

Comparative adjectives

1 Complete the table with the adjectives below.

bad big ~~boring~~ dangerous easy
expensive ~~good~~ heavy large loud
popular

adjectives that form the comparative with <i>er</i>	adjectives that form the comparative with <i>more</i>	adjectives with an irregular comparative
easy	boring	good

2 Choose the correct sentence.

- ☒ a Maths is more difficult than art.
b Maths is difficult than art.
- a I'm tall, but my brother is taller than.
b I'm tall, but my brother is taller than me.
- a Your sports bag is more dirty than my bag.
b Your sports bag is dirtier than my bag.
- a Sailing's more expensive than cycling.
b Sailing's expensive more than cycling.
- a My sister is more badder at maths than me.
b Joe is worse at maths than Emma.
- a Hockey is more than tiring golf.
b Hockey is more tiring than golf.

3 Complete the dialogue with the words and phrases below.

better exciting faster than good more
~~popular~~ than

- Noa Is football ¹ popular in Canada?
Jim Yes, but ice hockey is ² more popular.
Noa Why?
Jim Well, it's ³ better football and it's more
⁴ exciting. It's my favourite sport. I play
every week.
Noa Are you ⁵ faster than at ice hockey?
Jim I'm good, but my brother is ⁶ more
than me.
Noa Do you think ice hockey is harder than other
sports?
Jim It isn't hard, but it's more dangerous
⁷ than some sports.

Superlative adjectives

4 Match the sentences about superlative adjectives to the examples.

- c Short adjectives use a the longest, the most
est. For example, exciting
- a Long adjectives use b bad – the worst
most. For example, c ~~nice~~ – the d ~~nice~~
most. For example, boring – the most
boring
- a Some adjectives are b bad – the worst
irregular. For example, c ~~nice~~ – the d ~~nice~~
most. For example, boring – the most
boring
- a *The* goes before all
superlatives. For example,

5 Choose the correct superlative forms for the adjectives.

- interesting
a the more interesting ☒ b the most interesting
c most interesting
- good
a the best b the best than c the goodest
- happy
a happiest b the happiest c the most happy
- difficult
a the difficultest b the more difficult
c the most difficult
- small
a the most smallest b the smallest c smallest than
- bad
a the baddest b the worst c the worstest

6 Choose the correct answers.

- Wimbledon is ... tennis competition in the UK.
a the bigger ☒ b the biggest
- Marco is ... student in my class.
a the funniest b funniest
- Jenny is the ... singer in the music class.
a worst b most bad
- I think table tennis is ... sport we do at my school.
a the more boring b the most boring
- My sister is the ... interesting person I know.
a most b more
- January is the ... month in my country.
a colder b coldest
- I think this is ... show on TV.
a the best b the bestest
- What is the ... animal in the world?
a most dangerous b more dangerous

For me, these exercises are ... ☐ easy ☐ OK ☐ difficult