

TA7 – CHUYÊN ĐỀ 9: COMPARISONS

I. Choose the correct option for each of the following sentences.

1. What is the _____ month of the year in Vietnam? (hot, hotter, hottest)
2. Hawaii is _____ from Hong Kong than Japan. (far, farther, farthest)
3. Mozart is as _____ as Beethoven. (famous, more famous, most famous)
4. Which is _____, grammar or vocabulary? (important, more important, most important)
5. Who is the _____ person in your family? (powerful, more powerful, most powerful)
6. Their house is three times as _____ as ours. (big, bigger, biggest)
7. Susan is much _____ with children than her sister is. (patient, more patient, most patient)
8. Ann does not swim so _____ as her coach claims. (quickly, more quickly, most quickly)

II. Rewrite each of the following sentences using *different from* or *the same as*.

1. Their results and our results are different.

Their results are different from our results.

2. The price of the scarf and the price of the gloves are the same.

The price of the scarf is the same as the price of the gloves.

3. This house and your last house are different.

4. The child's height and the height of the table are the same.

5. Jane and her sister are very different.

6. This cake and that cake taste the same.

7. Food in San Francisco and food in New Orleans are different.

8. His shoes and my shoes are the same.

9. American English and British English are slightly different.

10. People say I and my mother look just the same.

III. Complete the sentence with *as, than or from*.

1. The blue car is as fast _____ the red car.
2. Physics is more difficult _____ history.
3. Animals feel pain the same _____ we do
4. Life in the country is very different _____ life in the city.
5. He's not really _____ tall as he looks on TV.
6. This classroom is a lot nicer _____ the one we had last year.
7. London was different _____ most European capitals.
8. Driving a boat is not the same _____ driving a car.

IV. Complete the second sentence using the word in brackets.

1. Cycling is faster than walking. (as)

Walking _____

2. This tea doesn't taste the same as the one I usually drink. (from)

This tea _____

3. Money is not as important as health. (than)

Health _____

4. His new guitar isn't different from his old one. (as)

His new guitar _____

5. Everest is higher than K2. (as)

K2 _____

6. Oil painting is not the same as pencil painting. (from)

Oil painting _____

7. Yesterday's exam wasn't as short as today's. (than)

Today's exam _____

8. Your idea is different from mine. (as)

Your idea _____

V. Complete the sentences by using *as ... as; not ... as, different ... from*.

1. Ms. Hoa is _____ Mrs. Lan. (**attractive**)

Her daughter is _____ her. (**beautiful**)

3. That dog _____ it looks. (**not dangerous**)
4. Living in Valencia _____ living in Paris is. (**not expensive**)
5. Schools in Viet Nam are _____ schools in the USA. (**different**)
6. Learning French is _____ learning English. (**difficult**)
7. These trees _____ those. (**same**)
8. Vios _____ Mazda 3. (**not luxurious**)
9. His appearance is _____ what I have expected. (**different**)
10. His job is _____ mine. (**important**)

VI. Complete the sentences using the correct comparative, superlative form or “as...as” of the adjectives given.

1. Some people think that Music isn't (important) _____ Maths or Science. I don't agree.
2. The guitar is one of the (popular) _____ instruments among young people.
3. It's (easy) _____ to play an instrument after you've been practising for a while.
4. I play the piano (good) _____ than I play the violin.
5. Guitars aren't (expensive) _____ many other instruments.
6. Saxophones are (heavy) _____ than a lot of instruments.
7. Traditional pianos are (suitable) _____ than keyboards for beginners.
8. Mai is (good) _____ singer in our class.

VII. Complete the sentences by using as...as; not...as; different ...from.

1. Your house is _____ my house. (far)
2. The black car is _____ the red one. (cheap)
3. That dog _____ it looks. (not dangerous)
4. Vietnam coffee is _____ Brazil coffee. (delicious)
5. Many people think that history _____ math. (not important)
6. Opera is _____ pop music. (different)
7. French foods is _____ Vietnam foods. (different)
8. This room is _____ that room. (wide)