

Comparatives and superlatives mini-test 1 (30 points) Name: _____

1. Choose the correct answers (10 points)

- Many tourists think New York is livelier than / the liveliest city in the USA.
- Summer is hotter than / the hottest winter.
- Winter is less suitable than / the least suitable time to visit Norway because it's too cold.
- The summer is more popular than / the most popular time to visit Iceland.
- Streams are smaller than / the smallest rivers.
- A beach holiday is more peaceful than / the most peaceful and adventure holiday.
- The Great Barrier Reef is bigger than / the biggest coral reef in the world.
- Horse riding is less dangerous than / the least dangerous diving.
- The monsoon season is worse than / the worst time to visit India.
- The Moon Hotel is great! It's better than / the best the Park Hotel.

2. Look at the hotels. Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives below. Make affirmative or negative comparisons. (5 points)



clean • elegant • relaxing • large • peaceful

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3 Use the superlative form to write sentences. One sentence is a negative comparison. (5 points)

- Vatican City / is / small / country / in the world
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- mineral water / is / tasty / drink / on the menu
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- Death Road in Bolivia / is / dangerous / road / in the world
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- Mout Teide / is / high / mountain / in Spain
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- football / is / popular / sport / in the world
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4. Complete the text. Use one word in each space (10 points)

Shanghai is one of the _____ exciting cities in the world. It's true that it is _____ popular than London or Paris and it isn't _____ old as London or Paris, but it's fantastic! One of _____ most famous buildings in the city is the Shanghai World Financial Centre. It is 492 metres tall and it used to be the _____ building in China. Tourists can walk across the glass skywalk on the 100th floor. Don't worry! It's less frightening _____ it sounds. There's also Nanjing Road, Shanghai's _____ famous shopping street, where the prices at many of the elegant shops there are very high. Spring and autumn are _____ best seasons to visit Shanghai. The _____ important thing to remember is there's a lot to do in Shanghai. A day isn't long _____ to see the whole city!