

Grammar



Comparatives and superlatives

affirmative	comparative	superlative
small	smaller	the smallest
big	bigger	the biggest
friendly	friendlier	the friendliest
interesting	more interesting	the most interesting
good	better	the best
bad	worse	the worst

3 Write sentences using the comparative form of the adjectives in brackets.

the Mediterranean / the Atlantic (cold)

The Atlantic is colder than the Mediterranean.

- 1 Spain / Scotland (hot)
- 2 cities / villages (busy)
- 3 swimming / running (enjoyable)
- 4 winter / summer (bad)
- 5 Iceland / Egypt (cold)
- 6 the Mississippi / the Thames (long)

5 Order the words to make superlative sentences.

wettest / is / England / place / the / in / The Lake District .

The Lake District is the wettest place in England.

- 1 city / the / Tokyo / world / biggest / the / in / is .
- 2 in / popular / most / is / Sydney / the / beach / Bondi Beach .
- 3 the / the Maldives / country / flattest / the / is / world / in .
- 4 in / lake / famous / most / the / Loch Ness / Scotland / is .
- 5 country / the / smallest / world / is / Vatican City / in / the .

6 Complete the questions with the superlative form of the adjectives in brackets. Then answer the questions about your country.

WHAT IS ...

- (1) ... (high) mountain?
- (2) ... (long) river?
- (3) ... (big) lake?
- (4) ... (beautiful) beach?
- (5) ... (near) island?
- (6) ... (expensive) city?