Grammar

1 Look at the picture below. Complete the sentences with the name of a planet in the picture.

1 *Mercury* is the closest planet to the Sun.
2 Saturn is a big planet, but _____ is the biggest.
3 Venus is a hot planet, but _____ is the hottest.
4 The journey from Earth to _____ is longer than Earth to Uranus.
5 _____ is the best planet for humans.
6 Mars is smaller than Earth, but _____ is the smallest planet.



3 Read the information. Then write two comparative sentences using the adjectives.

1 The summer temperature in Qatar is 40°C. It's 20°C in Berlin. (hot / cold)
Qatar is hotter than Berlin. Berlin is colder than Qatar.
2 A Porsche can travel at 300 km/h. A Mini can travel at 225 km/h. (fast / slow)
3 The Burj Khalifa cost $1.5 billion to build. Taipei 101 cost about $2 billion. (cheap / expensive)
4 The Nile River is 6,650 km long. The Amazon River is 6,712 km long. (long / short)

4 Now read these sentences and compare them with the information in Exercise 3. Then complete them with suitable superlative adjectives.

1 The summer temperature in London is 18°C. London is *the coldest* city.
2 A Bugatti Veyron can travel at 430 km/h. It's _____ car.
3 This castle costs $10 million. It's _____ _____ .
4 The Mississippi River is 3,733 km. It's _____ river.

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