

# Comparatives of superiority

When we want to *compare* two or more things we use the superlative or comparative.

## Superlative

*Form:*

Short adjectives: the + adjective + -est

Long adjectives: the most + adjective

Let's see some examples!

- Mark is the prettiest boy in the class.
- Maria is the youngest sister.

## Comparative

*Form:*

Short adjectives: adjective + -er + than

Long adjectives: more + adjective + than

Let's see some examples!

- Isabella is older than Mark.
- The sun is bigger than the Moon.

But there are cases where exceptions occur!

Irregular adjectives		
Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
Good	Better	The best
Bad	worse	The worst
Far	Farther/further	The farthest/ furthest

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*Superlative:*

- I am the best in Spanish class.

*Comparative:*

- Juan is better student than Sofia.

## Let's practice!

Complete with the correct form.

Words: fattest, best, smaller, taller, bigger, faster



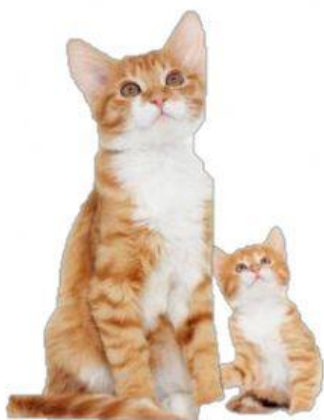
Karen's house is more \_\_\_\_\_  
than Sofia's house.



Lisa is the \_\_\_\_\_ student in the  
math class.



Emma is the \_\_\_\_\_ swimmer.



The baby cat is more \_\_\_\_\_  
than its mother.



My dog is the \_\_\_\_\_ in the  
house.



Lucas

Juan

Lucas is \_\_\_\_\_ than Juan.