

Practise and consolidate your learning about attitude markers by completing our activities. Remember you can refer to the study notes if you need help.

ACTIVITY 1

Choose the most appropriate attitude marker from the box below to complete the following sentences.

fundamentally	apparently	rightly	amazingly	supposedly
obviously	actually	surely	financially	to be perfectly frank

Question 1:

_____, your appointment, John, was Thursday of last week, not Friday.

Question 2:

With those thick black storm clouds on the horizon, it is, _____, going to rain this afternoon.

Question 3:

Remember I told you our test was on the 26th. Well, I saw Prof. Smith yesterday and, _____, it's on the 27th.

Question 4:

The teacher, _____, reprimanded the student for bullying Tommy in the playground. That's what I would have done too.

Question 5:

_____, the couple weren't in a position to buy the townhouse.

Question 6:

The scaffolding, _____, didn't collapse under the weight of the lorry.

Question 7:

_____, I think Chris is a bad role model for the kids.

Question 8:

_____, the compounds used in both medications are the same.

Question 9:

_____, there is going to be a protest march in the city on Sunday.

Question 10:

Paul has been going out every night till midnight. _____, he is going to get ill.

ACTIVITY 2

The following sentences form a paragraph. Complete the paragraph by choosing the correct form from the box below.

that	so	such...that	so	that
so	such	so	that	so...that

The weather report stated (1) _____ it was going to be a cold day, (2) _____ I wore my overcoat to work. However, it was (3) _____ cold _____ I really needed my gloves as well. (4) _____ was a mistake I won't make again! It was (5) _____ a bitterly cold day _____ a heavy frost covered the ground and puddles had frozen. I was frozen by the time I got to the office, (6) _____ I ran hot water over my hands to warm them up. I was shivering I was (7) _____ cold! (8) _____ weather doesn't happen often in Sydney. I will never forget (9) _____ day again! The weather bureau, however, is predicting another day like today, (10) _____ I'd better prepare myself.

ANSWERS ACTIVITY 1

Choose the most appropriate attitude marker from the box below to complete the following sentences.

fundamentally	apparently	rightly	amazingly	supposedly
obviously	actually	surely	financially	to be perfectly frank

Question 1:

Actually, your appointment, John, was Thursday of last week, not Friday.

Question 2:

With those thick black storm clouds on the horizon, it is, surely, going to rain this afternoon.

Question 3:

Remember I told you our test was on the 26th. Well, I saw Prof. Smith yesterday and, apparently, it's on the 27th.

Question 4:

The teacher, rightly, reprimanded the student for bullying Tommy in the playground. That's what I would have done too.

Question 5:

Financially, the couple weren't in a position to buy the townhouse.

Question 6:

The scaffolding, amazingly, didn't collapse under the weight of the lorry.

Question 7:

To be perfectly frank, I think Chris is a bad role model for the kids.

Question 8:

Fundamentally, the compounds used in both medications are the same.

Question 9:

Supposedly, there is going to be a protest march in the city on Sunday.

Question 10:

Paul has been going out every night till midnight. Obviously, he is going to get ill.

ANSWERS ACTIVITY 2

The following sentences form a paragraph. Complete the paragraph by choosing the correct form from the box below.

that	so	such...that	so	that
so	such	so	that	so...that

The weather report stated (1) **that** it was going to be a cold day, (2) **so** I wore my overcoat to work. However, it was (3) **so** cold **that** I really needed my gloves as well. (4) **That** was a mistake I won't make again! It was (5) **such** a bitterly cold day **that** a heavy frost covered the ground and puddles had frozen. I was frozen by the time I got to the office, (6) **so** I ran hot water over my hands to warm them up. I was shivering I was (7) **so** cold! (8) **Such** weather doesn't happen often in Sydney. I will never forget (9) **that** day again! The weather bureau, however, is predicting another day like today, (10) **so** I'd better prepare myself.