


Practice

1 Write the missing adverbs.

adjective	<i>slow</i>	<i>happy</i>	<i>usual</i>	<i>early</i>	<i>fast</i>	<i>hard</i>	<i>good</i>
adverb	<i>slowly</i>						

2 Complete the sentences, using the adverbs from Exercise 1.

- Lift the weights *slowly*..... or you'll hurt yourself.
- We found a good seat because we arrived
- Jake's a fantastic artist. He can paint really
- My parents have been married for more than thirty years.
- If you want to pass the exam you need to work
- I have a hot drink before I go to bed.
- You shouldn't drive so – it's dangerous!

3 GRAMMAR IN USE Choose the correct words in *italics*.  2.45 Listen and check.

KEITH I thought you might be able to give me some advice on university courses. It's (0) *(really difficult)* / *difficult really* to choose one.

MIKE Which school subjects do you prefer?

KEITH Well, I'm (1) *a lot* / *very* good at science and I think biology is (2) *interesting quite* / *quite interesting*.

MIKE And what do you do in your free time?

KEITH I play (3) *computer games a lot* / *a lot computer games*. And I'm (4) *much* / *extremely* fond of animals. My parents own a farm and we've got two horses and a couple of cats. I can (5) *happy* / *happily* spend most of my free time with them!

MIKE So you like animals? Do you find it easy to control them?


KEITH Oh yes, it's (6) *easy fairly* / *fairly easy* for me. I know they sometimes behave badly or (7) *in a silly way* / *silly* but I seem to have a good relationship with them.

MIKE Do you have any special skills?

KEITH Yes, I play the piano (8) *rather* / *a little* well; and my mother's German so I can speak German (9) *perfectly* / *perfect*.

MIKE Have you thought about studying to become a vet?

KEITH No, but that's a (10) *really* / *lot* good suggestion. Do you think I'd get a place?

4 Complete the sentences with the phrases from the box.  2.46 Listen and check.

very much really slowly ~~rather surprisingly~~ a little quite often
very carefully extremely fast rather hard quite well

- She behaved *rather surprisingly*...; nobody expected her to do that.
- I can sing, but my sister is better than me.
- John was stopped by the police because he was driving
- Palm trees grow; only one or two centimetres a year.
- This is a dangerous machine. So make sure you read the instructions
- We come here – about four or five times a year.
- Clarissa loves her pet cat
- Zack hit his head and got a really bad headache.
- I hate going to the gym but I try to exercise every day to keep fit.