

UNIT 2: COMPUTER SYSTEMS

Lesson 6



Superlatives

ACTIVITY 1: Study this table. (Estudiá esta tabla)

A diferencia de los comparativos, los superlativos se usan con respecto a un grupo. Por ejemplo: cuando digo “la computadora más rápida”, me refiero a la más rápida de todo un grupo de computadoras.

Como pueden observar hay reglas al igual que con los comparativos que ya vimos. Hay reglas para adjetivos largos, cortos y para irregulares.

Superlatives

We use superlative adjectives to compare a person or thing with a number of other people or things.

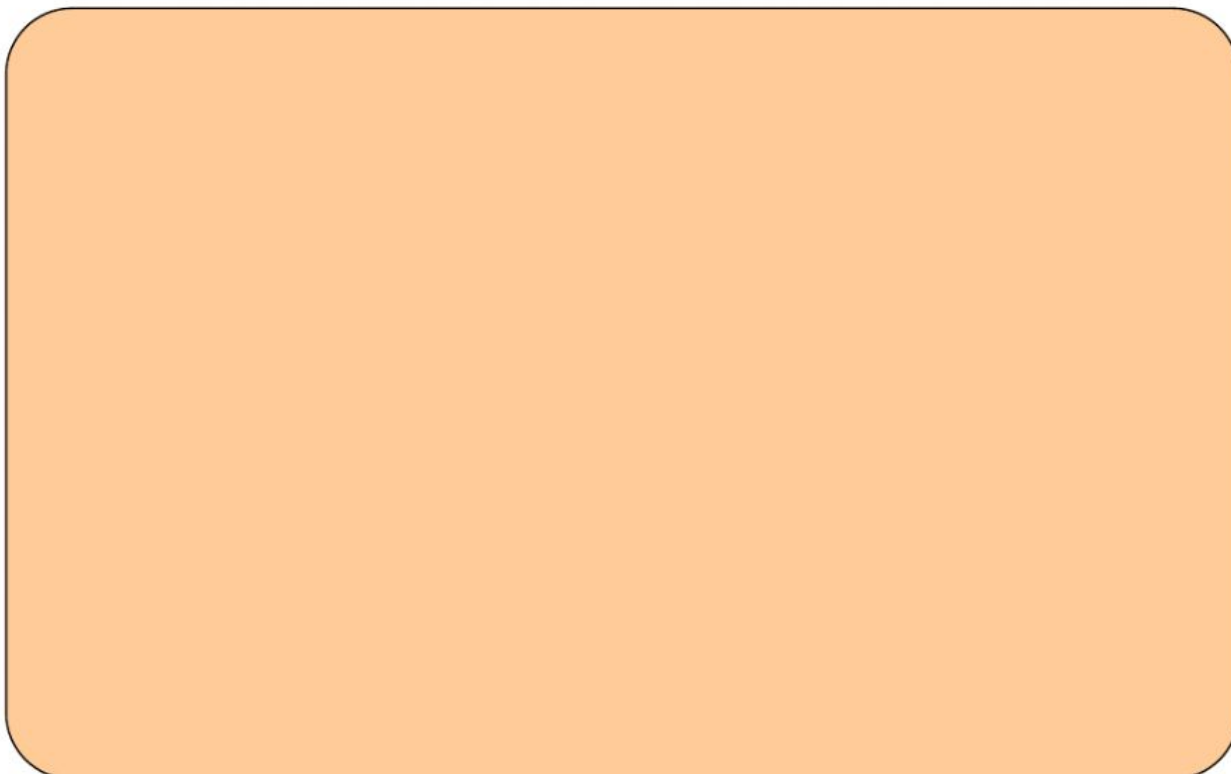
For short adjectives we add the + -est . Be careful of spelling.	big	biggest	The new monitor was the biggest in the room.
	fast	fastest	Your version of the software is the fastest .
	easy	easiest	It's the easiest to use.
For long adjectives we use the most/the least .	difficult	the most/least difficult	This version is the most difficult to use.
	expensive	the most/least expensive	His computer is the least expensive .
	reliable	the most/least reliable	I think you should buy that. It is the most reliable .
Some superlatives are irregular.	bad	the worst	That is the worst software I've ever used!
	good	the best	I really like this website. It's the best I've seen.

Superlativos

Usamos adjetivos superlativos cuando comparamos una persona u objeto con un número de otras personas u objetos.

Para adjetivos cortos agregamos the + est .	Big grande	Biggest Más grande	El nuevo monitor era el más grande en la habitación.
	Fast rápido	Fastest Más rápido	Tu versión del software es la más rápida .
	Easy fácil	Easiest Más rápido	Es lo más fácil de usar.
Para adjetivos largos usamos the most/the least	Difficult difícil	The most/least difficult El/la más/menos difícil	Esta versión es la más difícil de usar.
	Expensive caro	The most/least expensive El/la más/menos caro	Su computadora es la menos cara .
	Reliable confiable	The most/least reliable El/la más/menos confiable	Pienso que deberías comprar eso. Es el más confiable .
Algunos superlativos son irregulares	Bad Malo	The worst El peor	¡Ese es el peor software que he usado!
	Good bueno	The best El mejor	Realmente me gusta este sitio web. Es el mejor que he visto.

