

# 2 We are Different

## Comparatives / Superlatives 1

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## Grammar Explained

a) We use **comparatives** to compare two people or things.

Cody	is	<b>older</b>	<b>than</b>	Connie.
Elsa's eyes	are	<b>smaller</b>	<b>than</b>	Terrence's.

b) We use **superlatives** to compare three or more people or things.

Joanne	is	<b>the youngest</b>	child in the family.
Leon's legs	are	<b>the longest.</b>	

c) To form **comparatives** and **superlatives**, we can add **'-er'** or **'-est'** to one-syllable and two-syllable adjectives, or change their spellings in the following ways:

### Adjectives ending in '-e'

brave	<b>braver</b>	<b>bravest</b>
large	<b>larger</b>	<b>largest</b>

### Adjectives ending in '-y'

heavy	<b>heavier</b>	<b>heaviest</b>
lazy	<b>lazier</b>	<b>laziest</b>

### Adjectives ending in a short vowel and a consonant

big	<b>bigger</b>	<b>biggest</b>
thin	<b>thinner</b>	<b>thinnest</b>

### Others

good	<b>better</b>	<b>best</b>
bad	<b>worse</b>	<b>worst</b>

**A** Cody is talking about his friends. Read what he says and write the correct names in the boxes.



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They are my teammates from the football team. Walter is the heaviest. Andy's hair is the longest. Carlos is the oldest and he is shorter than Jasper.

**B** Connie is telling Mrs Kim about her classmates. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the given adjectives.

1. Peter is \_\_\_\_\_ (nice) than Jade. He often shares his food with us.
2. Rex is \_\_\_\_\_ (funny) than Judy. He always tells jokes.
3. Macy is only 32 kg. She is \_\_\_\_\_ (light) than Maggie.
4. Jane is thin but Sam is \_\_\_\_\_ (thin) than her.
5. Kathy is \_\_\_\_\_ (lazy) than Jaden. She never studies.
6. Fiona's eyes are \_\_\_\_\_ (big) than Daisy's.
7. Kate is very short. She is \_\_\_\_\_ (short) than Tina.
8. Ian is only 8 years old. He is \_\_\_\_\_ (young) than Matthew.
9. Simon is a bad painter but Jay is \_\_\_\_\_ (bad) than him.



- C** Connie is writing a letter about her friends. Complete her letter with the correct form of the given adjectives.

slow tall brave long fast smart

Dear Grandma,

I made a lot of new friends this year. Sally is the ① \_\_\_\_\_ student in our class. She always answers the questions in class and helps me with my homework. Samuel is the ② \_\_\_\_\_ boy. He is taller than all of us.

Yesterday was Sports Day. Leo was the ③ \_\_\_\_\_ runner in the 100 m running race. He won the gold medal. Fred's legs are the ④ \_\_\_\_\_ but he is the ⑤ \_\_\_\_\_ runner. He came last in the race.


Did you know who the ⑥ \_\_\_\_\_ is? It's Jimmy. He helped us chase a cockroach away today!

Love,  
Connie



## Proofreading

- D** Underline the mistakes and write the correct answers on the lines.

- Lily is shorter then Denise. 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- Jackson's hair is darkker than Ken's. 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- Ken is the heavy in the class. He is almost 50 kg. 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- Dora's eyes are biger than Percy's. 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- The blue bag is largest than the red one. 5. \_\_\_\_\_
- Ben worked hard so he got the worst result in the exam.  6. \_\_\_\_\_



# Daily Life Grammar

**E** Connie is writing about her favourite cartoon characters. Read the table and complete her writing with the correct form of the given adjectives.



Name	Age	Art	Cooking	Sports
Paige	8	👍👍	👍👍👍	👍
Phoebe	10	👍👍👍	👍	👍👍
Pippa	9	👍	👍👍	👍👍👍

clever great kind naughty old pretty  
short strong tasty weak young

*Pretty Girls' Power* is my favourite cartoon. I think it is **e.g.** the greatest cartoon in the world. My favourite characters are the three sisters named Paige, Phoebe and Pippa.

Paige is eight years old. She is **1** \_\_\_\_\_ girl in her family. Her hair is **2** \_\_\_\_\_ Phoebe's. She loves helping others. She is **3** \_\_\_\_\_ girl in her family. The pictures she draws are **4** \_\_\_\_\_ Pippa's.

Phoebe is **5** \_\_\_\_\_ girl in her family. She is ten years old. She loves doing sums and puzzles. I think she is **6** \_\_\_\_\_ among the three of them. She doesn't do exercise often so she is **7** \_\_\_\_\_ Pippa.

Pippa is nine years old. She isn't good at drawing but she always draws on the walls! I think she is **8** \_\_\_\_\_ girl. Also, she is **9** \_\_\_\_\_ girl because she often does sports. The dishes she makes are **10** \_\_\_\_\_ Phoebe's.