

## 4 Review and practice

- 1** Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives from the box.

bad ~~exciting~~ far ~~happy~~ old ~~quiet~~

Her CV says she is only twenty-three years old.

I thought she was older.

- This café is very noisy. Can we go somewhere quieter?
- That film sounds really boring. *Murder City* sounds worse.
- My job is quite good. It could be a lot more exciting.
- You seem happier today – you looked quite sad yesterday.
- The house was further from the station than I thought.

- 2** Complete the sentences with a comparative adjective and *not as ... as*.

Sarah is 1.65 metres. I am 1.70 metres. (tall)

I'm taller than Sarah. Sarah isn't as tall as me.

- The gold watch is €180. The silver watch is €100. (expensive)  
The gold watch ... is more expensive than the silver watch.
- The Brighton train leaves at 3:30 p.m. The London train leaves at 3:00 p.m. (late)  
The Brighton train ... leaves later than the London train.
- Health is very important to me. Money is not very important to me. (important)  
Health ... is more important than money.
- White bread tastes good. Brown bread tastes very good. (good)  
Brown bread ... tastes better than white bread.

- 3** Complete the sentences with the superlative form of the adjectives from the box.

expensive fast friendly hot long tall

That was the longest film I've ever seen. It lasted for four hours!

- This jacket cost €350. It was the most expensive one in the shop!
- August is usually the hottest month in the UK. The temperature goes up to around 24°C.
- Sam is the tallest boy in the class. He is nearly two metres tall.
- This is the fastest car I've ever had. It goes from 0–100 kilometres per hour in seven seconds.
- Michael is the friendliest man I've ever met. He loves to meet new people.

- 4** Write complete sentences. Use comparatives or superlatives.

She is/funny/person/my family

She is the funniest person in my family.

- Today was/hot/day/the year the hottest day in the year
- You are/much/brave/me much braver than me
- Harry is/intelligent/boy/his school the most intelligent boy in his school
- These jeans are/a bit/expensive/those ones a bit more expensive than those ones
- This is/old/house/the town the oldest house in the town
- She seems/a bit/happy/yesterday a bit more happy than yesterday
- It was/bad/shock/my life the worst shock in my life
- Greece is/much/hot/England/at the moment is much hotter than England

- 5** Add a word to each sentence to make it correct.

Can you tell me where the bathroom is?

- You know why he isn't home yet? at
- Do you know if I can pay by credit card?
- Can you tell me where I can find a garage?
- Can you tell whose car one this is, please?
- Do you know when the next train for Manchester leaves?

- 6** Write complete questions using the prompts.

What time/shops close? (Do you know ...)

- Do you know what time the shops close? where I can find a cafe
- where/find/cheap hotel? (Do you know ...) find a cheap hotel
  - internet café/near here? (Can you tell me ...) where the cafe is near here
  - we share/taxi to the airport? (Do you mind ...) if we share
  - I/borrow your phone? (Is it OK ...) if I borrow
  - need visa/go to Ireland? (Could you tell me ...) if I need visa to go to IE

- 7** Complete the sentences with the words from the box. There are three extra words.

achieve cope fear fit generous motivated push reliable rely

He is very motivated to practise the piano because he wants to be a professional musician.

- When he lived abroad, he found it difficult to cope with learning a new language.
- My best friend is really generous. She paid for the whole meal for everyone last night.
- It's important to control your fear when you have to give a speech or a presentation.
- You need to be very fit if you want to run the marathon next year.
- When I'm upset, I can always rely on my friends to make me feel better.