



I'm more beautiful than you.

### Comparatives

Use the **comparative** form of an adjective to compare two people or things. Form comparatives with **adjective + -er (than...)** or **more + adjective (than...)**.

| Ending                |                                  | Comparative                                                          |                            |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Most short adjectives | + <b>-er</b>                     | tall–taller<br>strong–stronger                                       | warm–warmer<br>rich–richer |
| -e                    | + <b>-r</b>                      | nice–nicer<br>large–larger                                           | late–later<br>close–closer |
| vowel + consonant     | double<br>consonant + <b>-er</b> | hot–hotter<br>sad–sadder                                             | big–bigger<br>thin–thinner |
| -y                    | <b>-y</b> + <b>-ier</b>          | happy–happier<br>angry–angrier                                       | dry–drier<br>heavy–heavier |
| Long adjectives       | <b>more</b> + adjective          | beautiful– <b>more</b> beautiful<br>difficult– <b>more</b> difficult |                            |

### Superlatives

Use the **superlative** form of an adjective to compare three or more people or things. Form superlatives with **the + adjective + -est** or **the most + adjective**.

| Ending                |                                   | Superlative                                                                  |  |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Most short adjectives | + <b>-est</b>                     | tall– <b>the</b> tallest<br>strong– <b>the</b> strongest                     |  |
| -e                    | + <b>-st</b>                      | nice– <b>the</b> nicest<br>large– <b>the</b> largest                         |  |
| vowel + consonant     | double<br>consonant + <b>-est</b> | hot– <b>the</b> hottest<br>thin– <b>the</b> thinnest                         |  |
| -y                    | <b>-y</b> + <b>-iest</b>          | happy– <b>the</b> happiest<br>heavy– <b>the</b> heaviest                     |  |
| Long adjectives       | <b>most</b> + adjective           | beautiful– <b>the</b> most beautiful<br>difficult– <b>the</b> most difficult |  |

#### A Write the comparative and the superlative.

- deep ➡ deeper ➡ the deepest
- kind ➡ \_\_\_\_\_ ➡ the \_\_\_\_\_
- wet ➡ \_\_\_\_\_ ➡ the \_\_\_\_\_
- close ➡ \_\_\_\_\_ ➡ the \_\_\_\_\_



**B Circle the correct word(s).**

1. July felt hotter **than** to June.
2. Carry this bag. It's **lighter** more light than that one.
3. Who is **funnyer** funnier, you or Ali?
4. This movie is **more famous** famouser than that one.
5. The last game of the season was the **more** most exciting.
6. There are three roads. Which one looks the **safe** safest?
7. Who is the **happier** happiest person in your family?
8. This mountain is the **highest** most high in the country.

**C Complete each sentence with the given word. Use the comparative or the superlative.**

1. This bread tastes fresher than that bread. (fresh)
2. Your speech is very long. It should be shorter. (short)
3. Jillian has three sisters. Marilyn is taller. (tall)
4. He's an excellent guitar player. I think he's the best in the world. (great)
5. Which is easier, English or Chinese? (easy)
6. I like all flowers, but roses are the prettiest. (pretty)
7. Is the city more interesting than the country? (interesting)
8. Did Billy lose weight? He looks thinner. (thin)



**D Write the correction.** *Write the correction.*

1. Is your new teacher nice than your old teacher? ➡ \_\_\_\_\_
2. The days are more longer in summer than in winter. ➡ \_\_\_\_\_
3. Their dog is more noisy than ours. ➡ \_\_\_\_\_
4. Everyone was late, but James was the later. ➡ \_\_\_\_\_
5. Who is shortest, Molly or Sunny? ➡ \_\_\_\_\_
6. Dad looked angrier from Mom. ➡ \_\_\_\_\_
7. Which is cheap, a train or a plane? ➡ \_\_\_\_\_
8. The Amazon River is the most longest in the world. ➡ \_\_\_\_\_

**E Correct the mistakes.**

**My Brothers and I**

I'm Eric, and these are my brothers.

Glenn is 15. He's the oldest. He's also the ① kinder. Everyone likes him.

Colin is ② young than Glenn. He is 13. But he's ③ more big and stronger than Glenn! He's great at sports.

I'm 11, so I'm ④ more youngest. In the future, I want to be like my brothers.

① ➡ \_\_\_\_\_

③ ➡ \_\_\_\_\_

② ➡ \_\_\_\_\_

④ ➡ \_\_\_\_\_