**Comparative Adjectives**

> Compare two people or things (-er) [bigg**er**]

> The comparative is **3-3 (3rd declension[rex])** with one set of forms for the m/f, and one for the neuter

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|  |  | M / F | N |
| Singular | Nom | Laetior | Laetius |
| Singular | Acc | Laetior-em | Laetius |
| Singular | Gen | Laetior-is | Laetior-is |
| Singular | Dat | Laetior-i | Laetior-i |
| Singular | Abl | Laetior-e | Laetior-e |
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| Plural | Nom | Laetior-es | Laetior-a |
| Plural | Acc | Laetior-es | Laetior-a |
| Plural | Gen | Laetior-um | Laetior-um |
| Plural | Dat | Laetior-ibus | Laetior-ibus |
| Plural | Abl | Laetior-ibus | Laetior-ibus |

Xxx = Same for m/f as n

1. **– With `quam`**

Puer stultior quam canis

The boy is more stupid (stupider) than the dog

Xxx - Comparative

1. **– With an Ablative**

Puer stultior est cane

The boy is more stupid than the dog

Xxx – Ablative – Comparitor of the comparison

**Irregulars**

Good – Bonus

Better – Melior

Best - Optimus