

Worksheet No. (7)

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Comparative and superlative adjectives

Adjectives have three forms:

- 1 **Positive** \rightarrow basic form (He is tall)
- 2 **Comparative** → compares **two** people or things (Tom is taller than John)
- 3 **Superlative** \rightarrow compares three or more people or things (Tom is the tallest in the class.)

Example:

• $tall \rightarrow taller \rightarrow the tallest$

Type of Adjective	Rule for Comparative	Example (Comparative)	Rule for Superlative	Example (Superlative)
1 syllable adjectives Add –er		tall $ ightarrow$ taller	Add –est	tall $ ightarrow$ the tallest
Ends in –e	Add –r	nice → nicer	Add –st	nice $ ightarrow$ the nicest
CVC pattern (consonant– vowel– consonant)	Double last letter + –er	big $ ightarrow$ bigger	Double last letter + –est	big $ ightarrow$ the biggest
Two syllables ending in –y	Change y → i + – er	happy → happier		happy → the happiest
Two or more syllables	more + adjective			beautiful → the most beautiful
Irregular adjectives	· ·	good → better bad → worse	Change the word completely	good \rightarrow the best bad \rightarrow the worst

Exercise 1: Fill in the blanks with the correct comparative form of the adjectives.						
1-My house is	(big) than yours.					
2-This book is	(interesting) than the one I read last week.					
3-His car is	(fast) than mine.					
4-She is	(happy) today than she was yesterday.					
5-This test is	(difficult) than the last one.					
6-I think learning English is _	(easy) than learning French.					
7-That mountain is	(high) than this one.					
8-She looks	(tired) than before.					
9-This street is	(wide) than the one we live on.					
10-Cats are	(quiet) than dogs.					
3. She is the4. This is the5. Mount Everest is the6. That was the7. This is the	(good) meal I've ever had (intelligent) student in the group (bad) movie I've ever seen (high) mountain in the world (funny) joke I've heard all day (expensive) dress in the store (beautiful) voice in the choir.					
 This bag is Who is the My coffee is That was the 	rm (comparative or superlative) for each adjective. (heavy) than that one. (fast) runner in the race? (hot) than yours. (exciting) game of the season. (young) than I am.					
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	his is the						
7. I	find summer		(enjoyable) than winter.				
Exercise 4: Correct the mistakes in the following sentences.							
1-Sh	e is more taller than me.						
2-Th	is is the goodest cake I have e	ver eaten.					
3-M ₂	y car is most fast than yours.						
4-He	is the taller boy in the class.						
 5-Th	is test is easier as the last one		_				
6-He	r dress is the most beautifule	than mine.	_				
Exercise	5: Fill in the correct form: (big	g, good, fat, easy	<u>, beautiful, hot)</u>				
1. T	his problem is	than th	ne last one.				
	ordan is						
	his is the		ed.				
4. A	rabic is	than Japanese.					
	ugust is usually the		ith of the year.				

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