ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS



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e.g. glad → gladly

- 1. Make new words by adding the suffix '-ly' to the root words below. Write the new words in the boxes provided.
- a. brave
- f. sad

b. bold

- g. quick

c. calm

- h. proud

d. eager

- i. soft

- e. quiet
- j. sudden



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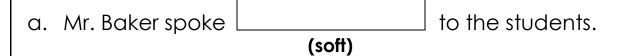
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VOCABULARY

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2. Fill in the blanks by adding the suffix '-ly' to the words in brackets.



b. Mrs. Peters turned around and left the room.

c. Henry ran _____ to the bathroom. (quick)

d. We waited _____ for our teacher to arrive. (eager)

e. Jane walked ______ to the stage to get her medal. (proud)

f. David _____ approached Goliath.

(brave)

g. A mouse _____ appeared under the table. (sudden)



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ANSWER KEY



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a. brave

bravely

f. sad

sadly

b. bold

boldly

g. quick

quickly

c. calm

calmly

h. proud

proudly

d. eager

eagerly

i. soft

softly

e. quiet

quietly

j. sudden

suddenly



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ANSWER KEY

2. Fill in the blanks by adding the suffix '-ly' to the words in brackets.



- b. Mrs. Peters calmly turned around and left the room. (calm)
- c. Henry ran quickly to the bathroom. (quick)
- d. We waited eagerly for our teacher to arrive. (eager)
- e. Jane walked **proudly** to the stage to get her medal. **(proud)**
- f. David bravely approached Goliath.

 (brave)
- g. A mouse suddenly appeared under the table. (sudden)



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