# Adjectives & Adverbs Identification Answers

Label each of the following words as an adjective (ADJ) or an adverb (ADV). You should find nine adjectives and six adverbs.

| ADJ | red       | ADV | quickly  | ADV | temporarily |
|-----|-----------|-----|----------|-----|-------------|
| ADJ | plentiful | ADJ | colorful | ADV | rapidly     |
| ADJ | soft      | ADV | eerily   | ADJ | eight       |
| ADJ | monthly   | ADJ | sweet    | ADV | intensely   |
| ADJ | dirty     | ADV | gladly   | ADJ | gloomy      |

Label the adjectives (ADJ) and adverbs (ADV) in the following sentences. Ignore the articles a, an, and the. You should find seven adjectives and three adverbs.

#### ADI

1. I am the youngest child in the family.

ADV ADJ

2. When running wild through the field, the boys stepped on slippery pebbles.

ADI

3. His glasses took me by surprise.

ADJ ADJ ADV ADJ

4. The belligerent weeds in my Chinese garden quickly overtook my plants.

**ADV** 

5. Snowflakes covered the yard, and Yvette hurriedly shoveled a path.

### Adjectives & Adverbs Worksheet Answers

Edit the following sentences to eliminate errors in the use of adjectives and adverbs. If a sentence is correct, write "correct" after it.

- 1. Hank felt well because he knew that he had done a good job. Correct
- 2. I had to finish the assignment **really quickly**.
- 3. Polly's car is **more** greener than mine.
- 4. Kelly did well on her placement test.
- 5. My family has ten children: six boys and four girls.
- 6. Ollie was faster than his competitor. **Correct**
- 7. Germs spread quickly if people are not conscientious. Correct
- 8. If the store restocked their shelves more **regularly**, they wouldn't sell out of bread.
- 9. Jane enjoys swimming more better than jogging.
- 10. Thunderstorms develop quickly during summer months.
- 11. Without warning, she sold the **most** best blueprint to the lowest bidder.
- 12. Suzy sells splendid sea shells; Sally stupendously sews suits. Correct

## Figures of Speech Worksheet Answers

### Answers may vary

Edit the following sentences to replace worn-out expressions and figures of speech.

- 1. I asked the tutor to help me **improve** my paper.
- 2. When he saw he had received an A on his exam, Tim was ecstatic!
- 3. Zack was seething with envy when he saw Mike's new car.
- 4. During political campaigns, focus is placed on the **candidates' secrets**.
- 5. Linda was **bubbling with excitement** when she opened her present.
- 6. Without his glasses, Sean is **nearly blind**.
- 7. Until the sun rose, it was **frigid** outside.
- 8. Learning to use a broom is **simple**.
- 9. Because I skipped breakfast, I was **starving**.
- 10. Sam became **enraged** when he heard the news.

### Irregular Verbs Worksheet Answers

Edit the following sentences to eliminate problems with irregular verbs.

If a sentence is correct, write "correct" after it.

- 1. Because he wasn't paying attention, Clark had ate too much candy.
- 2. The girl with the **broken** leg was seen by the doctor first.
- 3. The drive made me tired, so I lay down for a nap.
- 4. Cindy **saw** the circus act when they were in town last summer.
- 5. We stopped the mail, packed the car, and began our vacation.
- 6. *The Star Spangled Banner* was **sung** at the beginning of the ball game.
- 7. The garbage stank after he added last night's trash. Correct
- 8. The phone had **rung** for a full 24 hours while the court case was active.
- 9. Oscar laid his hat on the counter when he returned from the store. Correct
- 10. Many have seen a shooting star scuttle across the night sky. **Correct**

## Nouns Worksheet Answers

Circle the nouns from the list of words below. Eight nouns are listed.

| candy      | sweet           | begrudgingly |
|------------|-----------------|--------------|
| constitute | computer        | Thanksgiving |
| portrait   | television show | adversely    |
| apologize  | London          | clean        |
| cry        | maroon          | vehicle      |

#### Nouns Worksheet 2 Answers

Underline the nouns in the following sentences.

