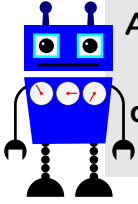


Adverbs to Express Time, Cause and Place



Adverbs tell us more about a verb. They can be used to express time e.g. We need to leave for the airport soon. They can also be used to express cause e.g. Toby didn't wake up on time and consequently he was late for school. They can also be used to express place e.g. The children played outside.

- 1) Circle the adverb in each sentence. Then draw a line from each sentence to show whether the adverb is used to express time, cause or place.

The family recently started surfing lessons.

Time

I am hungry however I can't finish my dinner.

Dad looked everywhere for his car keys.

Cause

We eventually arrived at our destination.

Place

Put your belongings over there.

- 2) Tick the sentences that include an adverb of time.

Mum told me to do my homework but I'd already done it.	
Close the window, otherwise it will get too cold.	
We are going swimming tomorrow.	
He went upstairs.	

- 3) Tick the sentences that include an adverb of cause.

The thief ran away from the police officer.	
It was noisy therefore we wore ear defenders.	
It started to rain, however the festival went ahead.	
I will clean out the stables today.	

- 4) Circle the adverbs for place in the sentences below.

We took our shoes off before going inside the mosque.

The young people in our village have nowhere fun to play.

The mischievous puppy left muddy paw prints everywhere.

The coach was directed to park there.

