

Chapter- 12

Adverb

STUDY NOTES

At a glance:

- Words that tell us how an action is done are called adverbs.
- An adverb is a word that tells us more about a verb.
- Most adverbs end with **ly**.

Look at the pictures and read the sentences



The dog barks loudly



Snails move slowly.

Here the words loudly and slowly tell us how the actions are done. Loudly tells us how the dog barks. Slowly tells us how snails move. Such words are called **adverbs**.

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Examples

Meena rides her bicycle carefully.

Amit will read the poem loudly.

Raju speaks quickly.

We should eat slowly.

Answer Key:**1. Draw a line to match the action words with the correct adverbs.**

Adverb	Action Word	Adverb
(a) loudly	clean _____	neatly
(b) carefully _____	walk	clearly
(c) quickly _____	run	loudly
(d) neatly	sleep _____	quietly
(e) loudly _____	talk	silently

2. Choose the correct adverbs from the box given below and fill in the blanks.

clearly loudly slowly quickly sweetly

- (a) Nadia sings sweetly.
- (b) Rahul runs quickly.
- (c) The lion roars loudly.
- (d) My grandfather walks slowly.
- (e) Amit writes clearly.

3. Choose the adverbs which are true for you and fill in the blanks.

- (a) How do you talk to elders?
I talk to elders politely. politely rudely
- (b) How do you walk on the road?
I walk on the road carefully. carefully carelessly
- (c) How do you read a book?
I read a book loudly. loudly silently
- (d) How do you do your homework?
I do my homework carefully. slowly carefully
- (f) How do you write?
I write clearly. clearly poorly