



Bayview High

The Paper

Chapter 10: A Deal Goes Down

Working with Words—“-ly” Adverbs

Adverbs modify verbs. Adverbs describe action words and add to their meaning by telling:

How?

When?

Where?

How much?

For example:

Ivan felt badly when he found out Liz wanted the internship too.

Badly tells how Ivan felt.

Underline the adverbs in each of the following sentences and tell how they add to the meaning of the verb.

1. Ivan's first real article went smoothly.

2. She nicely answered all his questions.

3. Double check that her name is spelled correctly.

4. Ivan was actually looking forward to going to the paper later that day.

5. He watched Len walk slowly over to a bunch of kids on the sidewalk.

6. Ivan quickly went inside and headed for his first class.
