

A Complete the chart below with the comparative form of the adjectives in the box.

✓ bad	cheap	easy	hard	noisy	quick
big	convenient	expensive	important	old	slow
boring	cool	fun	interesting	personal	small
busy	difficult	good	new	popular	useful

Complete the comments with the comparative form of the adjectives. Add *than* where necessary. Some adjectives need *less*.



1. My boss works on the bus. He says it's quieter than (quiet) the office. He thinks there's nothing worse than (bad) other people's cell phone conversations on the bus.

2. My friend doesn't like e-cards. She says they're less personal (personal) real cards. Actually, I think they're more fun (fun) because you can add music and stuff.

A Choose the correct word to complete each phone expression.

1. call me <u>c</u>	a. number	b. off	c. back
2. have another <u> </u>	a. call	b. number	c. mistake
3. leave a <u> </u>	a. back	b. message	c. call
4. have the wrong <u> </u>	a. number	b. mistake	c. another
5. hold <u> </u>	a. on	b. in	c. call
6. get cut <u> </u>	a. back	b. on	c. off
7. break <u> </u>	a. back	b. up	c. on

B Use the phone expressions above to complete the sentences. Use the correct form of the verbs.

- One of my friends called me at work, but I was in an important meeting and couldn't talk. I asked him to call me back later.
- I'm trying to call my sister, but I can't hear her. She's in the mountains, and the call keeps .
- I need to talk to my grandmother, but she's not home. I want her to return my call, so I should probably .
- My brother tried to call his office, but he accidentally called someone he didn't know. He .



- I have problems with my cell phone. Every time I walk into my bedroom, I hear a click and then I .
- I called my brother, but his wife said he was upstairs watching TV. She asked me to while she called him to the phone.
- My mom works at home, and she gets a lot of phone calls. Every time I call her, I have to hold on because she .