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## Grammar - 6

### Adjectives that Compare - 14 Marks



The chart below shows the comparative and superlative forms of four adjectives. Write the adjectives **happy, expensive, good** and **bad** in the correct place.

| ADJECTIVE | COMPARATIVE    | SUPERLATIVE    |
|-----------|----------------|----------------|
| 1. _____  | happier        | happiest       |
| 2. _____  | more expensive | most expensive |
| 3. _____  | better         | best           |
| 4. _____  | worse          | worst          |

Use the comparative form of an adjective to compare two items. Use the superlative form to compare three or more items. Most adjectives add -er, -est, more or most to form the comparative and superlative forms.

Some adjectives have special forms.

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Write the correct adjective form in parentheses ( ) to complete each sentence.

**EXAMPLE:** Some people say the clipper ship was the most exciting ship ever built.  
(**more exciting, most exciting**)

1. The vessel of Christopher Columbus's time was a \_\_\_\_\_ ship than the galley. ( **newer, newest** )
2. Clipper ships were \_\_\_\_\_ than Columbus's ship.  
( **larger, largest** )
3. Of all sailing vessels, the clipper was the \_\_\_\_\_ ship.  
( **faster, fastest** )
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ clipper ship ever built was the Great Republic.  
( **bigger, biggest** )
5. Steamships have been \_\_\_\_\_ than sailing ships in recent times. ( **common, more common** )
6. Steamships were \_\_\_\_\_ than sailing ships at maintaining a steady pace. ( **better, best** )
7. These ships were the \_\_\_\_\_ ships of all time.  
( **more powerful, most powerful** )
8. Even today, however, many people find sailboats \_\_\_\_\_ than power boats. ( **enjoyable, more enjoyable** )
9. The sailboat gives them \_\_\_\_\_ sport than the power boat.  
( **thrilling, more thrilling** )
10. Which boat do you think is the \_\_\_\_\_ one of all?  
( **better, best** )