

Level A2.2
Unit 2
As...as / not as...as
superlatives

Exercise 1: Say the superlative form of the adjectives above. Remember superlatives always include "the".

<i>dull</i>	<i>bad</i>	<i>awful</i>	<i>interesting</i>
<i>weird</i>	<i>hot</i>	<i>good</i>	<i>happy</i>
<i>awesome</i>	<i>boring</i>	<i>fat</i>	<i>short</i>

Exercise 2: Join the phrases to the verb or verb phrase.

join	go to	go to see	learn about	take

a cooking class	the theater	a photography exhibition	history	a chess team
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Exercise B: Complete the conversation with the phrases above

- Amy:** I have much free time. I would like to start a new activity, something exciting.
- John:** Well, there are many things you can do. Do you like reading? You could join a book club.
- Amy:** I like reading, but that's not the kind of activity I mean.
- John:** You like chess and you are good. You should _____. At the library there is a very good one.
- Amy:** No way! I mean something exciting where I can meet people who are different to me. Maybe I can _____. I'm good at cooking, but I'd like to improve.
- John:** Yes, but you will need to drive every day, so you should start by taking a driving lesson and buy a car.
- Amy:** You're right. I guess it would be better to read at home about the holocaust, the French Revolution, and other historical events. I am going to _____.

- John:** That's a better idea. We could also _____ a photography exhibition about the World War II. At the art gallery there is one available, and it is for free. There are very impacting photos. We should go.
- Amy:** Yes, that could definitely help me improve my knowledge on history, but by now I'd like to _____. There's an excellent play tonight "Romero and Juliet". That's my favorite.
- John:** OK, let's do it!

Exercise C: Use the adjective in the chart to complete the sentences with superlatives. Take each sentence's whole context into account to find the correct adjective.

cold	big	populated	dry
perfect	high	fast	beautiful
great	intelligent	long	rich

- China is _____ country in the world. Its population is equivalent to 18.47% of the total world population.
- Mount Everest is _____ Mountain in the world.
- Marilyn Monroe is considered to be one of _____ women in The U.S.A.
- East Antarctic Plateau is _____ place on earth. It reaches minus 148 degrees Fahrenheit (minus 100 degrees Celsius).
- The Atacama Desert is _____ nonpolar desert in the world. It is located in South America.
- The Great Wall of China is one of _____ sights in the world and _____ in the world. Its length measures 21,196.18 km.
- The Taj Mahal is considered _____ specimen of Muslim art in India.
- Albert Einstein's IQ is estimated to be 160. He is considered to be one of _____ people in the world.
- Bill Gates is in the second place of the _____ people in the world. His net worth is \$113 billion US dollars.
- The cheetah is _____ land mammal. It can go from 0 to 60 miles an hour in only three seconds according to National Geographic.
- The Blue Whale is _____ animal of all time, reaching a weight of about 198 US tons.

Exercise D: Complete the comparative sentences using *as...as/not as...as* and the verb *to be*.

1. In my opinion, pop music _____ (amazing) jazz. Jazz is better.
2. I think TV series _____ (good) movies. I like them both the same.
3. Latin writers _____ (wonderful) any other type of writers.
4. Abstract painting can be _____ (weird) modern sculpture. It depends on people's perspective.
5. Action movies _____ (dull) horror movies. I can't stand horror movies.
6. I think poems _____ (amazing) novels. I love literature in general.

Everything at once

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Activity: Write all the adjectives you listen to

As _____ as a fox, as _____ as an ox

As _____ as a hare, as _____ as a bear

As _____ as a bird, as _____ as a word

As _____ as a mouse, as _____ as a house

All I wanna be, all I wanna be, oh

All I wanna be is everything

As _____ as a wolf, as _____ as a tooth

As _____ as a bite, as _____ as the night

As _____ as a song, as _____ as a wrong

As _____ as a road, as _____ as a toad

As _____ as a picture hanging from a fixture

Strong like a family, strong as I wanna be

_____ as day, as _____ as play

As _____ as nails, as _____ as a whale

All I wanna be, all I wanna be, oh

All I wanna be is everything

As _____ as the, the sun, as _____ as fun

As _____ as a tree, as _____ as the sea

As _____ as fire, _____ as ice

Sweet as sugar and everything nice

As _____ as time, as _____ as a line

As _____ as a queen, as _____ as a bee

Stealth as a tiger, _____ as a glider

_____ as a melody, pure as I wanna be

All I wanna be, all I wanna be, oh

All I wanna be is everything at once

• big	• hard	• royal
• brave	• hot	• scary
• bright	• light	• sharp
• buzzed	• long	• silly
• cold	• mean	• sly
• cool	• neat	• smooth
• dark	• old	• straight
• deep	• pretty	• strong
• fast	• pure	• sweet
• free	• quiet	• ugly
• grand	• right	• warm