

Try one's best

## Try your BEST!!

*This is when you do something using your maximum effort*

The pattern for this sheet is: to **VERB** one's **SUPERLATIVE ADJ.**

\*\*Superlatives are **best**, **biggest** and **most expensive**, etc.

Bill **tried** his **best** to hit a home run. (**good**)

*(Bill tried as hard as he could to hit a home run)*

*Fill in the blank spaces with the **superlative adjective**:*

1. I tried my \_\_\_\_\_ to eat all the food, but there was too much! (**hard**)
2. Amy studied her \_\_\_\_\_ to pass the test. (**hard**)
3. The test was hard, but Jenny did her \_\_\_\_\_. \*(**good**)
4. I ran my \_\_\_\_\_, but couldn't win the race. (**fast**)
5. Mark tried his \_\_\_\_\_ to win the math contest. \*(**good**)
6. The police drove their \_\_\_\_\_ to catch the bad driver. (**fast**)
7. The magician saved his \_\_\_\_\_ magic trick for last. \*(**good**)
8. John fought his \_\_\_\_\_ to win his boxing match. (**hard**)
9. Mark jumped his \_\_\_\_\_ to slam dunk the basketball. (**high**)
10. I always try my \_\_\_\_\_ to be a good student. \*(**good**)

When we use words like: **really**, **very**, etc., usually a regular adjective is next:

Amy studied **really** hard for the test. (**hard**)

I did a **very** good job in my 100m race. (**good**)

I did **very** well in my 100m race. (**good**)

(verb)

\*\* good → → → **well** (when used with a verb!)

*Fill in the blanks with the **superlative adjective** or the **regular adjective**:*

1. We practiced very \_\_\_\_\_, but we still lost the game. (**hard**)
2. I worked my \_\_\_\_\_ to try and finish my homework early. (**fast**)
3. Peter tried really \_\_\_\_\_ to find his book, but he couldn't. (**hard**)
4. Peter tried his \_\_\_\_\_ to find his keys, but he couldn't. (**hard**)
5. Lisa did very \_\_\_\_\_ in her piano recital. (**good**)
6. If you do your \_\_\_\_\_ to study really \_\_\_\_\_, you should get a good score on your test! (**good/hard**)