

## THE SUPERLATIVE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Group: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- A. The following table gives the age, height, and weight of each child in a group of seven children, together with the amount of money each child has.

Child's name	Age	Height	Weight	money
Diana	12	140	40	90
Jerry	11	154	43	70
Ernest	10	135	45	25
Lisa	9	130	42	100
Tony	8	125	35	10
Amber	7	115	28	30
Ziggy	6	110	32	20

Following the model of the example, complete the rest of the sentences, indicating which is *the youngest*, *the shortest*, *the tallest*, *the heaviest*, *the richest* and *the poorest* child in the group.

Example:     *old*     Diana is *the oldest* child in the group.

1. young \_\_\_\_\_
2. short \_\_\_\_\_
3. tall \_\_\_\_\_
4. heavy \_\_\_\_\_
5. light \_\_\_\_\_
6. rich \_\_\_\_\_
7. poor \_\_\_\_\_

- B. Change the positive form of the adjectives to the superlative form, using the definite article **the**. Use the words given in parenthesis. Watch the example.

Example:     My room is a cold room. (*in the house*)

My bedroom is the coldest room in the house.

1. This is an old house. (on the street)  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Liverpool is a large store. (in the city)  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Mr. Patrick is a kind man. (I know)  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. This is a fine view. (in the area)  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. That is a new building. (in our neighborhood)  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. This is a dusty road. (I have ever walked along)  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. The Nile is a long river. (in the world)  
\_\_\_\_\_