

## Comparison

### 1 Complete the sentences with a double comparative.

- 1 The weather is getting *colder and colder*. (cold)
- 2 This area is becoming \_\_\_\_\_ .  
(popular)
- 3 Jimmy is getting \_\_\_\_\_. (tall)
- 4 Petrol was getting \_\_\_\_\_.  
(expensive)

### 2 Put the words in the correct order.

- 1 I thought / longer / The journey was / than

The journey was \_\_\_\_\_

- 2 more spacious / The flat was / than / appeared / it

The flat was \_\_\_\_\_

- 3 in Greece / hotter / it was / The weather here is / than

The weather here is \_\_\_\_\_

- 4 much more / it used to be / The house is / dilapidated /  
than

The house is \_\_\_\_\_

### 3 Complete the sentence halves with the comparative form of the adjectives and adverbs in brackets. Then match 1–5 with a–e.

- 1 The longer \_\_\_\_\_ (long) I work, ☒ e
  - 2 The \_\_\_\_\_ (spacious) the house, ☐
  - 3 The \_\_\_\_\_ (fast) you drive, ☐
  - 4 The \_\_\_\_\_ (carefully) you check  
your work, ☐
  - 5 The \_\_\_\_\_ (long) you keep him  
waiting, ☐
- 
- a the \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) it will be.
  - b the \_\_\_\_\_ (impatient) he'll become.
  - c the \_\_\_\_\_ (few) mistakes you make.
  - d the \_\_\_\_\_ (likely) you are to have an  
accident.
  - e the more tired \_\_\_\_\_ (tired) I feel.

**4 Write superlative sentences with the present perfect.**

1 this / good / book / I / ever / read

This is the *best* book I've ever read.

2 this / remote / region of the UK / I / ever / visit

3 those / expensive / jeans / I / ever / buy

4 that / charming / cottage / I / ever / stay in

**5 Complete the sentences with *less*, *the least*, *fewer*, or *the fewest*.**

1 The kitchen is \_\_\_\_\_ spacious room in the house.

2 My flat is \_\_\_\_\_ conveniently located than yours.

3 This house has got \_\_\_\_\_ rooms of the three we've looked at.

4 There are \_\_\_\_\_ flowers in the flower bed this year than last.

**6 Complete the sentences with the comparative and superlative form of the adverbs in brackets.**

1 Dan drives \_\_\_\_\_ than Ed, but Sam drives \_\_\_\_\_ of all. (slow)

2 Amy works \_\_\_\_\_ than Kate, but Frances works \_\_\_\_\_. (hard)

3 Adam speaks French \_\_\_\_\_ than Jason, but Chris speaks \_\_\_\_\_. (fluently)