## GRAMMAR WORKSHEET
### COMPARATIVES

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<th>Adjectives with one syllable, add: ‘-er’ or ‘-r’ + ‘than’</th>
<th><strong>cold</strong></th>
<th>Adjectives with two or more syllables, add: ‘more’ + ‘than’</th>
<th><strong>ex-pen-sive</strong></th>
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<td>“In Canada, winter is colder than summer.”</td>
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<td>“This book is more expensive than that book.”</td>
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<th>Adjectives with two syllables that end in ‘-y’, change ‘-y’ to ‘i’ and add: ‘-er’ + ‘than’</th>
<th><strong>hap-py</strong></th>
<th>Adjectives that end in a single vowel and consonant: double the final letter before adding ‘than’</th>
<th><strong>big</strong></th>
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<td>“John is happier than David.”</td>
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<td>“Russia is bigger than Canada.”</td>
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### Fill in the blanks below to complete the sentences. Study the above boxes.

1. I **am taller than** my sister.
2. Sarah **is busy** than Mary.
3. The sun **is hot** than the earth.
4. The earth **is large** than the moon.
5. Elephants **are big** than horses.
6. Action movies **are exciting** than comedies.
7. This restaurant **is good** than that restaurant.
8. Salads **are healthy** than hamburgers.
9. I think weekends **are nice** than weekdays.
10. Lions **are dangerous** than rabbits.
11. The sun **is far** than the moon.
12. That hotel **is bad** than this hotel.
13. Cars **are fast** than bicycles.
14. Comedies **are funny** than action movies.
15. I **am nervous** than my friend.

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**Grammar Focus**  Comparatives  
**Level**  Intermediate

**ANSWER KEY**

1. am taller than  
2. is busier than  
3. is hotter than  
4. is larger than  
5. are bigger than  
6. are more exciting than  
7. is better than  
8. are healthier than  
9. are nicer than  
10. are more dangerous than  
11. is farther / further than  
12. is worse than  
13. are faster than  
14. are funnier than  
15. am more nervous than

**Grades as percentages**

- 15 / 15 = 100%  
- 14 / 15 = 93%  
- 13 / 15 = 87%  
- 12 / 15 = 80%  
- 11 / 15 = 73%  
- 10 / 15 = 67%  
- 9 / 15 = 60%  
- 8 / 15 = 53%  
- 7 / 15 = 47%  
- 6 / 15 = 40%  
- 5 / 15 = 33%  
- 4 / 15 = 27%  
- 3 / 15 = 20%  
- 2 / 15 = 13%  
- 1 / 15 = 7%  
- 0 / 15 = 0%

**My Notes**

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