

## Varied Fluency – Fronted Adverbials

5a. Circle the sentence which has a fronted adverbial.

Suzie went to the beach after the park.

Afterwards, Suzie went to the park.

They sang during the interval.



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5b. Circle the sentence which has a fronted adverbial.

We should sit next to the window.

Near the window is the best seat.

Nearby, there is a seat with a view.



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6a. Insert a comma after the fronted adverbial in the sentence below:

On a Monday the children go dancing.



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6b. Insert a comma after the fronted adverbial in the sentence below:

Before long the lost dog returned.



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7a. Choose a fronted adverbial that will best fit each of the sentences below.

\_\_\_\_\_, I walked across the plank of wood.

\_\_\_\_\_, they got an ice cream.

During the break

Cautiously



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7b. Choose a fronted adverbial that will best fit each of the sentences below

\_\_\_\_\_, the children visit their grandparents.

\_\_\_\_\_, they could still see the kite.

Weekly

In the distance



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8a. Choose a main clause that will best match the fronted adverbials below.

Immediately, \_\_\_\_\_.

Before the break, \_\_\_\_\_.

they all washed their hands.

he stopped.



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8b. Choose a main clause that will best match the fronted adverbials below.

To relax, \_\_\_\_\_.

Cautiously, \_\_\_\_\_.

he walked over the ice.

the children watched some TV.



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## Developing

- 1a. Finally, we all went to the cinema.
- 1b. Firstly, we should go to the park.
- 2a. Eventually, we all made it to the party.
- 2b. Sadly, she lost her dog at the beach.
- 3a. Happily, he danced to the beat.
- 3b. Eventually, she got to the front of the line.
- 4a. Suddenly, they heard a loud bang.
- 4b. Quickly, they sprinted to the top of the hill.

## Expected

- 5a. Afterwards, Suzie went to the park.
- 5b. Nearby, there is a seat with a view.
- 6a. On a Monday, the children go dancing.
- 6b. Before long, the lost dog returned.
- 7a. Cautiously, I walked across the plank of wood. During the break, they got an ice cream.
- 7b. Weekly, the children visit their grandparents. In the distance, they could still see the kite.
- 8a. Immediately, he stopped. Before the break, they all washed their hands.
- 8b. To relax, the children watched some TV. Cautiously, he walked over the ice.

## Greater Depth

- 9a. Shortly after, they went home. Before long, they were on their way.
- 9b. On the top of the hill, Suzie was waving. Carefully, she placed the vase down.
- 10a. Tomorrow, we are going on holiday. Once or twice, she was told to stop.
- 10b. Later, they went to the supermarket. To make it worse, she had forgotten her purse.
- 11a. Any fronted adverbial that will fit the sentence. Possible answer: All of a sudden, the bell started ringing in the hall. Suddenly, the bell stopped.
- 11b. Any fronted adverbial that will fit the sentence. Possible answer: At the weekend, we are going camping. Reluctantly, the teacher returned to the class.
- 12a. Any main clause that will fit the sentence. Possible answer: Although she knew how to swim, she hated the sea. When it came to swimming, she preferred the sea.
- 12b. Any main clause that will fit the sentence. Possible answer: Even though he was tired, he still won the race. During the race, he ran as fast as he could.