

## IL COMPARATIVO

To the following listed nouns apply the **articolo determinativo ("the")**. **Make sure to reference your chart posted in classroom for the rules of application.**

Below is the famous salt and pepper chart to aid you to tell if a word is maschile, femminile, singolare e plurale. **Esempio: le matite**

**Nota:** If a word in the list ends with an -e in the singular, the gender and number is in parentheses beside it.

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| F | a | e |
| M | o | i |

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|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. ____ farmacia        | 6. ____ panini            |
| 2. ____ ospedale (m.s.) | 7. ____ feste             |
| 3. ____ strada          | 8. ____ zaini             |
| 4. ____ piazze          | 9. ____ screenshot (m.s.) |
| 5. ____ parco           | 10. ____ mese (m.s.)      |

Now to the following listed nouns apply the **articolo determinativo + di**. Remember this will mean than in our comparison statements. We need to combine the articolo determinativo and di when it is not a person's name after di. **Refer to the chart (di + articolo determinativo) in your notes posted in classroom.** **Esempio: delle matite**

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|-------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. _____ musica         | 6. _____ pennarello    |
| 2. _____ uffici postali | 7. _____ anatra (duck) |
| 3. _____ ristoranti     | 8. _____ professoressa |
| 4. _____ banane         | 9. _____ maestra       |
| 5. _____ stipendio      | 10. _____ calendario   |