

Comparative and Superlative

Comparative Adverbs

I plan my attacks more
carefully than you.



I move faster
than you.



compare **two** performances

Superlative Adverbs

I plan most carefully
of all.



I move fastest!



I feel
saddest.



compare **three or more** performances

[9-3] Comparative and Superlative (Adverbs)

-LY adverbs



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adverb	comparative	superlative
carefully	more carefully	the most carefully
slowly	more slowly	the most slowly
RULE: more + adverb the most + adverb		

1 syllable adverbs



1ete

fast	fast er	the fast est
hard	hard er	the hard est
RULE: adverb + er the + adverb + est		

Irregular adverbs

well	better	the best
badly	worse	the worst
far	farther/further	the farthest/furthest

Comparative and superlative adverbs

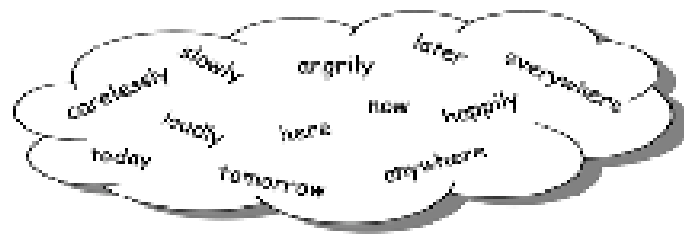


Complete the sentences with an adverb from the box in the comparative or superlative form.

badly carefully easily fast hard quietly
slowly well

- The ostrich runs of any bird but it can't fly!
- I let my sister ask for the train tickets when we were in London because she speaks English much than I do.
- You must move through the jungle or you will frighten the animals away with the noise!
- Next time you should check your work You made some basic mistakes.
- The tiny rabbit ran than the others and was the last to get to the hole.
- Jasmin found the way to the meeting point than she expected, so she arrived very early.
- The player who trained was asked to play in the first team.
- My brother behaved of all the students on the trip, so he wasn't allowed to go on the next one.

Directions: Write the Comparative and Superlative form of each adverb.



	<u>Comparative</u>	<u>Superlative</u>
Example A- badly	worse	worst
1. cautious	_____	_____
2. early	_____	_____
3. often	_____	_____
4. far	_____	_____
5. quick	_____	_____
6. little	_____	_____
7. soon	_____	_____

- Patty worked _____ than any other actor in the play.
(hard)
- Scotty can kick the ball _____ than all the other child.
(far)
- The tree we planted has grown _____ than our house!
(tall)
- Clyde told his story most _____ to the principal.
(convince)
- The teacher spoke more _____ to help us to understand.
(slow)
- Could you sing more _____ please? It's too loud.
(quiet)
- Everyone ran fast, but Tyler ran the _____ of all.
(fast)
- He reads more _____ when he is taking a test.
(careful)
- John's dog jumped the _____ of all the dogs.
(high)
- Birds sing most _____ in the morning.
(beautiful)



Find the words for eight animals. Then complete the sentences below.



B	E	A	D	C	I	N	G	K
R	P	E	N	G	U	I	N	A
T	K	C	H	E	O	D	I	N
I	F	A	N	O	S	R	U	G
G	U	M	B	Y	T	C	M	A
E	P	E	E	L	R	A	T	R
R	F	L	A	M	I	N	G	O
L	G	A	R	T	C	I	S	O
B	E	L	E	P	H	A	N	T



- 1 An has a trunk and big ears.
- 2 A can go a long time without drinking.
- 3 A is pink and often stands on one leg.
- 4 A is a member of the cat family.
- 5 An has a long neck and wings.
- 6 A lays eggs and can swim.
- 7 A likes eating honey.
- 8 A stands on two legs and jumps.



