

Adjectives

COMPARING EQUAL

Comparing Equal - Introduction

The comparisons can be positive or negative.

When we compare adjectives, we use the form “as + adjective + as”.

If two adjectives are not equal, we say “not as + adjective + as”.

We can use comparisons when asking questions.

Comparing Equal – Examples #1

When we compare adjectives, we use the form “as + adjective + as”.

- Andy is *as tall as* his father now.
- Liz is *as pretty as* her sister.
- Bob is *as passionate about films as* Jim.

Comparing Equal – Examples #2

The equality comparisons can be positive or negative.

- Steve is *as tall as* his mother.
- He is *not as tall as* his father.

- Jenny is *as smart as* her sister.
- She is *not as smart as* her brother.

- The new flat is *as big as* the old one.
- My old car is *not as expensive as* my new one.

Comparing Equal – Examples #3

We can use comparisons when asking questions.

- Do you think Suzy is *as pretty as* her sister?
- Is your new house *as big as* your old one?
- Is Paul *as tall as* you?
- Did you find Rome *as interesting as* Paris?
- Is your new sofa *as comfortable as* your old one?
- Are the sales figures *as bad as* predicted?