



English Worksheet

Learning Objectives:

Students are able to use and apply **COMPARATIVE ADJECTIVES** to compare two things identifying short and long adjectives; describe and compare places.

GRAMMAR: Comparative Adjectives

Adjectives with **one syllable**: add '-er' or '-r'

- cold – colder
- nice – nicer

"In Canada, winter is **colder than** summer."

Adjectives with **two or more syllables**: add 'more'

- honest – more honest
- expensive – more expensive

"Milk is **more expensive than** water."

Adjectives with **two syllables** – that **end in 'y'**: change 'y' to 'i' and add '-er'

- early – earlier
- happy – happier

"I arrived at school **earlier than** my classmates."

Adjectives that end with a **vowel** and a **consonant**, double the final letter.

- big – bigger
- hot – hotter

"Brazil is **bigger than** Singapore."

Note: Be careful to spell "than" correctly. Don't misspell "than" (correct) and write "then" (incorrect).

I. Complete the following table.

Adjective	comparative	meaning
Cheap	cheaper	barato
Interesting		
Warm		
Sunny		
Boring		
	More ancient	

II. Write comparisons . Using the prompts.



1.

The Everest / high/ "Ojos del Salado" volcano.



2.

summer/ hot/ winter./



III. Fill in the blanks using the correct comparative adjective.

1. The Atacama desert is  _____ than the Sahara. (dry) 


2. Northern Russia is  _____ than Alaska. (cold) 

3. Athens is  _____ than Rome. (old) 

4. The Nile is  _____ than the Choapa river. (long) 

5. The countryside is  _____ than the city. (peaceful)

6. This gallery is  _____ than the other one. (modern)

7. Asia is  _____ than America. (big)

8. New York is  _____ than Santiago. (crowded)

9. The Villarrica lake is  _____ than any other lake. (beautiful)

10. The platypus is  _____ than the koala. (dangerous) 