

UNIT 3

1 Demonstratives; one, ones page 17

- With singular nouns, use *this* for a thing that is nearby and *that* for a thing that is not nearby: How much is **this** hat here? How much is **that** hat over there?
- With plural nouns, use *these* for things that are nearby and *those* for things that are not nearby: How much are **these** earrings here? How much are **those** earrings over there?
- Use *one* to replace a singular noun: I like the red hat. I like the red **one**. Use *ones* to replace plural nouns: I like the green bags. I like the green **ones**.

Choose the correct words.

- A:** Excuse me. How much are **this** / ~~**these**~~ shoes?
B: It's / **They're** \$279.
A: And how much is **this** / **that** bag over there?
B: It's / **They're** only \$129.
A: And are the two gray **one** / **ones** \$129, too?
B: No. **That** / **Those** are only \$119.
A: Oh! **This** / **That** store is really expensive.
- A:** Can I help you?
B: Yes, please. I really like **these** / **those** jeans over there. How much is it / are they?
A: Which **one** / **ones**? Do you mean **this** / **these**?
B: No, the black **one** / **ones**.
A: Let me look. Oh, **it's** / **they're** \$35.99.
B: That's not bad. And how much is **this** / **that** sweater here?
A: It's / **They're** only \$9.99.

2 Preferences; comparisons with adjectives page 20

- For adjectives with one syllable or adjectives of two syllables ending in -y, add -er to form the comparative: cheap → cheaper; nice → nicer; big → bigger, pretty → prettier.
- For adjectives with two syllables not ending in -y or adjectives of three or more syllables, use *more* + adjective to form the comparative: stylish → more stylish, expensive → more expensive.

A Write the comparatives of these adjectives.

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| 1. attractive | <u>more attractive</u> | 5. interesting | _____ |
| 2. happy | _____ | 6. reasonable | _____ |
| 3. exciting | _____ | 7. sad | _____ |
| 4. friendly | _____ | 8. warm | _____ |

B Answer the questions. Use the first word in the parentheses in your answer. Then write another sentence with the second word.

- Which pants do you prefer, the cotton ones or the wool ones? (wool / attractive)
I prefer the wool ones. They're more attractive than the cotton ones.
- Which ring do you like better, the gold one or the silver one? (silver / interesting)

- Which one do you prefer, the silk blouse or the cotton blouse? (silk / pretty)

- Which ones do you like more, the black shoes or the purple ones? (purple / cheap)
