

# Adjectives

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**Demonstrative adjectives are used to point out which noun is being spoken of.**

***That* book belongs to Katy.**

***This* book belongs to me.**



1. Choose a demonstrative adjective from the box to use in each space.

this

that

these

those

- \_\_\_\_\_ gloves are mine, but \_\_\_\_\_ gloves are yours.
- \_\_\_\_\_ glass belongs to me, and \_\_\_\_\_ glass is yours.
- \_\_\_\_\_ books are mine, and \_\_\_\_\_ books are yours.
- \_\_\_\_\_ boxes were taken away, but \_\_\_\_\_ boxes were left behind.

**Possessive adjectives are used to show ownership.**

***This* is *my* pen.**

***Here* is *your* hat.**

2. Choose a word from the box to use as a possessive adjective in each space.

my

their

her

its

our

your

- The cat licked \_\_\_\_\_ paws.
- \_\_\_\_\_ friend is funny.
- Is that \_\_\_\_\_ car in the garage?
- \_\_\_\_\_ dress and earrings were very expensive.
- It was \_\_\_\_\_ dog that bit \_\_\_\_\_ dog.



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**Adjectives can change their form to show degrees of comparison.**

<b>Positive Degree</b>	<b>Comparative Degree</b>	<b>Superlative Degree</b>
<i>sweet</i>	<i>sweeter</i>	<i>sweetest</i>
<i>muddy</i>	<i>muddier</i>	<i>muddiest</i>
<i>beautiful</i>	<i>more beautiful</i>	<i>most beautiful</i>

**1. Write the comparative degree of each adjective in parentheses.**

- Mike is \_\_\_\_\_ than Paul. (**strong**)
- Today is \_\_\_\_\_ than yesterday. (**hot**)
- This apple is \_\_\_\_\_ than the one you have. (**red**)
- This table is \_\_\_\_\_ than that one. (**heavy**)
- I think I am \_\_\_\_\_ than you. (**lucky**)
- This pie is \_\_\_\_\_ than that one. (**delicious**)

**2. Write the superlative degree of each adjective in parentheses.**

- This is the \_\_\_\_\_ day all year. (**hot**)
- This is the \_\_\_\_\_ place to hide. (**safe**)
- Tom is the \_\_\_\_\_ boy in the school. (**reliable**)
- A Clydesdale is the \_\_\_\_\_ horse of all. (**big**)
- Joe is the \_\_\_\_\_ person in the fourth grade. (**noisy**)
- Ms. Smith is the \_\_\_\_\_ person I know. (**brave**)

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**An adverb is a word that adds meaning to a verb, an adjective, or another adverb. Adverbs of place show where something happened.**

**I told him to come *here*.**

1. Use a place adverb from the box to complete each sentence.

out    here    there    somewhere    everywhere    near

- The supermarket is not far; in fact, it is quite \_\_\_\_\_.
- The teacher said to put the extra book \_\_\_\_\_.
- The terrible car accident occurred right \_\_\_\_\_.
- Ian came in the back door as we went \_\_\_\_\_.
- When the jar dropped, the candies scattered \_\_\_\_\_.
- I was sure I put my brand new guitar \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Write sentences of your own that use these words as adverbs of place.

- above \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- downstairs \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- in \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- outside \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- nowhere \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- behind \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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**An adverb is a word that adds meaning to a verb, an adjective, or another adverb. Adverbs of time show when something happened.**

**He played *yesterday*.**

1. Choose a time adverb from the box to replace the underlined words in each sentence.

later      now      yesterday      often      today      soon

- Mike should arrive in a short time. \_\_\_\_\_
- Don't wait for a moment; do it right away. \_\_\_\_\_
- We went swimming the day before today. \_\_\_\_\_
- We are going camping this very day. \_\_\_\_\_
- There's no panic. You can finish it in the future. \_\_\_\_\_
- Freya skips lots of times. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Write sentences of your own that use these words as adverbs of time.

