

Comparative adjectives

Short form	Long form
cheaper than	more expensive than
Irregular adjectives	
good - better	bad - worse
far - farther / further	
Use	
to compare one person, thing or group with another person, thing or group	

Watch Out!
 short - shorter
 nice - nicer
 big - bigger
 easy - easier

1 Write the comparative form of the adjectives below.

- soft
- crunchy
- large
- delicious
- thick
- famous
- hot
- dry

2 Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives in brackets.

- The cheesecake is (tasty) the chocolate cupcake.
- Bananas are (soft) apples.
- The mousse is (thick) the custard.
- I think the rice pudding is (flavourful) the fruit compote.
- Mum's pizza dough is (thin) mine.

3 Write sentences using the comparative form of the adjectives in brackets.

- The baked apple costs £2. The crème caramel costs £3. (expensive)

- There are two cups of sugar in the brownies. The tart hasn't got any sugar in it. (sweet)

- The vanilla ice cream has got nuts in it. The chocolate ice cream has got raspberries in it. (crunchy)

- Starbucks is 100 metres from our home. McDonald's is 500 metres from it. (far)

4 Look at the pictures. Write sentences with the words in brackets and the comparative form of the adjectives below.

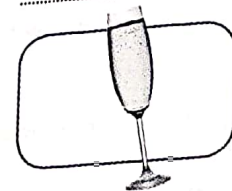
narrow • big • hard • rich • cheap • spicy



1. (nuts / grapes)



2. (the cake / the tart)



3. (a champagne glass / a wine glass)



4. (the cheesecake / the profiteroles)



5. (the salsa / the ketchup)



6. (Tom's cheeseboard / Kevin's cheeseboard)

Superlative adjectives

Short form	Long form
the cheapest	the most expensive

Irregular adjectives

good – best bad – worst far – farthest / furthest

Use

to compare three or more people, things or groups and say that one of them stands out in some way

Watch Out!

short – shortest
nice – nicest
big – biggest
easy – easiest

5 Write the superlative form of the adjectives.

- fresh
- dry
- popular
- salty
- new
- hot
- creamy
- expensive

6 Complete the sentences with the superlative form of the adjectives in brackets.

- This shop sells (creamy) ice cream in town.
- Simon is (young) pastry chef here.
- Vanilla is (popular) ice cream flavour.
- Fruit compote is (health) choice for dessert.
- My aunt bakes (bad) cakes in the family.
- (quiet) table is in the corner.

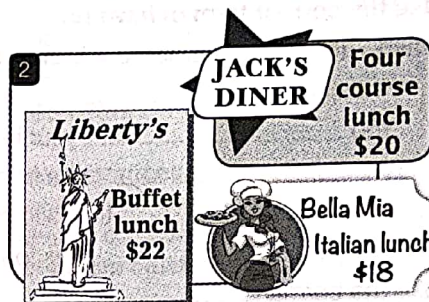
7 Circle the correct answer.

- The rolls are **fresher** / **freshes** than the muffins.
- This is the **bigger** / **bigges** oven in the kitchen.
- Where is the **nearer** / **neares** coffee shop?
- Myra and Tom always go to the **more romantic** / **most romantic** restaurants.
- White wines are **lighter** / **lightes** than red wines.
- They serve the **more tender** / **most tender** steaks in town.

8 Complete the questions with the superlative form of the adjectives in brackets.

- Which wine is ? (old)
- Which restaurant has got lunch? (expensive)
- Who is waiter? (tall)

9 Look at the pictures and answer the questions in Exercise 8.



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10 Look at the pictures in Exercise 9 and write sentences using the words below. Use the comparative or superlative form of the adjective.

- Sue / tall / Pam
- Rita / short / waiter
- Merlot / young / wine
- Riesling / old / Merlot
- Jack's Diner / expensive / Bella Mia
- Bella Mia / cheap / restaurant