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5a. Circle the fronted adverbial that tells us when something happened.

Sometimes, Sophie's older sister takes her to the park and plays on the swings with her. Afterwards, they usually feed the ducks or get a hot chocolate from the shop.



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5b. Circle the fronted adverbial that tells us when something happened.

Just then, the door to the cellar slowly creaked open, a stale stench wafting through the gap, followed by a noise so chilling, it made my hair stand on end.



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6a. Underline the fronted adverbial that describes how often something takes place.

Twice a week, we take the bus into town to visit the library. I love reading books and can spend hours searching for the perfect one.



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6b. Underline the fronted adverbial that describes how often something takes place.

Tomorrow, I have drama after lunch and it's with my favourite teacher. Sometimes, I eat my lunch so quickly that I feel sick all afternoon.



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7a. Choose the fronted adverbial that tells us when the main clause takes place in the sentence below.

\_\_\_\_\_, we are going to fly to Australia to visit my Auntie Sue and stay in her house with the swimming pool.

Immediately

Last Month

Next year



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7b. Choose the fronted adverbial that tells us when the main clause takes place in the sentence below.

\_\_\_\_\_, the children went home and ate hot crumpets by the fire smothered in delicious butter.

Tomorrow

After

Now



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8a. Choose the fronted adverbial that tells us how often the main clause takes place in the sentence below.

\_\_\_\_\_, I go to the local hairdressers to have my hair cut and styled.

Twice a year

Once

Today



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8b. Choose the fronted adverbial that tells us how often the main clause takes place in the sentence below.

\_\_\_\_\_, mum will let us stay up late to watch a funny movie but she always picks which one.

Occasionally

Once

Yearly



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**Varied Fluency**  
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**Developing**

- 1a. **Tomorrow**
- 2a. **Usually**
- 3a. **Yesterday**
- 4a. **Always**

**Expected**

- 5a. **Afterwards**
- 6a. **Twice a week**
- 7a. **Next year**
- 8a. **Twice a year**

**Greater Depth**

- 9a. **Before long**
- 10a. **Never in my life**
- 11a. **In the blink of an eye**
- 12a. **Seldom**

**Varied Fluency**  
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**Developing**

- 1b. **Today**
- 2b. **Sometimes**
- 3b. **Now**
- 4b. **Never**

**Expected**

- 5b. **Just then**
- 6b. **Sometimes**
- 7b. **After**
- 8b. **Occasionally**

**Greater Depth**

- 9b. **As the sun set**
- 10b. **Rarely**
- 11b. **Already or After a while**
- 12b. **From time to time or Occasionally**