is **definitely** more controlling.
12. We are **deeply** saddened to hear about his death.

Afterwards, review the meanings of the adverbs of degree with the class.

Note: This resource can be edited using a PDF editor.

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2. We felt lucky after winning tickets to the World Cup. (incredibly)

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3. You are walking slowly. (too)

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4. She's unsure of what she'll do after university. (quite)

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5. I am drained of energy after that strenuous workout. (completely)

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6. He didn't work hard to pass the exam. (enough).

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7. This cake is wonderful. (absolutely)

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8. My teacher is grumpy today. (terribly)

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9. He is done with his work. (almost)

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10. The presentation wasn't good. I could hear the presenter. (very, hardly)

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11. I agree with you. The government is more controlling. (completely, definitely)

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12. We are saddened to hear about his death. (deeply)

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