NOUN SUFFIXES

-age

Wreckage
Vintage
Baggage
Cartage

-ance

Importance
Appearance
Significance
Resistance

-ant

Assistant
Accountant
Consultant
Contestant

-ee

Referee
Employee
Payee
Conferee

-ence

Difference
Dependence
Subsistence

-ery

Bakery
Machinery
Scenery
Bravery

-ess

Waitress
Actress
Hostess

-ion

Wreckage
Vintage
Baggage
Cartage

-er/-or

Teacher
Geographer
Foreigner
Doctor

-ist

Florist
Chemist
Dramatist
Economist

-ment

Measurement
Abridgment
Banishment
Accomplishment

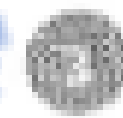
-ness

Happiness
Bitterness
Darkness
Kindheartedness



Complete the sentences with a noun made from the word in brackets.

- 1 Have you received of your flight from the airline yet? (confirm)
- 2 We had a about the problem of global warming. (discuss)
- 3 They sent us an to the conference. (invite)
- 4 is a serious problem in many major cities. (pollute)
- 5 The screen I ordered online was broken, so I asked for a (replace)
- 6 This app will give you the of a word in 50 different languages. (translate)
- 7 The of the audience grew when they heard that the first prize was an African safari. (excite)
- 8 The of technology has helped us to protect animals in danger of extinction. (develop)



Correct the mistakes with nouns in these sentences.

- 1 The scientists made an announceation that they had found a new species.ANNOUNCEMENT.....
- 2 All children have the right to a good educateion.
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- 3 After the completement of the project, he wrote a report.
- 4 One of the most important invents in history was the wheel.
- 5 Amy's disappointing was clear when she missed the trip to the zoo.
- 6 The only entertaintation in the town is the local cinema.



For each question, choose the correct answer.



Rhinos

Rhinos are some of the largest animals in the world. They live in Africa and Asia in tropical rain (1) and grasslands.

The biggest (2) can weigh 2,400 kilos, which is the weight of thirty men. Although they are very big and strong, they don't

(3) other animals, but instead they feed on lots of grass and other plants. In fact, they spend all day and night eating. What rhinos really love is being in or near water, where they can (4) cool. They generally live on their own, except for the (5) relationship they have with oxpeckers. These are small birds that sit on rhinos and help keep them free of insects. Rhinos only have one (6) – humans, who kill them to take their horn. Since the beginning of the 20th century their population has fallen from 500,000 to only 29,000 now living in the wild.

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|---|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|
| 1 | A trees | B woods | C coasts | D forests |
| 2 | A species | B wildlife | C range | D set |
| 3 | A chase | B catch | C hunt | D benefit |
| 4 | A keep | B take | C have | D make |
| 5 | A separate | B unusual | C complete | D real |
| 6 | A danger | B competitor | C enemy | D injury |

cinema.

Reading Part 5

- Write the words you think are correct in the gaps on the question paper and read the text again to see if it makes sense.
- Carefully copy the correct letter onto the answer sheet afterwards.

Exam
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Writing Part 1

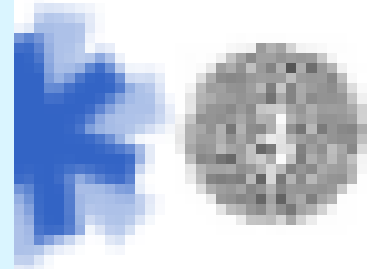
- Think about the tenses you need to use to answer the questions in the email. Is the information in the past, present or future? Try to use a variety of verb forms.
- Connect your ideas with words like *so*, *since*, *as*, etc.

Exam
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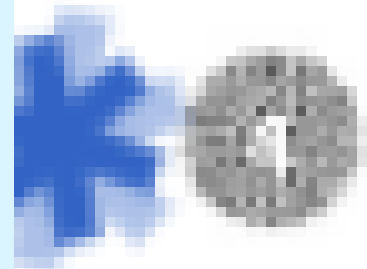


Look at the exam task and answer the questions.

- 1 What did you tell Freddie in your last email?
- 2 Which four things must you put in your reply?



Read the answer again. Did Ryan include all four points in the reply?



Write your own answer to the task in Exercise 1 in about 100 words. Before you begin, look again at the exam instructions, then plan and write your email.

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