

**I. Write the COMPARATIVE form of the adjectives given.**

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|--------------|-------|-----------|-------|
| 1. big       | ..... | 6. tall   | ..... |
| 2. old       | ..... | 7. modern | ..... |
| 3. expensive | ..... | 8. easy   | ..... |
| 4. strong    | ..... | 9. ugly   | ..... |
| 5. cold      | ..... | 10. slow  | ..... |

**II. Write sentences using the comparatives,**

- 0. Science/ English (*difficult*)**

.....*Science is more difficult than English*.....

- 1. Picture stories/ novels (*interesting*)**

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- 2. Fruit/ junk food (*healthy*)**

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- 3. Television/ radio (*modern*)**

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- 4. Eating out/ eating at home (*exciting*)**

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- 5. My mother/ my aunt (*beautiful*)**

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**III. Complete the text with the comparative form of the adjectives given in the box.**

young✓    modern    healthy    happy    stressful    easy

Is it better now than it was in the past? Older people look back to when they were (1) younger and complain that young people today don't realize how difficult things were then. Of course, in many ways, life is (2) ..... now. We live in a world which is cleaner and safer. It is generally (3) ..... as well, and because of improvements in medical care, both men and women can expect to live (4) ..... lives. Our day-to-day existence is more comfortable, but are we (5) .....?

The rhythm of life is faster, and (6) ..... People are always in a hurry. In the end it is hard to say if things were better or worse before. As the saying goes "the grass is always greener on the other side of the fence".