



The highest city in the world

The coldest winter I ever spent was a summer in San Francisco.
Mark Twain, American writer

1 GRAMMAR superlative adjectives

a Complete the chart.

adjective	comparative	superlative
cold	<u>colder</u>	<u>the coldest</u>
high	_____	_____
expensive	_____	_____
dry	_____	_____
dangerous	_____	_____
hot	_____	_____
beautiful	_____	_____
crowded	_____	_____
good	_____	_____
bad	_____	_____

b Write the questions.

1 What / long river / world?

What's the longest river in the world?

2 What / small country / world?

3 What / crowded country / world?

4 What / high mountain / world?

5 What / windy city / world?

6 What / small ocean / world?

7 What / expensive mineral / world?

8 What / dry place / world?

c Circle the correct answer to the questions in exercise b.

1 a The Nile

b The Danube

c The Amazon

2 a Andorra

b Monaco

c The Vatican

3 a India

b Bangladesh

c China

4 a Mount Everest

b Mont Blanc

c Mount Kilimanjaro

5 a Chicago, US

b La Paz, Bolivia

c Edinburgh, Scotland

6 a The Arctic Ocean

b The Atlantic Ocean

c The Pacific Ocean

7 a platinum

b diamond

c graphite

8 a The Sahara Desert

b The Atacama Desert, Chile

c The Arizona Desert, US

d Write superlative sentences. Use the information in the chart.



Hotel	Size	Popular	Beautiful	Price
Minerva, Rome	24 rooms	☺☺☺	☺☺☺☺	\$250 per night
Seine Palace, Paris	36 rooms	☺☺	☺☺☺	\$210 per night
Victoria Inn, London	18 rooms	☺	☺☺	\$225 per night
Rio Club, Rio de Janeiro	60 rooms	☺☺☺☺	☺☺☺	\$180 per night

- 1 big *The Rio Club is the biggest.*
- 2 small _____
- 3 popular _____
- 4 cheap _____
- 5 expensive _____
- 6 beautiful _____

2 VOCABULARY the weather

Complete the sentences with a word from the box.

sunny wet hot snowing dry cold
cloudy windy



1 It's hot.



2 It's _____.



3 It's _____.



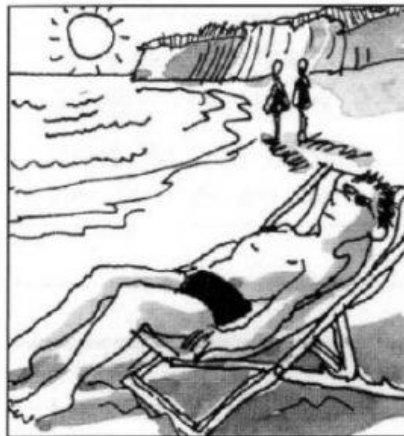
4 It's _____.



5 It's _____.



6 It's _____.



7 It's _____.



8 It's _____.

More Words to Learn

Write translations and try to remember the words.

Word	Pronunciation	Translation
<u>o</u> xxygen <i>noun</i>	/'ɒksɪdʒən/	
<u>a</u> ltitude <i>noun</i>	/'æltətud/	
<u>a</u> ir <u>c</u> onditioning <i>noun</i>	/ɛr kən'dɪʃnɪŋ/	
<u>c</u> apital <i>noun</i>	/'kæpətɪ/	
<u>g</u> eography <i>noun</i>	/dʒɪ'ɑgrəfi/	
<u>c</u> limate <i>noun</i>	/'klaɪmət/	
<u>c</u> rowded <i>adjective</i>	/'kraʊdəd/	
<u>b</u> oring <i>adjective</i>	/'bɔrɪŋ/	
<u>i</u> mageine <i>verb</i>	/ɪ'mædʒən/	
<u>s</u> urprisingly <i>adverb</i>	/sər'praɪzɪŋli/	