



Matching Comparative and Superlative Adjectives

Adjectives can compare two or more nouns or pronouns. Add **-er** to an adjective to make the comparative form. The superlative form of an adjective compares more than two things or people. Add **-est** to an adjective to make the superlative form.

A small number of adjectives are irregular in the way they make comparative and superlative forms. Irregular adjectives use completely different forms.

The normal (regular) way to make comparative and superlative adjectives is to add **-er/-est** or use **more/most**, like this:

big → bigger → biggest

expensive → more expensive → most expensive

Directions: Select the adjective in the left column to its comparative form in the middle column. Then select the comparative adjective in the middle column to its superlative form in the right column.

	<u>Comparative</u>	<u>Superlative</u>
1. big		
2. small		
3. good		
4. short		
5. tough		
6. quick		
7. angry		
8. happy		
9. smart		

10. skinny		
11. fast		
12. hungry		
13. light		
14. bad		
15. much		
16. many		
17. far		
18. nice		
19. expensive		
20. interesting		