ACTIVITY 2: Watch the video. (Este video muestra cómo formamos superlativos con adjetivos cortos. Esta regla está en la primera parte del cuadro de la actividad 1. La regla es "the + adjective + est". Por ejemplo: the biggest monitor = el monitor más grande)



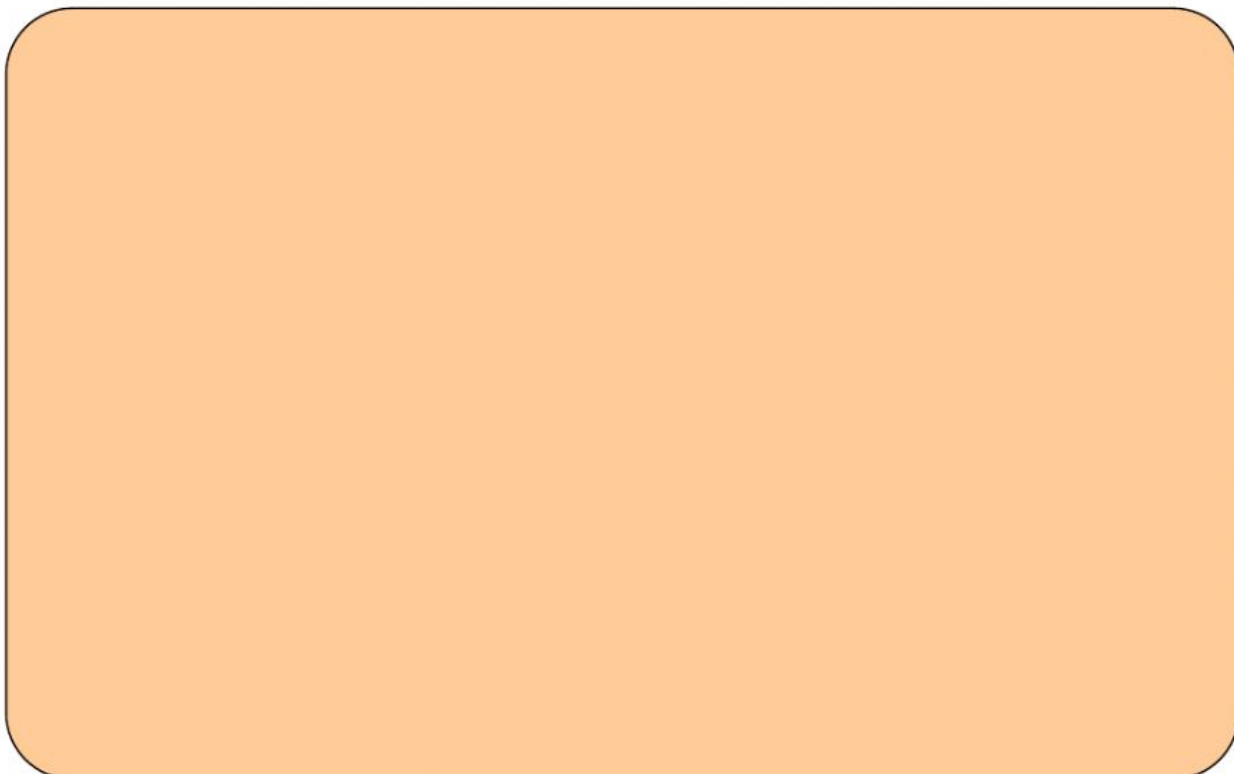
ACTIVITY 3: Make the superlative form of these superlatives. They are all short adjectives.

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| 1. cheap | _____ | 5. easy | _____ |
| 2. long | _____ | 6. fast | _____ |
| 3. old | _____ | 7. big | _____ |
| 4. late | _____ | 8. small | _____ |

ACTIVITY 4: Choose the best option to complete the sentences. These are all superlatives from short adjectives.

1. This is _____ printer. The other are rather expensive.
2. Her work is _____. It has 500 pages!
3. That is _____ monitor. We have to change it.
4. She has _____ software. She installed it yesterday.
5. This program is _____ to use. You do not need a manual.
6. My processor is _____. I can work better now.
7. The school has _____ to watch the documentary.
8. My mouse is _____. I can carry it in my pencilcase.

ACTIVITY 5: Watch the video. (Este video muestra cómo formamos superlativos con adjetivos largos. Esta regla está en la segunda parte del cuadro de la actividad 1. La regla es "the + MOST + adjective. Por ejemplo: the most difficult activity = la actividad más difícil)



ACTIVITY 6: Choose the correct options to complete these sentences. They are all long adjectives.

1. She has _____ antivirus.
2. This is _____ tutorial I've ever seen.
3. That is _____ computer but it has the best quality.
4. The new book is _____ to read, it's too technical.
5. His computer has _____ battery.
6. Which is _____ device for printing images?
7. This meeting is _____. They will present all the necessary information.
8. It has _____ design. It's modern and easy to use.

