# adverbs and adjectives



#### ADVERBS

Adverbs are used to describe verbs, adjectives or other adverbs.

Adverbs answer: how, when, where, why, how often or how much.

For example: That puppy runs slowly.



#### ADJECTIVES

Adjectives are used to describe a noun or pronoun.

Adjectives often come before the word they describe.

For example: That is a cute puppy.

## More examples:

- 1. Sarah thinks quickly. (Adv.)
- 2. We performed badly. (Adv.)

### More examples:

- 1. Sarah is a **quick** thinker. (**Adj**.)
- 2. Our <u>performance</u> was **bad**. (**Adj**.)

## adverb or adjective?

Show what you know!

1	John held the plate <u>carefully</u> .  O adverb O adjective	2	She sang very <u>happily</u> .  ○ adverb ○ adjective
3	Susan is a <u>good</u> cook.  O adverb O adjective	4	Please drive to school <u>safely</u> .  O adverb O adjective
(5)	That boy is so <u>loud</u> .  O adverb O adjective	6	Not all snakes are <u>dangerous</u> .  O adverb O adjective
7	Daniel is a very <u>bad</u> dancer.  O adverb O adjective	8	He always speaks <u>slowly</u> .  O adverb O adjective