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# GRAMMAR WORKSHEET 2 COMPARATIVES



Adjectives with one syllable, add: '-er' or '-r' + 'than'

cold

"In Canada, winter is *cold<u>er</u> than* summer." Adjectives with two or more syllables, add: 'more' + 'than'

ex-pen-sive

"This book is <u>more</u> expensive than that book."

Irregular Comparative Adjectives

good – better than

**bad** – worse than

Adjectives with two syllables that end in '-y', change '-y' to 'i' and add: '-er' + 'than'

hap-py

"John is *happ<u>ier than</u> David."*  Adjectives that end in a single vowel and consonant: double the final letter before adding 'than'

big

"Russia is big<u>ger</u> <u>than</u> Canada." **far** – farther than further than

• Fill in the blanks below to complete the sentences. Study the above boxes.

1.	summer / winter / hot Summer is hotter than winter.
	football / bowling / exciting
	Asia / Europe / big
	weekends / weekdays / good
	cats / lions / small
	John / Stewart / busy
	horses / cows / fast
	my uncle / my aunt / funny
	this movie / that movie / interesting
	the flu / a cold / bad
	the sun / the moon / far
	I / my friend / tired
13.	tigers / giraffes / dangerous
	January / August / cold
	my grandfather / my father / old

#### GRAMMAR WORKSHEET

### **ALL Things Grammar**

**Grammar Focus** Comparatives

**Level** Intermediate

#### **ANSWER KEY**

- **1.** Summer is hotter than winter.
- **2.** Football is more exciting than bowling.
- **3.** Asia is bigger than Europe.
- **4.** Weekends are better than weekdays.
- 5. Cats are smaller than lions.
- 6. John is busier than Stewart.
- 7. Horses are faster than cows.
- **8.** My uncle is funnier than my aunt.

- **9.** This movie is more interesting than that movie.
- 10. The flu is worse than a cold.
- 11. The sun is farther than the moon.
- **12.** I am more tired than my friend.
- **13.** Tigers are more dangerous than giraffes.
- 14. January is colder than August.
- **15.** My grandfather is older than my father.

## **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 = 405/15 = 33

4/15 = 27

3/15 = 20

2/15 = 13

**1** / 15 = 7

**0** / 18 = 0 % My Notes

