

COMPARATIVE ADJECTIVES

Read the notes. Ask your teacher if you don't understand.



How to form comparative adjectives?

One syllable	-ER Example: faster, taller
One syllable Ending in -E	-R Example: nicer, stranger
One syllable Consonant + Short Vowel + Consonant	Double the consonant and add -ER Example: bigger, hotter
Two syllable Ending in -Y	Remove the -Y and add - IER Example: happier, crazier
Two or More Syllables	More+ Example: more beautiful, more handsome
Common exceptions	Good – better Bad – worse

Change the adjectives in bracket into comparative form.

1. The elephant is (heavy) _____ than the monkey.
2. Camel is (big) _____ than the tortoise.
3. The tiger is (fierce) _____ than the polar bear.
4. The rhino is (fast) _____ than the snail.
5. Panda is (popular) _____ than the hippo.
6. Horse runs (good) _____ than the gorilla.