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Unit 4 ADJECTIVES, ADVERBS, CONJUNCTIONS, AND PREPOSITIONS

Lesson 31: Comparing with Adjectives (pp. 140–143)

Remember

An **adjective** has different forms for comparing. Use either *-er* or *more* to compare two people, places, things, or ideas. Use either *-est* or *most* to compare more than two items. When you add *-er* or *-est*, the spelling may change. Do not use *-er* or *-est* together with *more* and *most*.

Write the form of the adjective in parentheses that correctly completes each sentence.

1. Saturday is the _____ day of the week at our store. (busy)
2. Geneva bought the _____ pillows she could find. (soft)
3. Today's weather is _____ than yesterday's. (pleasant)
4. Pikes Peak is the _____ mountain in Colorado. (high)
5. Are dolphins _____ than whales? (intelligent)
6. Your second painting is _____ than your first. (lovely)
7. The whole class was caught in the storm but Allison got the _____. (wet)
8. Your costume is made of _____ material than mine. (thin)
9. Arizona has _____ scenery than my home state. (beautiful)
10. This is one of the _____ buildings in the world. (spectacular)
11. Next year, I'll plan a _____ project. (simple)
12. Which of you is _____, Gabe or Jerry? (hungry)
13. This is the _____ movie that I have ever seen. (scary)
14. The trunk of the elm tree is _____ than the oak's. (wide)
15. The art in the lobby was _____ than the art in the gallery. (impressive)