

An **adverb phrase** is often a **prepositional phrase** that acts as an **adverb**.

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Adverb phrase tells...	Example
When	The baby <b>napped during the show</b> .
Where	The squirrel <b>fled to the woods</b> .

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Which sentence has an adverb phrase that tells **when**?

- A** We played baseball with the neighbors.
- B** We played baseball before dinner.

Which sentence has an adverb phrase that tells **where**?

- A** Our family took a vacation during summer.
- B** Our family took a vacation to Canada.

1. Read the sentence(s).
2. Identify the verb. (underline)
3. Expand the sentence with an adverb phrase. (use picture and prepositions list)
4. Read the expanded sentence.

### Prepositions

**about, after, against, among, around, as, at, before, below, between, by, during, for, from, in, into, like, of, on, out, over, through, to, under, with, without**

- 1 Use an adverb phrase that tells **when**.

The sun rises \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



- 2 Use an adverb phrase that tells **where**.

The lake lies \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



- 3 Use an adverb phrase that tells **when** and **where**.

Trish skates \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



- 4 Use an adverb phrase that tells **where** and **when**.

We stayed \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



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How	The scientist <b>works through the microscope</b> .
Why	Fiona <b>bought</b> a bracelet <b>for her mother's birthday</b> .

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Which sentence has an adverb phrase that tells **how**?

- A** Jimmy rode his bicycle without training wheels.
- B** Jimmy rode his bicycle to the store.

Which sentence has an adverb phrase that tells **why**?

- A** Arthur draws action figures for his little sister.
- B** Arthur draws action figures with a computer.

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- 1 Use an adverb phrase that tells **how**.

The Irish dancers stamp the floor \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



- 2 Use an adverb phrase that tells **why**.

The Irish dancers wear their costumes \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



- 3 Use an adverb phrase that tells **how** and **why**.

The toddlers grasped sliced apples \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



- 4 Use an adverb phrase that tells **how** and **why**.

Bibi sticks his head \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



## Skill Closure

1. Read the sentence(s).
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- 1 Use an adverb phrase that tells **where**.

The eagle soared \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



- 2 Use an adverb phrase that tells **how** and **when**.

The businessman shakes his laptop \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



## Concept Closure



Write two sentences.



students

Use an adverb phrase that tells **when**.

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young horse

Use an adverb phrase that tells **where**.

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## Summary Closure

What did you learn today about expanding sentences with adverb phrases?

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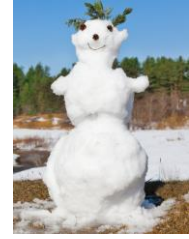
## Word Bank

expand  
adverb phrases  
prepositional phrases  
when  
where  
how  
why

Complete the sentence with adverb phrases.

**1 Use an adverb phrase that tells when.**

The snowman melts \_\_\_\_\_



**2 Use an adverb phrase that tells how and where.**

The koi fish collide \_\_\_\_\_



**3 Use an adverb phrase that tell when and where.**

The crab walks \_\_\_\_\_



**4 Use an adverb phrase that tells why.**

The octopus uses its tentacles \_\_\_\_\_



**5 Use an adverb phrase that tells how.**

The hummingbird create a hum \_\_\_\_\_



**6 Use an adverb phrase that tell how and why.**

A robin pecks the grass \_\_\_\_\_





## Listening

Listen carefully to the sentences.

Write the adverb phrase that identifies with the picture.




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**Reading**

**Read the sentences. Identify the verb (underline) and its adverb phrase (box).**

Hummingbirds are incredibly fascinating. To fly, they flap their wings 50 to 200 times a second. During flight, this creates the humming sound. They can fly very fast about 30 miles per hour or even dive at 60 miles per hour. Hummingbirds are the smallest migrating bird. They regularly fly 500 miles nonstop across large water features. They lick nectar from flowers with their long tongues. They can lick at a rate of 10-15 times a second. They eat about 5-8 times an hour.

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**Writing**

**Write** a sentence for every picture using an adverb phrase that has two prepositional phrases. Read the sentences.

**archeologist****veterinarian****astronaut****young collector**