

Comparing Adjectives: -er & -est

Name: _____ Date: _____

Underline the comparative or superlative adjective, then write which kind it is.

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| <p>(1) The noise from the train got softer as is left the town. _____</p> <p>(2) Poofy was the meanest dog in the neighborhood. _____</p> <p>(3) That tree is the greenest one in the park. _____</p> <p>(4) I prefer this encyclopedia because it is easier to understand. _____</p> <p>(5) My house is older than the others on my street. _____</p> | <p>(6) The left speaker is louder than the right. _____</p> <p>(7) Michigan has a stronger football team than they did last year. _____</p> <p>(8) Was the Ford Pinto the worst car ever made? _____</p> <p>(9) It will be warmer next month than it is this month. _____</p> <p>(10) It is quieter in here than it is outside. _____</p> |
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Fill in the blanks with correct demonstrative adjectives.

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| <p>(11) Mark is tall, but Mark is even _____
(tall)</p> <p>(12) That restaurant is the _____
(ugly)
I've ever seen.</p> <p>(13) Our school is _____ now that
(large)
the expansion is complete.</p> <p>(14) The television on the right appears _____
(bright)
than the one on the left.</p> | <p>(15) Be careful, the Diamondback rattlesnake has the _____
(deadly)
venom.</p> <p>(16) It is always _____ before the
(dark)
dawn.</p> <p>(17) The _____ frog was also the
(slimy)
one which won the jumping contest.</p> <p>(18) I think algebra is the _____
(hard)
class I've ever taken.</p> |
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ANSWER KEY

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| <p>(1) The noise from the train got <u>softer</u> as is left the town. <u>comparative</u></p> <p>(2) Poofy was the <u>meanest</u> dog in the neighborhood. <u>superlative</u></p> <p>(3) That tree is the <u>greenest</u> one in the park. <u>superlative</u></p> <p>(4) I prefer this encyclopedia because it is <u>easier</u> to understand. <u>comparative</u></p> <p>(5) My house is <u>older</u> than the others on my street. <u>comparative</u></p> | <p>(6) The left speaker is <u>louder</u> than the right. <u>comparative</u></p> <p>(7) Michigan has a <u>stronger</u> football team than they did last year. <u>comparative</u></p> <p>(8) Was the Ford Pinto the <u>worst</u> car ever made? <u>superlative</u></p> <p>(9) It will be <u>warmer</u> next month than it is this month. <u>comparative</u></p> <p>(10) It is <u>quieter</u> in here than it is outside. <u>comparative</u></p> |
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| <p>(11) Mark is tall, but Mark is even <u>taller</u>.
(tall)</p> <p>(12) That restaurant is the <u>ugliest</u> I've ever seen.
(ugly)</p> <p>(13) Our school is <u>larger</u> now that the expansion is complete.
(large)</p> <p>(14) The television on the right appears <u>brighter</u> than the one on the left.
(bright)</p> | <p>(15) Be careful, the Diamondback rattlesnake has the <u>deadliest</u> venom.
(deadly)</p> <p>(16) It is always <u>darkest</u> before the dawn.
(dark)</p> <p>(17) The <u>slimiest</u> frog was also the one which won the jumping contest.
(slimy)</p> <p>(18) I think algebra is the <u>hardest</u> class I've ever taken.
(hard)</p> |
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