

I. Write the comparative and superlative of:

Short _____ little _____ pretty _____ nice _____
happy _____ clever _____ handsome _____
thin _____ careful _____ beautiful _____

II. Put in than, as ... as, so ... as.

1. Jill is almost as tall as her father. She's 164 cm and he's 166 cm.
2. I'm not as clever as my brother. He's very intelligent.
3. The film wasn't as interesting as I'd thought it would be. In fact it was quite boring.
4. Going by train is almost as cheap as taking the coach. They both cost around 5 pounds.
5. She always arrives at work much earlier than anyone else.
6. I don't work as hard as Sally does.
7. The children are behaving far worse than they normally do.
8. He doesn't speak French as fluently as his sister.
9. They normally play much better than they did last night.
10. Andrew is studying a lot harder than usual now that his exams are getting closer.

III. Complete the sentences using a comparative or a superlative form.

1. Oh, why is English such a difficult language! I think it's much (difficult) _____ than French. Sometimes I feel that my English is getting (bad) _____, not (good) _____. When you first start learning English, it seems a lot (easy) _____ than other languages and the grammar looks much (simple) _____. However, when you become a little (advanced) _____. It gets a lot (complicated) _____. There are also so many words in English. The dictionary I bought when I first came to Britain is far too (small) _____. I'm already looking for rather (big) and (comprehensive) _____.