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Interesting Things Around Us

Superlatives



Grammar in Focus

We use **superlatives** to compare three or more things or people. Add 'the' and '-est' to adjectives with one or two syllables. Change 'y' to '-iest'.

Dad is **the smartest** man.

Mum is **the tidiest**.

Add '**the most**' before most two-syllable adjectives and all adjectives with three or more syllables.

Ann is **the most beautiful** girl.

Sometimes, we double the last consonant of the adjectives.

May is **the thinnest**.

Exceptions: good → better → **best** bad → worse → **worst**



Mistakes Corner

✓ Joe is **the smartest** boy.

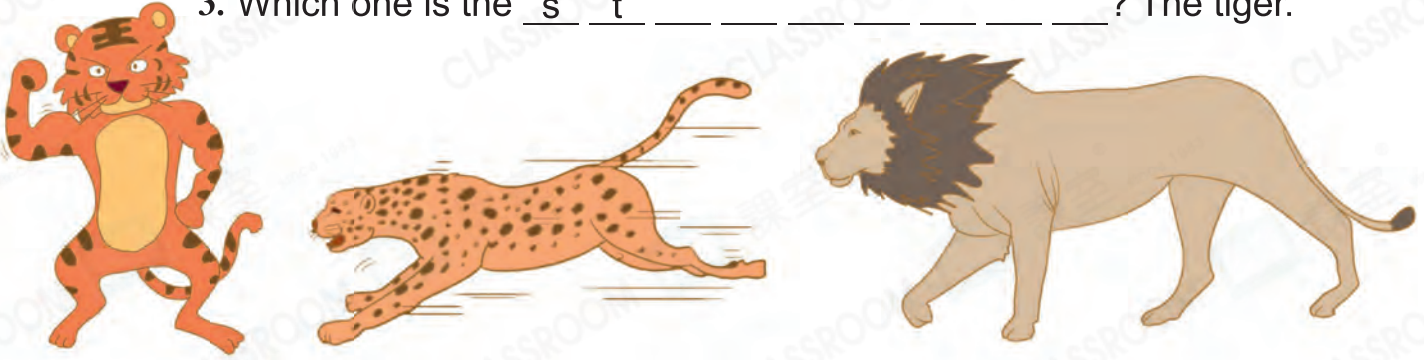
✗ Joe is **smartest** boy.

1. Paul is (**A** youngest / **B** the youngest) boy in our family.

2. This dog is (**A** the biggest / **B** biggest) in its family.

A. Mr Metal is asking William some questions. Fill in the blanks with the correct letters.

1. Which one is the l a _____? The lion.
2. Which one is the f a _____? The leopard.
3. Which one is the s t _____? The tiger.



B. William is filling in a table. Complete the table with the superlative form of the given adjectives.

<i>e.g.</i> clever	the cleverest	<i>e.g.</i> patient	the most patient
1. nice		2. slow	
3. short		4. hot	
5. heavy		6. hard	
7. old		8. young	
9. strong		10. bad	
11. pretty		12. friendly	
13. good		14. funny	
15. handsome		16. difficult	
17. interesting		18. expensive	
19. beautiful		20. delicious	



C. Miss Word is showing some pictures to William. Look at the pictures and fill in the blanks with the correct form of the given adjectives.

good

happy

beautiful

bad



e.g. the most beautiful

more beautiful

beautiful



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____

D. There are some mistakes in William's book. Correct the underlined words.

e.g. Grandpa is an oldest man in our family. the

1. This man has the longer hair in the world. _____

2. Is this the high mountain in Canada? _____

3. He is the more popular singer in the USA. _____

4. This is a most delicious congee in Hong Kong. _____

5. Dad is the fatest in my family. _____



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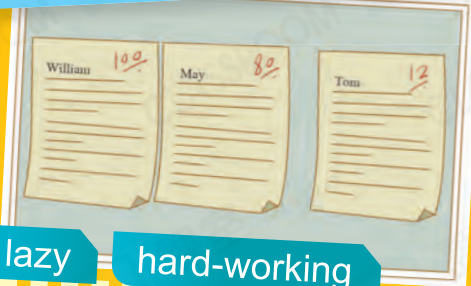
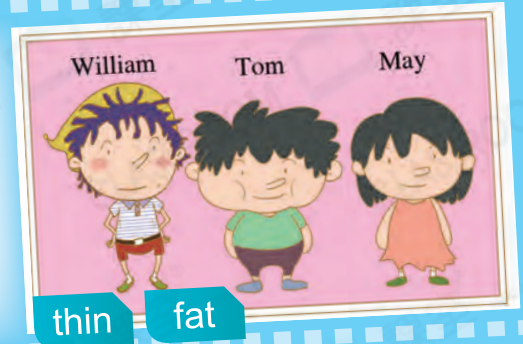
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E. William is showing Mr Metal some pictures. Look at the pictures and fill in the blanks with the correct form of the given adjectives.

I am *e.g.* _____ the thinnest _____ in our family.

My sister May is ① _____ me.

My brother Tom is ② _____.



These are our exam results. May is

③ _____ Tom. Tom

is ④ _____ I am

⑤ _____.

This is our bedroom! May's bed is

⑥ _____ Tom's. Tom's bed

is ⑦ _____ my bed. May's

bed is ⑧ _____ Tom's bed

is ⑨ _____ of all.



As I have to take care of my sister, I need to be

⑩ _____ child in the family. I

cannot be afraid of horror films because May is

⑪ _____ me when watching them.

Try to do your best all the time.