

Comparative Adjectives

Name: _____

Adjectives that are used to compare two people or two things have special forms.

* If the regular adjective has one syllable, add **-er** to the end to make the comparative form.
(Make the second consonant double if you have a consonant-vowel-consonant pattern word.)

* If the regular adjective ends in **y**, change the **y** to **i** before adding **-er**.

* For many regular adjective with two or more syllables, use the word **more** before the adjective and do not add **-er**.

* Note these **irregular** forms: good becomes **better**, bad becomes **worse**, and far becomes **farther**.

Write the comparative form of each adjective.



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| 1. ugly | uglier | _____ | 2. happy | _____ |
| 3. smart | _____ | _____ | 4. friendly | _____ |
| 5. beautiful | _____ | _____ | 6. peaceful | _____ |
| 7. strange | _____ | _____ | 8. silly | _____ |
| 9. dirty | _____ | _____ | 10. wet | _____ |
| 11. funny | _____ | _____ | 12. clean | _____ |
| 13. filthy | _____ | _____ | 14. crazy | _____ |
| 15. intelligent | _____ | _____ | 16. brave | _____ |
| 17. courageous | _____ | _____ | 18. pretty | _____ |
| 19. sad | _____ | _____ | 20. colorful | _____ |
| 21. tasty | _____ | _____ | 22. sloppy | _____ |
| 23. cold | _____ | _____ | 24. careful | _____ |
| 25. close | _____ | _____ | 26. thin | _____ |
| 27. bright | _____ | _____ | 28. young | _____ |
| 29. fast | _____ | _____ | 30. stiff | _____ |
| 31. furry | _____ | _____ | 32. noisy | _____ |
| 33. little | _____ | _____ | 34. small | _____ |
| 35. quiet | _____ | _____ | 36. fierce | _____ |
| 37. angry | _____ | _____ | 38. sunny | _____ |
| 39. tenacious | _____ | _____ | 40. fresh | _____ |
| 41. strong | _____ | _____ | 42. delightful | _____ |
| 43. old | _____ | _____ | 44. hot | _____ |
| 45. terrible | _____ | _____ | 46. loud | _____ |
| 47. hard | _____ | _____ | 48. great | _____ |
| 49. enjoyable | _____ | _____ | 50. good | _____ |
| 51. bad | _____ | _____ | 52. weak | _____ |
| 53. lovely | _____ | _____ | 54. cheerful | _____ |
| 55. far | _____ | _____ | 56. long | _____ |
| 57. excited | _____ | _____ | 58. slow | _____ |