

# 4D

## Grammar

### Superlative adjectives, *too* and *enough*

*I can use different structures to make comparisons.*

- 1 Complete the facts with the superlative form of the adjectives in brackets and the correct answer, a, b or c.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ (high) mountain in Europe is .
    - Elbrus
    - Everest
    - Kilimanjaro
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ (far) planet from the Sun is .
    - Earth
    - Mercury
    - Neptune
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ (deep) ocean is .
    - the Arctic
    - the Atlantic
    - the Pacific
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ (sunny) part of England is .
    - the north
    - the south
    - the centre
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ (polluted) city in the world is .
    - New York
    - New Orleans
    - New Delhi
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ (common) cause of a tsunami is .
    - an earthquake
    - a volcanic eruption
    - a storm
  - The country with the \_\_\_\_\_ (long) coast is .
    - Russia
    - China
    - Canada
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ (large) island in the world is .
    - Great Britain
    - Greenland
    - Iceland
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ (dry) continent in the world is .
    - Antarctica
    - Australia
    - Africa

- 2 Complete the sentences with the correct superlative form of the adjectives in brackets. Then circle *in* or *of*.
- Birmingham is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ (large) cities in / of England.
  - Crocodiles are one of the \_\_\_\_\_ (dangerous) animals in / of the world.
  - The special effects are the \_\_\_\_\_ (bad) part in / of the film *Terminator 2*.
  - In Australia, the \_\_\_\_\_ (hot) month in / of the year is usually February.
  - The Dorchester is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) hotels in / of London.

- 3 Rewrite the sentences using *too* or *enough* and the adjective in brackets. Do not change the meaning.

- This game isn't easy enough for me. (difficult)  
This game is too difficult for me.
- We're too young to go on holiday alone. (old)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- This bed is too hard. (soft)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- This film isn't interesting enough. (boring)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- It isn't warm enough to go to the beach. (cold)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- His family were too poor to go on holiday. (rich)  
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- 4 Complete the dialogue. Use *too* or *enough* with the adjective in brackets or the superlative form.

**Kate** Now we join Brett Simpson for the <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (late) news about the wildfires. Brett, what's happening?

**Brett** Well, the police aren't allowing us to get <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (close) to the fires, but I can feel the heat from here.

**Kate** How are the people in the area reacting? It isn't one of the <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (rich) parts of the country, is it?

**Brett** No, it isn't. Some people are <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (lucky) to have relatives in other cities, so they're leaving. But many are <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (old) or <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (ill) to travel. They're waiting and hoping.

**Kate** What's the <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (good) thing other people can do to help?

**Brett** Well, I asked the police that question. They said the <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (helpful) thing is to stay away from the area. Thousands of people are coming here just to have a look. This is one of the <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (big) and <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (spectacular) fires for decades. But these people are getting in the way of the emergency services and their work. And their job is <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (difficult) without that!

**Kate** What is the <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (likely) cause of the fire?

**Brett** It's <sup>13</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (early) to say. Sometimes lightning can start a fire like this, if the trees are <sup>14</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (dry). But of course, humans are the <sup>15</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (probable) cause.