



I USING FRONTED ADVERBIALS

Objective:

- > Use fronted adverbials in your writing.
- > Use fronted adverbials to add excitement to your sentences.

A fronted adverbial is a word or phrase that can be used like an adverb to add detail or further information to a verb. They explain how, where or when something happened, for example:

***Suddenly**, Angus Gunn sprung into the air and grasped the ball.*
***In the blink of an eye**, the referee had pointed to the penalty spot.*
***Upstairs**, I could hear the roar of thousands of Southampton FC fans.*

I TASK 1

Using the fronted adverbials sheet, write 3 sentences with different starters:

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I TASK 2

Can you write 3 more sentences using 3 new fronted adverbials, based on events that may happen during a football match?

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› Fronted Adverbials are words or phrases at the beginning of a sentence which are used to describe the action that follows.

TIME	FREQUENCY	PLACE	MANNER	DEGREE
Afterwards,	Often,	Outside,	Happily,	Almost unbelievably,
Immediately,	Daily,	Upstairs,	Sadly,	Much admired,
Last month,	Weekly,	In the distance,	Awkwardly,	Perhaps,
Yesterday,	Fortnightly,	Nearby,	Bravely,	Completely exhausted,
Today,	Yearly,	Far away,	As quick as a flash,	Perfectly confident,
Tomorrow,	Sometimes,	Behind the goal,	As fast as he could,	Out of breath,
Next year,	Rarely,	In the stands,	Without a sound,	Somewhat flustered,
On Tuesday,	Every second,	Wherever they went,	Unexpectedly,	Totally overwhelmed,
After a while,	Once,	To the left,	Unfortunately,	Nearly asleep,
As soon as she could,	Constantly,	To the right,	Suddenly,	Obviously angry,
Before long,	Regularly,	By the shop,	Mysteriously,	Perhaps,
All of a sudden,	Rarely,	Between the seats and pitch,	Frantically,	Maybe,
In the blink of an eye,	Never before,	Back at home,	Silently,	Quite understandably,
Just then,	Occasionally,	Outside,	Nervously,	Just arrived,
Eventually,	Frequently,	Below the stands,	Carefully,	Decidedly unimpressed,