

protectively

 (*pro-tec-tive-ly*)

Definition

adv. in a protective manner

Example Sentence

The toddler held her teddy bear **protectively**.

Synonyms

guardedly; cautiously; carefully

Antonyms

carelessly

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