

Grammar-Describing Words- Superlative Adjectives

A. Look at the Grammar Box. Follow the rules to write the superlatives in the table.

<p>The heaviest boat is the red one.</p> <p>Is that the fastest boat?</p> <p>The blue boat is the smallest.</p>		<p>To make a superlative, add -est: fast- fastest</p> <p>If it ends in -e, just add -st: safe- safest</p> <p>If it ends in -y, we change the y to i -iest: heavy- heaviest</p> <p>consonant vowel consonant: big- biggest hot hottest</p>
<p>Is the blue whale the biggest in the world? Yes it is</p>		

B. Write! Complete the sentences with superlatives:

Boy: This is **the** _____ (long) canal in the world.

Girl: Where is it?

Boy: It's in China. It's **the** _____ (old) canal, too

Girl: Is it **the** _____ (big) canal in the world?

Boy: No, it isn't. The Suez Canal is **bigger** than it.



C. Look and write sentences with the superlative of the adjective in parentheses:

1. _____ *C is the biggest* _____ (big)
2. _____ (old)
3. _____ (fast)
4. _____ (small)



D. Write the missing words

slow	slower	<u>the slowest</u>		fast	faster	
short		the shortest		tall		the tallest
heavy	heavier			old	older	
	bigger	the biggest		small		the smallest

E. Read and click on the correct words

1. The Atlantic Ocean is **bigger** / **biggest** than the Indian Ocean, but the Pacific Ocean is the **biggest** / **bigger**.
2. The Suez Canal is **longer** / **longest** than the Panama Canal, but the Grand Canal in China is the **longest** / **longer**.
3. Trains are **faster** / **fastest** than boats but airplanes are the **fastest** / **faster**.
4. Cars are **heavier** / **heaviest** than bikes but trucks are the **heaviest** / **heavier**.

