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Adverbs Test With Spies...

Reading Level 3

Part One | Identifying Adverbs

Directions: Find the answer choice that is being used as an adverb in each of these sentences. Circle your answer.

- 1. Gizmo works very hard to make new weapons and gadgets for the spies at Omega Central.
- a) worksb) hardc) newd) very
- 2. The notorious supervillain Dr. Hurt is always trying to take over the world.
- a) trying b) notorious
- c) supervillain d) always
- 3. Ms. Fortune is too clever and resourceful to stay locked up behind bars for long.
- a) too b) clever
- c) keep d) resourceful

4. Flint Steel is simply the most effective and dynamic secret agent in the field.

- a) secret b) field
- c) best d) simply
- 5. Agent Green almost blew off his hand with an explosive bubble gum wrapper.
- a) wrapper b) almost
- c) explosive d) blew
- 6. Red Widow usually keeps a set of stainless steel lock picks concealed in the lining of her purse.
- a) stainless b) lock
- c) usually d) concealed
- 7. Gizmo cleverly designed a high-tech pair of sunglasses that one could use to see through walls.
- a) designedb) high-techc) glassesd) cleverly



8. A warning message for the spies at Omega Central came over the radio secretly.

a)	secretly	b)	warning
c)	spies	d)	came
9.	The nefarious General Pain will never stop tr	ying	to conquer the world.
a)	never	b)	stop
c)	the	d)	nefarious

10. Flint Steel jumped off his motorcycle and landed softly in the back of a passing garbage truck.

a)	jumped	b)	garbage
c)	his	d)	softly

Part Two | Adjective or Adverb?

Directions: Choose the pair that best completes the sentence. Circle your answer. Remember, adjectives modify nouns and pronouns. Adverbs modify verbs, adjectives, and other adverbs.

11. Dr. Hurt jumped from the	plane and landed on the passing motorcycle.			
a) reckless, wild	b) recklessly, wild			
c) reckless, wildly	d) recklessly, wildly			
12. Ms. Fortune pulled a steel syringe filled with truth serum out of her purse and injected it into the target.				
a) careful, cold	b) carefully, cold			
c) careful, coldly	d) carefully, coldly			
13. Dr. Hurt hit the switch to turn on his doomsday device.				
a) grim, final	b) grimly, final			
c) grim, finally	d) grimly, finally			
14. Agent Green hit the switch on his car and it transformed into a helicopter-car.				
a) secret, stealthy	b) secretly, stealthy			
c) secret, stealthily	d) secretly, stealthily			
15. Red Widow is an expert assassin and very to me.	at fighting enemies but she doesn't speak			
a) good, polite	b) well, polite			
c) good, politely	d) well, politely			

16. General Pain's junky car drove	down Bad News Boulevard.			
a) old, noisy	b) oldly, noisy			
c) old, noisily	d) oldly, noisily			
17. Red Window observed that Ger parking lot of the Hall of Justice.	neral Pain's car was leaking oil in the			
a) keen, rapid	b) keenly, rapid			
c) keen, rapidly	d) keenly, rapidly			
18. Gizmo designs weapons and equipment for spies very, but he is not so at fighting.				
a) good, good	b) well, good			
c) good, well	d) well, well			
19. Dr. Hurt's amazing metallic robot horse w	and obeyed			
a) strong, loyal	b) strongly, loyal			
c) strong, loyally	d) strongly, loyally			
20. Gizmo was working on a bullet an FM radio.	tproof hat that keeps one's ears and has			
a) patient, warm	b) patiently, warm			
c) patient, warmly	d) patiently, warmly			
21. Ms. Fortune made a threat to cit to freeze the police station.	ity officials that she would use a ice ray			
a) forceful, powerful	b) forcefully, powerful			
c) forceful, powerfully	d) forcefully, powerfully			
22. Red Widow is at Flint Steel for attempting to apprehend Dr. Hurt without her.				
a) real, angry	b) really, angry			
c) real, angrily	d) really, angrily			
23. We thought that Flint Steel sounded	when he sang the National Anthem in			
a) bad, good	b) badly, good			
c) bad, well	d) badly, well			
24. Agent Green flipped and and	over the burning bridge while on the back of a			
a) bold, brave	b) boldly, brave			
c) bold, bravely	d) boldly, bravely			

25. Gizmo made a	_ coat that protects its w	vearer from rain.		
a) special, torrential	b)	specially, torrential		
c) special, torrentially	d)	specially, torrentially		
26. Ms. Fortune used her co with the piece	at-glider to fly of art.	_ out the museum window on the 50th floor		
a) fearless, rare	b)	fearlessly, rare		
c) fearless, rarely	d)	fearlessly, rarely		
27. Gizmo built an device that can add or subtract numbers very				
a) incredible, fast	b)	incredibly, fast		
c) incredible, fastly	d)	incredibly, fastly		
28. Agent Green trailed behind Dr. Hurt's henchmen as they walked down the alley.				
a) silent, dirty	b)	silently, dirty		
c) silent, dirtily	d)	silently, dirtily		
29. The news anchors reported that the villainous Dr. Hurt was from prison.				
a) sad, free	b)	sadly, free		
c) sad, freely	d)	sadly, freely		
30. Ms. Fortune thought that Dr. Hurt's evil underground lair smelled, but Dr. Hurt didn't notice the odor.				
a) bad, foul	b)	badly, foul		
c) bad, foully	d)	badly, foully		