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PRESENT SIMPLE-ADVERB OF FREQUENCY

Se colocan siempre delante del verbo principal.
Si el verbo es “to be”, van detrás de él.

always > siempre
often > a menudo, con frecuencia
usually > generalmente
sometimes > algunas veces
never > nunca

I always live in London. She never walks alone.
Do you often study at night?
They are usually at home.

100%	ALWAYS	He's always very punctual. I'll see if he's here yet.
90%	USUALLY	We usually go to the restaurant on Sundays.
80%	GENERALLY	We generally go to the sea for our holidays.
70%	OFTEN	They often went caroling at Christmas.
50%	SOMETIMES	Sometimes , I just need someone to talk to.
30%	OCCASIONALLY	We occasionally meet for a drink after work.
15%	SELDOM	I have seldom seen such brutality.
5%	RARELY	She is old and rarely goes out.
0%	NEVER	If you don't aim high you will never hit high.



Adverbs of Frequency

1. Rules

Follow the examples and complete the rules with the correct word:
Between After Before

Frequency adverbs go:

- _____ main verbs.
I never drink Coke.
- _____ the auxiliary verb and the main verb.
He doesn't often make his bed.
- _____ the verb TO BE.
Joe is always at home at noon.

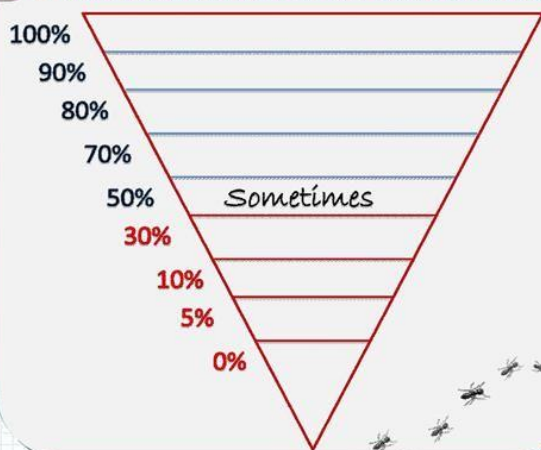
2.

Circle the adverbs of frequency

a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z

frequently a w k n e v e r p l e o c c a s i o n a l l y o f t e n s r a r e l y i q u e s e l d o m a n s o m e t i m e s w p x u s u a l l y a l w a y s c f g

3. Write the adverbs in the correct place



The funnel diagram shows percentages on the left: 100%, 90%, 80%, 70%, 50%, 30%, 10%, 5%, 0%. The word 'Sometimes' is written in the section between the 50% and 70% lines.


4. Put the sentences in order

1. swims / usually / he / fast
2. dad / never / coffee / my / drink
3. don't / music / they / often / to
4. her / angry / am / rarely / with / I
5. Why / teeth / do / you / never / brush / your?

5. Complete the sentences

Use the Present Simple of the Verbs in brackets. Put the adverbs in the right place.

1. Susan _____ (do / never) her homework in the kitchen.
2. Henry and Tina _____ (not meet / usually) in the afternoons.
3. I _____ (be / always) at home on Sunday mornings.
4. We _____ (go out / seldom) at night from Monday to Friday.
5. _____ (you / eat / sometimes) pizza?
6. English weather _____ (not be / often) sunny.



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