

RULES FOR USING COMPARATIVE ADJECTIVE

Rule 1 of 6: With adjectives with *one syllable*, simply add **+er than**. For example:

- tall > taller than
- fast > faster than
- high > higher than

Rule 2 of 6: With adjectives *ends in +y*, remove the *-y* and add **+ier than**. For example:

- happy > happier than
- angry > angrier than
- busy > busier than

Rule 3 of 6: With adjectives that already end in *+e*, simply add **+r than**. For example:

- nice > nicer than
- safe > safer than
- late > later than

EXERCISE

WRITE THE COMPARATIVE TO THE FOLLOWING ADJECTIVES

ADJECTIVE	COMPARATIVE
LONG	
WIDE	
FAST	
HAPPY	
CLOSE	
SLOW	
NICE	
STRONG	
WISE	
DRY	
SMART	
FUNNY	
GREAT	
RARE	
PRETTY	
SUNNY	
LATE	
DIRTY	
CLEAN	