

ADJECTIVES AND ADVERBS OF MANNER

Point of interest:	Adjective:	Adverb:
what it describes:	noun	verb, adj., adv.
regular form:	careful previous	carefully previously
irregular spelling:	terrible understandable happy true (but: complete	terribly understandably happily truly completely)
adj./adv. same form:	early, straight, fast, daily, monthly, long, far, well (=gesund) quick, slow (adv. <i>quickly</i> , <i>slowly</i> also)	

adv. same form

+ <i>-ly</i> with special meaning!	deep	deep / deeply:
	fair	fair / fairly:
	first	first / firstly:
	hard	hard / hardly:
	high	high / highly:
	last	last / lastly:
	late	late / lately:
	loud	loud / loudly:
	most	most / mostly:
	near	near / nearly:
	short	short / shortly:
	wide	wide / widely:

don't forget: pretty prettily/ pretty:

adv. irregular form: good (cf. be well) well — gesund sein

adj. with no adverb: friendly, lovely, ugly → "in a friendly / lovely / ugly way"

comparative / superlative adj. + adv.:

- 1 cheap, fast, hard; happy, clever : *harder – hardest, happier – happiest ...*
 - 2 sensible, marvellous, easily, : *more easily – most easily, ...*
 - 3 good, bad(ly), far: better / worse / farther – best / worst / farthest
further furtherest
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Verb + Adjective: sound, feel, taste, smell, seem, appear, (direct perception)
"sounds good" etc. be, go (=become, turn), become, get, grow, turn. (sein, werden)

I Adjective vs. Adverb: fill in the correct form (positive, comparative or superlative):

- 1 Oh! I'm (terrible) sorry, I didn't mean to step on your toe.
- 2 It's always the same with you! You keep arriving (late).
..... (late) you were even two hours (late)!
- 3 Speak (loud), we can (hard) hear you.
- 4 I've been a great deal (happy) since I changed my job.
- 5 People tend to think that English is (easy) to learn than other languages. That's probably because basic English grammar is more
(easy) (understandable) than other languages' grammar.
- 6 You should drive more (careful) on this (dangerous) road. Believe me, there have been a lot of accidents here, it's
(true) (dangerous).
- 7 He loves to fly (high) in his plane. He is an excellent pilot, too. It is
..... (high) (enjoyable) to fly with him.
- 8 She ran (fast) than any one else, and thus came
(first) in the race.
- 9 What is the (bad) holiday you have ever had? – I think it was a trip to
England in spring some years back. There was only rain and cold. It couldn't have been
..... (bad).
- 10 "You sure *is* (ugly)" she said (very unfriendly).
- 11 There was no doubt she was (extreme) (pretty).
And she could sing so (pretty)! Everyone was
(pretty) impressed.
- 12 "The (hard) they come, the (deep) they fall."
- 13 What's the (far) you have ever got away from Switzerland?
- 14 Who is the (clever) person in this room? – Me, of course, he boasted
..... (loud).