

# Adverbs

## OF SEQUENCE

## OF TIME



Adverbs of time tell us when an action happened, but also for how long, and how often.

### Examples:

Before the invention of the wheel, humans were limited in how much stuff we could transport.

Now, wheels are vital to our way of life, they are in everything from clocks to vehicles to turbines.

The first compass was invented in China early in the Han dynasty.



Sequence adverbs: "first", "next", "then" and "finally". We often use these words when we talk about the past, give instructions or to describe the order of actions.

### Example:

To create the modern electronics that we use nowadays, first the integrated circuit was invented in 1958, then it got the name of "microchip".

