

Name _____



Modifier Placement Quest

Directions: Each sentence below is missing a modifier. A modifier is provided in parentheses. Rewrite the sentence, placing the modifier in the **correct spot** so that the meaning is clear and logical. Be careful: putting the modifier in the wrong spot can create a **misplaced or dangling modifier!**

1. The cat chased the mouse. (with sharp claws)

2. She served the children sandwiches. (on paper plates)

3. The boy read the book. (before going to bed)

4. I found my homework. (under the couch)

5. The teacher explained the lesson. (patiently)

6. Maria painted the picture. (in bright colors)

7. The tourists took photos. (at the ancient temple)

8. We heard a loud noise. (while walking down the street)

9. Jason completed his project. (after midnight)

10. The baby drank the milk. (quickly)
