

# What Is an Adjective?

An **adjective** is a word that describes a noun or a pronoun. An adjective answers one of these questions:

## What kind?

a **juicy** pear  
a **rusty** nail  
**stinky** cheese

## How many?

**most** people  
**six** snails  
**some** trees



➔ Write **what kind** or **how many** before each sentence to show the question each bolded adjective answers.

- \_\_\_\_\_ I need to wash my **dirty** hands.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I wish I had **long** hair.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **All** campers will learn the song.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The outdoor market sells **many** things.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I saved **ten** dollars.
- \_\_\_\_\_ This is an **itchy** sweater.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **No** guests are allowed backstage.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Dad is watching a **scary** movie.
- \_\_\_\_\_ We expect a **hot** summer.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A **few** people laughed.
- \_\_\_\_\_ We planted **some** flowers.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Would you please buy **strawberry** ice cream?

# Using Adjectives and Adverbs ②

Write the correct form of an adjective or an adverb in each blank to complete this story. Use your own words or choose them from the box. Select a different word for each blank.



I love \_\_\_\_\_ sports, but my \_\_\_\_\_ sport

1. adjective

2. adjective

is basketball. I've been playing \_\_\_\_\_ since I was \_\_\_\_\_ years old.

3. adverb

4. adjective

I guess it helps that I've \_\_\_\_\_ been \_\_\_\_\_ for my age.

5. adverb

6. adjective

I \_\_\_\_\_ play point guard because I can run \_\_\_\_\_

7. adverb

8. adverb

9. adverb

and dribble \_\_\_\_\_. But I \_\_\_\_\_ like playing defense.

10. adverb

11. adverb

12. adverb

I played \_\_\_\_\_ at the game \_\_\_\_\_. I scored \_\_\_\_\_

13. adverb

14. adverb

15. adjective

points in the \_\_\_\_\_ half. The crowd cheered \_\_\_\_\_ when the game

16. adjective

17. adverb

ended. Coach named me the most \_\_\_\_\_ player of the game. It was an

18. adjective

\_\_\_\_\_ win for the team and I was \_\_\_\_\_ to be a part of it.

19. adjective

20. adjective

## adjectives

4	important	tall
28	incredible	thrilled
all	most	valuable
big	proud	
exciting	second	
favorite	seven	

## adverbs

actively	skillfully
almost	usually
also	very
always	well
fast	wildly
quite	yesterday