Adjectives

Adjectives are words that tell you more about a noun, e.g. Grammagators are <u>gigantic</u>.

1. Circle the adjective in each of the sentences below.

   a. This ice cream is delicious.

   b. A bitter wind gripped the town.

   c. Surprisingly, Ian found a rare fossil.

   d. The swings in the park are broken.

   e. The heavy bags suddenly burst open.

   f. My sister can be annoying sometimes.

   g. Dad bravely rode the largest horse.

   h. Emma needed a strong coffee.

2. Choose an adjective to describe each noun below.

alligator	⇨	....
trousers	⇨	....
attic	⇨	....
village	⇨	....
juice	⇨	....

picture	⇨	....
factory	⇨	....
snail	⇨	....
puppet	⇨	....
forest	⇨	....

3. Underline the adjectives in each sentence.
   Then choose another suitable adjective to replace each one.

   My cat, Mr Tibbles, is <u>lively</u> and <u>friendly</u>. ....*slow*............ ....*lazy*............

   The loud bangs amazed the large crowd. ....

   William is rude and untidy at home. ....

   Claire wanted to read the old, scary book. ....

   The toddlers were tired and grumpy. ....

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4. Circle all the adjectives in the box below.

   straight   helpful   immense   skinny   tiny   always   lively   never   joyful   business   dry   hardly

5. Complete the table of adjectives below.

Adjective		Comparative		Superlative
fast	⇨	faster	⇨	fastest
quiet	⇨	....	⇨	....
....	⇨	angrier	⇨	....
gentle	⇨	....	⇨	....

6. Rewrite these sentences, replacing the underlined adjectives with more interesting ones.

   The hotel had a <u>good</u> pool and a <u>good</u> restaurant with <u>good</u> staff.

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   Emily is <u>kind</u> and Ivan is <u>kind</u>, but Philip is not very <u>kind</u>.

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How would you describe your adjective skills, young Grammagator? Are you wonderful, or working on it?