

Exercise 5: Circle the correct answer.

1. Cattle usually cross over the road. You should drive **more careful / more carefully**.
2. Life in some parts of the country is **boring / more boring** than that in other parts.
3. The old usually get up **earlier / more early** than the young.
4. An ox doesn't plough **weller / better** than a buffalo.
5. These 7 thinking habits will help you become **more confident / more confidently**.
6. Don't worry. The river is not as **deep / deeper** as it looks.
7. After a hard working day, you may sleep **soundlier / more soundly** than usual.
8. My father has been much **healthier / more healthy** since he stopped smoking.
9. The air in the mountainous zones is **more fresh / fresher** than that in the cities.
10. I can't understand. Would you ask him to speak **clearlier / more clearly**?

Exercise 6. Write the comparative form of the adjective or adverb in brackets. Use "than" where necessary.

1. A cellphone would be a _____ present. (useful)
2. It's a long way from here to the station _____ I thought. (far)
3. Can't you think of anything _____ to say? (intelligent)
4. It was _____ usual in town today. (busy)
5. Unfortunately her illness was _____ we thought at first. (serious)
6. Health and happiness are _____ money. (important)
7. You need to draw it _____. (carefully)
8. I like living in the country. It's _____ living in the town. (peaceful)
9. We can't hear. Could you speak a little _____? (slowly)
10. I can't stay _____ half an hour. (long)