

Activity 1:

Look at the charts and complete the table.

Comparatives: Short adjectives

Short adjectives ...	Spelling rules	Examples
Usually	+ er	slow → slower fast → faster tall → taller
Ending in -e	+ r	large → larger nice → nicer
Some two-syllable adjectives, especially ending in -y	-y → -i + er	hungry → hungrier happy → happier funny → funnier
Ending in a vowel + a consonant	double the consonant + er	big → bigger fat → fatter fit → fitter

Comparatives: Long adjectives

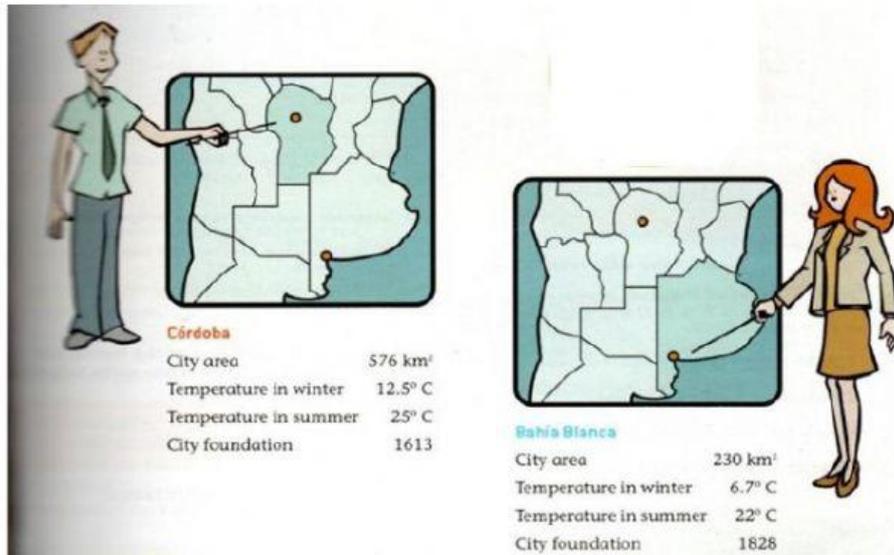
📖 Use the word **more** to make the comparative form.

Long adjectives	Examples
Most two-syllable adjectives which do not end in -y	Mary is more polite than Cindy. Tom is more helpful than Peter.
All adjectives of three syllables or more	Candy is more hard-working than Maggie. Joe is more good-looking than Tom.

Adjective	Comparative	meaning
Good		
Expensive		
Crowded		
Cold		
Interesting		
hot		
Cheap		
Fast		

Activity 2:

Look at the information about Cordoba and Bahia Blanca and complete the sentences



Córdoba
City area 576 km²
Temperature in winter 12.5° C
Temperature in summer 25° C
City foundation 1613

Bahia Blanca
City area 230 km²
Temperature in winter 6.7° C
Temperature in summer 22° C
City foundation 1826

- 1) Cordoba is (big) Bahia Blanca.
- 2) Bahia Blanca is (cold) Cordoba in winter.
- 3) Cordoba is (hot) Bahia Blanca.
- 4) Bahia Blanca (historical) Cordoba.
- 5) Cordoba is (modern) Bahia Blanca.

