

UNIT 5 USING THE RIGHT MODIFIER**TEST B**

Copy the right word in each sentence. [2 points each]

- 1 Shirley takes her music quite (*serious, seriously*). 1 _____
- 2 We felt very (*safe, safely*) in the huge jet. 2 _____
- 3 Some plants should not be watered too (*frequent, frequently*). 3 _____
- 4 Our tent was now leaking (*bad, badly*). 4 _____
- 5 The man wouldn't take (*anything, nothing*) for his help. 5 _____
- 6 Marion solved the problem very (*intelligent, intelligently*). 6 _____
- 7 They are living in a trailer only (*temporarily, temporary*). 7 _____
- 8 Did you clean the car (*good, well*) before waxing it? 8 _____
- 9 We shook the tree rather (*vigorous, vigorously*). 9 _____
- 10 You look (*different, differently*) in this snapshot. 10 _____
- 11 Jerry looked up (*sad, sadly*) at his kite caught in the tree. 11 _____
- 12 Their plan sounds very (*doubtful, doubtfully*) to me. 12 _____
- 13 New-mown hay smells very (*fragrant, fragrantly*). 13 _____
- 14 The wind came up too (*sudden, suddenly*) for us to protect ourselves. 14 _____
- 15 Can you study (*well, good*) in a noisy room? 15 _____
- 16 We couldn't find our dog (*nowhere, anywhere*). 16 _____
- 17 Stale coffee tastes (*bitterly, bitter*). 17 _____
- 18 This package makes bread keep (*longer, more longer*). 18 _____
- 19 This is the (*most funniest, funniest*) story I have ever read. 19 _____
- 20 This lamp would look (*nice, nicely*) next to the piano. 20 _____
- 21 The pieces of the puzzle fit together very (*cleverly, clever*). 21 _____
- 22 You (*can't, can*) hardly taste the vanilla in this cake. 22 _____

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| 23 | He writes very (<i>carelessly, careless</i>). | 23 _____ |
| 24 | I have never seen a (<i>more prettier, prettier</i>) dress. | 24 _____ |
| 25 | Which is (<i>harder, hardest</i>)—Spanish or French? | 25 _____ |
| 26 | Which is (<i>strongest, stronger</i>)—rayon, nylon, or cotton? | 26 _____ |
| 27 | The fog was so thick that we (<i>couldn't, could</i>) scarcely see the road. | 27 _____ |
| 28 | Lea does the (<i>most difficult, difficultest</i>) problems as quickly as most of us do the easy ones. | 28 _____ |
| 29 | Herb is the (<i>oldest, older</i>) of the two boys. | 29 _____ |
| 30 | It was the (<i>most hottest, hottest</i>) day in the entire summer. | 30 _____ |
| 31 | Didn't you feel (<i>nervously, nervous</i>) at all? | 31 _____ |
| 32 | One of the headlights seems (<i>brighter, more brighter</i>) than the other. | 32 _____ |
| 33 | I have never experienced a (<i>terribler, more terrible</i>) storm. | 33 _____ |
| 34 | Does red, blue, or green look (<i>best, better</i>)? | 34 _____ |
| 35 | Which is (<i>more, most</i>) exciting to watch—football, baseball, or hockey? | 35 _____ |

Write the letter of the correct sentence in each pair. [3 points each]

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| 36 | a. We are looking for a <i>more modern</i> house.
b. We are looking for a <i>more larger</i> house. | 36 _____ |
| 37 | a. The customer complained quite <i>angry</i> about his bill.
b. The customer's voice sounded quite <i>angry</i> . | 37 _____ |
| 38 | a. Ms. Brady discussed our test score very <i>pleasant</i> .
b. A bakery smells very <i>pleasant</i> . | 38 _____ |
| 39 | a. We <i>hardly</i> had time to eat our lunch.
b. There aren't <i>hardly</i> any leaves on the trees yet. | 39 _____ |
| 40 | a. Our car doesn't handle <i>good</i> on rough roads.
b. Our old car doesn't look <i>good</i> any longer. | 40 _____ |
| 41 | a. This problem was the <i>most hardest</i> in the lesson.
b. This problem was the <i>most difficult</i> in the lesson. | 41 _____ |
| 42 | a. I have never known a <i>brighter</i> child.
b. I have never known a <i>mischievouser</i> child. | 42 _____ |
| 43 | a. The man felt quite <i>nervously</i> about the money in his pocket.
b. The man kept feeling his pocket <i>nervously</i> . | 43 _____ |
| 44 | a. He <i>never</i> discussed the matter with <i>anybody</i> .
b. He <i>never</i> discussed the matter with <i>nobody</i> . | 44 _____ |
| 45 | a. Which animal is <i>easiest</i> to train—a dog, a horse, or an elephant?
b. Which is the <i>fastest</i> game—tennis or badminton? | 45 _____ |