

COMPARATIVES

Comparatives are a type of adjective or adverb used to compare two or more things, indicating the degree of difference between them. They are commonly used to show which thing has more or less of a particular quality than another. Here are some key points and examples:

1. **Comparative Adjectives:** These are used to compare two nouns (people, places, things, etc.).
 - *Structure:* adjective + "-er" or "more" + adjective
 - Examples:
 - She is **taller** than her sister.
 - This book is **more interesting** than the one I read yesterday.
2. **Comparative Adverbs:** These are used to compare the manner or degree of two actions or qualities.
 - *Structure:* adverb + "more" + adverb
 - Examples:
 - He runs **more quickly** than she does.
 - She sings **more beautifully** than anyone I know.
3. **Irregular Comparatives:** Some adjectives and adverbs have irregular comparative forms that do not follow the typical "-er" or "more" pattern.
 - Examples:
 - Good → Better (irregular)
 - Badly → Worse (irregular)

Here's a summary chart:

Type of Comparative	Structure	Example Sentences
Comparative Adjectives	adjective + "-er" or	She is taller than her sister.
	"more" + adjective	This book is more interesting than the one I read yesterday
Comparative Adverbs	adverb + "more" +	He runs more quickly than she does.
	adverb	She sings more beautifully than anyone I know.
Irregular Comparatives	Various irregular	The better option is to take a bus.
	forms	Her singing is worse than her speaking.

