GRAMMAR Making comparisons

1 **Choose the correct options to complete the sentences.**

0 That is _B_ the most amazing thing I have ever seen.
A slightly B easily C far
1 My computer is a ___ deal faster than yours.
A quite B good C big
2 Volcanoes are ___ more terrifying than thunderstorms.
A good B quite C far
3 My little sister is ___ as tall as me.
A slightly B almost C a good deal
4 This medicine has made me feel ___ worse.
A easily B not quite C a good deal
5 The more you practise, ___ you will become.
A the best B the better C the good
6 Can I have a ___ larger piece of cake, please?
A slightly B easily C quite
7 My grade was not ___ as good as I expected.
A almost B easily C quite

2 **Complete the sentences with the adjectives in brackets. Use *the ... the ...* .**

0 ___*The larger*___ asteroids are, ___*the easier*___ they are to see. (large / easy)
1 My grandfather says _____ you get, _____ it becomes to change. (old / hard)
2 _____ the weather, _____ my sister is. (hot / happy)
3 _____ you are, _____ it is to ride your bike. (sleepy / dangerous)
4 _____ it got, _____ it became. (late / dark)
5 _____ you wait, _____ it will become to do anything. (long / difficult)

3 **Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence. Use the word in brackets.**

0 That's the scariest film I've ever seen, by far. (easily)
That's ___*easily the scariest film*___ I've ever seen.
1 A rhinoceros is not quite as big as an elephant. (slightly)
An elephant _____ rhinoceros.
2 Tonya is not quite as clever as Kaye. (almost)
Tonya _____ as Kaye.
3 That party was much more interesting than I expected. (a good deal)
That party _____ than I expected.
4 You'll need to study a good deal harder if you want to succeed. (far)
You'll need to _____ if you want to succeed.
5 Mr Andrews is much stricter than Ms Knight. (a lot less)
Ms Knight is _____ than Mr Andrews.

4 **Tick (✓) the correct sentences.**

1 A It was far worse from all the other storms that I had experienced.
B It was far worse than all the other storms that I had experienced.
2 A The hotel is much more cheaper, and they have good bar food.
B The hotel is much cheaper, and they have good bar food.
3 A As much as you study, as much as you will improve your English.
B The more you study, the more you will improve your English.
4 A I hope we don't have many more earthquakes this year.
B I hope we don't have much more earthquakes this year.

VOCABULARY *too ... to, so ... that, such ... that*

1 **Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.**

1 It was *so* / *too* hot outside that you could fry an egg on the pavement.
2 It was *so* / *such* a strong wind that I had to get off my bike and walk.
3 It's much *so* / *too* risky to swim in this river.
4 There are *so* / *such* many things to see in this city that it would take weeks to see them all.
5 This coffee is far *too* / *such* cold to drink – I'm sending it back.
6 It was *so* / *such* a funny film that my sides hurt by the end of it.
7 That restaurant is far *so* / *too* expensive to eat in every week.
8 I'm *so* / *such* happy that I could dance!

2 **Rewrite the sentences with *too*, *so* or *such*.**

0 You have such lovely eyes that I want to paint them. (so)
Your eyes are so lovely that I want to paint them.
1 The book was too boring to finish. (such)
_____
2 The exam was so hard that nobody got a good mark. (too)
_____
3 She's such a kind person that everyone loves her. (so)
_____
4 We arrived late so we couldn't see the film. (too)
_____
5 The weather was so bad that we never left the hotel all holiday. (such)
_____

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