

GRAMMAR: Comparative adjectives

- 1 Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives in parentheses.
 - 1 My grandparents' house is _____ than ours. (big)
 - 2 Sam was _____ than his older brother. (friendly)
 - 3 This exercise is _____ than the last one. (easy)
 - 4 Which is _____ – New York or Paris? (far)
 - 5 These boots are _____ than your old ones. (nice)
 - 6 Is the weather _____ in the spring or the fall? (bad)
 - 7 Walking in town is _____ than bike riding. (safe)
 - 8 The food in this café is _____ than my cooking! (good)
 - 9 It was _____ yesterday than it is today. (hot)
 - 10 The bus was _____ than the train. (fast)
- 2 Use the prompts to write sentences.
 - 1 most stores / bit / expensive / the market

 - 2 New York / much / crowded / my city

 - 3 the library / quiet / our classroom

 - 4 skiing / lot / dangerous / walking


 - 5 the park / noisy / a club

 - 6 your niece / smart / your nephew

VOCABULARY: Adjectives to describe places

- 3 Choose the correct options to complete the sentences.
 - 1 We need to go shopping. The fridge and cabinets are _____.
a safe b crowded c empty
 - 2 I can't see anything at all outside. It's really _____.
a ugly b dark c light
 - 3 It can be _____ with so many fast cars on the road.
a unfriendly b great c dangerous
 - 4 Sasha didn't like her new school. Everyone was very _____.
a beautiful b unfriendly c crowded
 - 5 I made some vegetable soup yesterday, but it tasted _____.
a horrible b ugly c dark
 - 6 It was a _____ day, so they decided to go to the beach.
a friendly b beautiful c safe
- 4 Complete the sentences with adjectives with the opposite meaning.
 - 1 Everyone loves Anna. She's a really *unfriendly* _____ girl.
 - 2 Is it *dangerous* _____ to go out at night in your city?
 - 3 Look at that building! Don't you think it's *beautiful* _____?
 - 4 The streets in this town aren't very *dark* _____ at night.
 - 5 I don't like taking the bus because it's always *empty* _____.
 - 6 This pizza is really *terrible* _____. Would you like some?

PRONUNCIATION: -er endings

- 5  10.1 Say the sentences. How do we say the comparative adjectives? Listen, check, and repeat.
 - 1 Her shoes were cheaper than mine.
 - 2 The country is quieter than the city.
 - 3 You're always busier than me!
 - 4 Is your car safer than Alex's?
 - 5 Anna was friendlier than her cousin.
 - 6 Is Madrid bigger than Barcelona?
 - 7 His hair was darker than yours.
 - 8 It's noisier here than in class.