- 1. Beethoven and Mozart composed elegant symphonies while they were alive.
- 2. Most holidays involve lots of candy and Hallmark cards.
- 3. Mark Twain once quipped, "News is history in its first and best form."
- 4. <u>Calendars</u> help me to plan my <u>days</u> and to make sure that my <u>deadlines</u> are met.
- 5. Panthers, lions, and jaguars inhabited the zoo's front section.

# Parts of Speech Worksheet Answers

In the following sentences, label the parts of speech of each italicized word. Use these codes: noun (N), pronoun (P), verb (V), adjective (ADJ), adverb (ADV), preposition (PS), conjunction (C).

|     | $oldsymbol{N}$   |     |
|-----|--|-----|
| 1.  | Without the map, <i>Gary</i> will not be able to find his way home.                          |     |
|     | ADJ P  |     |
| 2.  | If you have more than <i>one</i> computer mouse, are <i>they</i> referred to as mice?        |     |
|     | V PS   |     |
| 3.  | Peanut butter and jelly sandwiches are full of nutrients.                                    |     |
|     | N C N  |     |
| 4.  | The Avengers broke box office records and impressed many comic book enthusias                | ts. |
|     | ADJ N ADJ  |     |
| 5.  | Mexican food, Chinese food, and Italian food are all represented in that shopping            |     |
|     | center.  |     |
|     | v c  |     |
| 6.  | Which subject is better: chemistry or economics?   |     |
|     | N ADJ  |     |
| 7.  | Brenda, <i>Bobby</i> , Branson, Barry, Brittney, and Billie are <i>blood</i> related.        |     |
|     | N PS ADI   |     |
| 8.  | Comedy <i>routines</i> can sometimes turn <i>into</i> a <i>big</i> roast.                    |     |
|     | ADV V ADJ ADJ  |     |
| 9.  | Family and friends <i>eagerly gathered</i> for the <i>Donovan's anniversary</i> celebration. |     |
|     | PS N N   |     |
| 10. | Now is the time <i>for</i> all good <i>men</i> to come to the <i>aid</i> of their country.   |     |
|     |  |     |

# Prepositions & Conjunctions Worksheet Answers

In the following sentences, label the prepositions (P) and the conjunctions (C).

| 1.  | Touring Europe and Asia with my uncle was an experience that I'll never forget    |
|-----|---|
|     | C   |
| 2.  | It seems as if everyone's favorite Starburst color is either red or pink.         |
|     | P C P   |
| 3.  | Between the mountain ranges and above the valley rose a beautiful rainbow.        |
|     | P C P P   |
| 4.  | U2 celebrated their hit "With or Without You" in the 1980s.                       |
|     | C P   |
| 5.  | Caffeine doesn't affect me, so I can drink coffee before bed.                     |
|     | C P   |
| 6.  | Paul normally takes charge, but his friend from college is taking over this year. |
|     | P C P   |
| 7.  | Over the mountain and through the woods stood Grandmother's home.                 |
|     | С   |
| 8.  | Heather bought a blue computer because she likes blueberries.                     |
|     | C C P C P   |
| 9.  | Neither Mark nor Pam knew about the surprise or about the cover.                  |
|     | C C P   |
| 10. | . Daffodils and tulips covered the lawn and brought color to the landscape.       |

# Prepositions Worksheet Answers

Many prepositions express opposite ideas.

Fill in the following blanks with prepositions that express the opposite idea to the one listed.

| Example: <u>under</u> | over    |           |         |
|-----------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| <u>after</u>          | before  | <u>up</u> | down    |
| in front of           | behind  | like      | unlike  |
| inside                | outside | with      | without |
| to                    | from    | through   | around  |

#### Pronouns Worksheet 2

*Underline the prepositions in the following sentences.* 

- 1. No one knew **about** the dangers **of** standing too closely **to** a microwave.
- 2. Della refused to open her purse <u>during</u> the security check.
- 3. <u>Like</u> her ancestors, Zoe studied psychology and became a doctor.
- 4. Children play with each other as they develop motor skills.
- 5. The directions were to go <u>around</u> the barn, <u>through</u> the field, <u>toward</u> the big oak, and to stop <u>after</u> we had crossed the finish line.