- seldom \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- never \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- then \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- already \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- before \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- late \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

# Answer Key *(cont.)*

## page 48

1. fast runner  
open door  
hard rock  
hot fire  
deep water  
interesting book  
dark hair  
ripe peach
2.
  - a. tall
  - b. old
  - c. clean
  - d. blue
  - e. neat
  - f. deep

## page 49

1. *circled adjectives*  
best  
black  
large  
brown  
busy  
rubber  
strange  
tall  
oak  
highest  
broken  
brown  
strong
  - a. large, brown
  - b. best
  - c. black
  - d. busy
  - e. strange
  - f. broken

2. (Answers will vary.)

## page 50

- 1., 2. (Answers will vary.)

## page 51

1.
  - a. twelve
  - b. five
  - c. eight
  - d. two
  - e. four
2. Thirty  
Two  
first  
second  
second  
third  
fourth  
one hundred  
forty  
tenth

## page 52

1.
  - a. These/those or Those/these
  - b. This/that or That/this
  - c. These/those or Those/these
  - d. These/those or Those/these
2.
  - a. her/its
  - b. My/Their/Her/Our/Your
  - c. my/their/her/our/your
  - d. My/Her/Your
  - e. (several possible combinations)

## page 53

1.
  - a. stronger
  - b. hotter
  - c. redder
  - d. heavier
  - e. luckier
  - f. more delicious
2.
  - a. hottest
  - b. safest
  - c. most reliable
  - d. biggest

- e. noisiest
- f. bravest

## page 54

1. smoother, smoothest  
thin, thinner  
lucky, luckiest  
wiser, wisest  
delicate, most delicate  
green, greener  
best
2.
  - a. older
  - b. better
  - c. hottest
  - d. colder

## page 57

1.
  - a. greedily
  - b. gently
  - c. silently
  - d. easily
  - e. slowly
  - f. noisily
2. (Answers will vary.)

## page 58

1.
  - a. happily
  - b. loudly
  - c. quickly
  - d. easily
  - e. carefully
  - f. proudly
2.
  - a. strongly
  - b. sadly
  - c. loudly
  - d. softly
  - e. neatly
  - f. slowly

# Answer Key *(cont.)*

## page 59

1.
  - a. near
  - b. somewhere
  - c. there/here
  - d. out
  - e. everywhere
  - f. here/there
2. (Answers will vary.)

## page 60

1.
  - a. soon
  - b. now
  - c. yesterday
  - d. today
  - e. later
  - f. often
2. (Answers will vary.)

## page 61

1.
  - a. where
  - b. how
  - c. where
  - d. when
  - e. when
  - f. how
2.
  - a. quickly
  - b. soon
  - c. here
  - d. loudly
  - e. there
  - f. now

## page 62

1.
  - a. higher
  - b. better
  - c. easier
  - d. best
  - e. fastest
  - f. more
  - g. longer
  - h. loudest

2.
  - a. better, best
  - b. fast, faster, fastest

## page 64

1.
  - a. miscellaneous
  - b. education
  - c. cauliflower
  - d. facetious
2.
  - a. seven
  - b. orange
  - c. horse
  - d. carrot
  - e. near
  - f. camel
3. (Answers will vary.)

## page 65

1.
  - a. an
  - b. A
  - c. A
  - d. an
  - e. a
  - f. a
  - g. an
  - h. a
2. (Answers will vary.)
3. (Answers will vary.)

## page 66

1.
  - a. an
  - b. a/the
  - c. the
  - d. the/a
  - e. an
  - f. the/a
  - g. An/The
  - h. the
2.
  - a. the
  - b. the
  - c. a

2.

- a. the
- b. the
- c. a

- a. the/an
- a. a/the
- a. an/the
- a. the/a
- The
- the
- the/a

## page 69

1.
  - a. in
  - b. during
  - c. over
  - d. through
  - e. under
  - f. up
2.
  - a. at
  - b. with
  - c. off
  - d. of
  - e. for
  - f. into

## page 70

1. (Answers will vary.)
2. (Answers will vary.)

## page 71

1.
  - a. over
  - b. outside
  - c. after
  - d. above
  - e. off
  - f. around
2. (Answers will vary.)

## page 72

1. (Answers will vary.)
2.
  - a. across
  - b. between
  - c. into