



*A or B?*

# Comparatives & Superlatives

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## ¿Qué son Comparative Adjectives??

Los **Comparative Adjectives** se utilizan para comparar **dos** personas, lugares o cosas.

A menudo terminan en **-er** o utilizan **more** antes del adjetivo.

*Greta is **taller than** Lorna.*

*I can drive **faster than** you.*

*She looks **happier than** before.*

*A hotel is **more comfortable** than a tent.*

*Are you feeling **better**?*

*It's **hotter** today **than** yesterday.*



# Comparative Adjectives Forms

	1 sílaba	2 sílabas terminand o en -y	1 sílaba terminando en -e	1 sílaba terminando consonante-vocal- consontante	2 o más sílabas*	Irregular (good/well - bad/badly - far - old**)
Comparative	-er	-ier	-r	doble consontante + - er	more...	better worse farther/further elder*
Ejemplo	faster smaller	prettier easier	nicer cuter	bigger hotter		

\*Algunos adjetivos de dos sílabas pueden tomar ambas formas. (añadiendo **-er** o **more**): **narrow - clever - simple - cruel - common - likely - gentle - common**.

\*A los adverbios que terminan en **-ly** siempre se les añade **more**.

\*\***Old** tiene una forma regular (**older**) y una forma irregular (**elder**) when describing people's ages, especially when they are family members.

# Estructura

Subject + verb + comparative adjective +  
than + object.

*John is taller **than** Mike.*

*This book is **more** interesting **than** that one.*

*My house is **bigger than** yours.*

*She is **more** intelligent **than** her brother.*

*The red car is **faster than** the blue one.*



# Superlatives

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## ¿Qué son Superlative Adjectives??

Los **Superlative Adjectives** se utilizan para comparar **tres o más** personas, lugares o cosas.

A menudo terminan en **-est** o utilizan **most** antes del adjetivo.

*Greta is **the tallest** in her family.*

*Is this **the fastest** you can drive?*

*Some of **my happiest** memories are from the 90s.*

*This is **the most comfortable** sofa I've ever sat on.*

*He's **my best** friend.*

***The hottest** temperatures in Brazil are in January.*



# Superlative Adjectives Forms

	1 sílaba	2 sílabas terminando en -y	1 sílaba terminando en -e	1 sílaba terminando consonante-vocal-consonante	2 o más sílabas*	Irregular (good/well - bad/badly - far - old**)
Superlative	-est	-iest	-st	consonante doble + -est	the most...	the best the worst the farthest/the furthest the eldest*
Ejemplos	fastest smallest	prettiest easiest	nicest cutest	biggest hottest		

\*Algunos adjetivos de dos sílabas pueden tomar ambas formas (añadiendo **-est** or **the most**): **narrow - clever - simple - cruel - common - likely - gentle - common**.

\*A los adverbios que terminan en -ly siempre se les añade **the most**.

\*\*Old tiene una forma regular (**the older**) y una forma irregular (**the eldest**) when describing people's ages, especially when they are family members.



# Estructura

Subject + verb + the + superlative  
adjective

John is **the tallest** in the group.

This is **the most** interesting book I have ever read.

My house is **the biggest** in the neighborhood.

She is **the most** intelligent person in her family.

The red car is **the fastest** of all the cars.



# Otras formas de hacer comparaciones

# Otras Expresiones



- (not) as/so ... as

*A bike isn't **as fast as** car.*

- just as ... as

*A smartphone might be **just as expensive as** a laptop.*

- the ... the

***The higher** you climb, **the dizzier** you feel.*

- more... and more

*Tom's nose is getting **redder and redder** with that cold.*

# Consejos Finales

- **Less/the least** son los opuestos de **more/the most**.

Planes are **less dangerous** than cars.

I bought **the least expensive** phone. I only need it to make calls.

- Antes de los **comparatives**, podemos usar **much/a lot/a bit/no/any**.

Your car is **much faster than** mine.

She is a **bit taller than** her sister.

There is **no better** place **than** this restaurant for pizza.

Is there **any easier** way **than** doing it this way?

- Los **Superlatives** son comunes en expresiones con **ever**.

This is **the biggest hamburger** I've **ever** eaten!

