

Comparatives – Superlatives

TASK A. Write a comparative sentence using the words written below the pictures. Follow the example:



GREEN BALL - BIG

The green ball is bigger than the other balls.



MAN ON THE LEFT - THIN



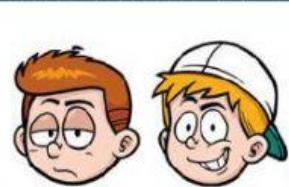
MAN - OLD



BOY - TALL



BABY - YOUNG



BLONDE BOY - HAPPY



MOUSE - SMALL



GIRL - SAD

TASK B. Fill in the gaps with the correct **comparative** form of the correct adjective according to the case:

↓ Short adjective

He is (happy) HAPPIER after work.

↓ long adjective

Watching TV is (interesting) MORE INTERESTING than radio

1. An elephant is (big) _____ than a dog.

11. My girlfriend is (pretty) _____ than Claudia.

2. This place is (dangerous) _____ at night.

12. In my country, soccer is (popular) _____ than tennis.

3. Our garden is (beautiful) _____ than their garden.

13. My sister is (young) _____ than my brother.

4. Rabbits run (fast) _____ than turtles.

14. Albert is (good) _____ student than me.

5. This test is (difficult) _____ than the math test.

15. Her eyes are (small) _____ than an ant!

6. My hat is (expensive) _____ than these jeans.

16. Homer plays the guitar (slow) _____ than Bart.

7. Gonzalo is (tall) _____ than his brothers.

17. My mother cooks (delicious) _____ than my sister.

8. London is (busy) _____ than Paris.

18. Peter is (intelligent) _____ than his brothers.

9. His house is (comfortable) _____ than a hotel.

19. Santa Cruz is (hot) _____ Oruro.

10. In Bolivia, June is (cold) _____ than January.

20. Practicing Karate is (more exiting) _____ than golf.

TASK C. Fill in the gaps with the **SUPERLATIVE FORM** of the adjective according to the case:

George is (*slow*) **THE SLOWEST** runner in the race.

1. Diana's party was the (<i>good</i>) _____ party of the year.	8. India is one of (<i>poor</i>) _____ countries in the world.
2. Everest is (<i>high</i>) _____ mountain in the world.	9. This is (<i>difficult</i>) _____ exercise of math.
3. Peter is (<i>good</i>) _____ in the school.	10. Who has (<i>fast</i>) _____ car here?
4. My nephew is (<i>tall</i>) _____ person in my family.	11. This hotel has (<i>soft</i>) _____ pillows in the city.
5. The Amazon is the (<i>long</i>) _____ river in the world.	12. What's (<i>dangerous</i>) _____ animal in the zoo?
6. This is (<i>cold</i>) _____ beach in the island.	13. Who is (<i>famous</i>) _____ singer in Bolivia?
7. These are (<i>expensive</i>) _____ jeans in the store.	14. Tiwanaku is one of (<i>old</i>) _____ civilizations in America.

TASK D. Write the comparative and superlative form of each adjective:

	<u>Comparative</u>	<u>Superlative</u>		<u>Comparative</u>	<u>Superlative</u>		<u>Comparative</u>	<u>Superlative</u>
big	<i>bigger</i>	<i>the biggest</i>	short			famous		
cold			intelligent			far		
near			slow			clean		
happy			good			wonderful		
bad			dangerous			interesting		

TASK E. Read these sentences and write the correct **COMPARATIVE** or **SUPERLATIVE** form of the adjectives in parenthesis:

1. Trains are _____ than airplanes. (*slow*)
2. I bought the _____ souvenir I could afford. (*expensive*)
3. In this classroom there are _____ girls than boys. (*many*)
4. Ann is the _____ child in the family. (*young*)
5. That TV set is the _____ of all. (*cheap*)
6. You are _____ here than there. (*safe*)
7. Mary is _____ than Kate. (*pretty*)
8. This is the _____ film in the history. (*exciting*)
9. Tim is _____ than Peter. (*talented*)
10. She is a very intelligent student. She was _____ (*intelligent*) girl in her class.
11. It's a very old castle. Experts argued it is _____ (*old*) in Britain.
12. I want to sleep on the sofa. The floor is _____ (*uncomfortable*) than it.
13. This new job is _____ (*important*) for me than the other.
14. Living in the countryside is _____ (*healthy*) than leaving in town.
15. These instructions are _____ (*difficult*) than the others.