

## LESSON 8

### READING

#### A hotel room

**Hotel clerk:** Good morning. May I help you?

**Rob:** Yes, I need a room for three nights.

**Hotel clerk:** Certainly. We have standard and deluxe rooms.

**Rob:** What's the difference?

**Hotel clerk:** Standard rooms are smaller than deluxe rooms.  
The beds in the deluxe rooms are bigger.

**Rob:** I guess the deluxe rooms are more expensive than the standard rooms.

**Hotel clerk:** Yes, of course.

**Rob:** The standard is fine for me. I don't have much money, so give me the cheapest room you have.



### Comprehension Questions

1. How long is Rob going to stay at the hotel?
2. What's the difference between standard and deluxe rooms?
3. How are the beds in the deluxe rooms?
4. What kind of room does Rob choose?

### NEW WORDS AND EXPRESSIONS

#### At a hotel -

**I need a room, please.**

**I'd like to book a room, please.**

**When for?**

**How many nights?**

**When are you checking in?**

**When are you checking out?**

**Check-in time is 3 p.m.**

**Check-out time is 10 a.m.**

**Hello. I have a booking**

**What kind of room do you prefer?**

**Is breakfast included in the rate?**

**Where is the lift?**

**Your room is on the first / second / third floor.**

Su habitación está en el primer / segundo / tercer piso.

#### En un hotel

Necesito una habitación, por favor.

Desearía reservar una habitación, por favor.

¿Para cuando?

¿Cuántas noches?

¿Cuándo se va a registrar?

¿Cuándo va a dejar el hotel?

Puede ingresar a la habitación a las 3 pm.

Debe dejar la habitación antes de las 10 am.

Hola. Tengo una reserva

¿Qué tipo de habitación prefiere?

¿El desayuno está incluido en la tarifa?

¿Dónde está el elevador?

hotel clerk	recepcionista	smaller than	más pequeño que
May I help you?	¿Lo puedo ayudar?	bigger	más grande
I need	Necesito	more comfortable	más cómodo
a room	una habitación	I guess...	Supongo...
for three nights	por tres noches	more expensive than	más caro / costoso que
single room	habitación simple	of course	por supuesto
double room	habitación doble	fine for me	bien para mí
Certainly	Por supuesto	much money	demasiado dinero
standard	standard	the cheapest	el más barato
deluxe	de lujo		

# ADJECTIVES

GOOD	Bueno	COLD	Frio	FAT	Gordo
BIG	Grande	HAPPY	Feliz	THIN	Delgado
SMALL	Pequeño	BEAUTIFUL	Hermoso	EASY	Fácil
BAD	Malo	OPEN	Abierto	HOT	Calor
HOT	Caliente	NEAR	Cerca	COLD	Frio
DELICIOUS	Delicioso	SAD	Triste	LIGHT	Ligero
SOFT	Suave	FREE	Gratis	RICH	Rico
DIRTY	Sucio	FULL	Lleno	POOR	Pobre
EMPTY	Vacio	FUNNY	Gracioso	CHEAP	Barato
FAR	Lejos	HARD	Duro	STRONG	Fuerte
CLOSED	Cerrado	YOUNG	Joven	WEAK	Débil
NEW	Nuevo	EXPENSIVE	Caro	WET	Mojado
OLD	Viejo	EARLY	Temprano	DRY	Seco
CLEAN	Limpio	FAST	Rapido	SHORT	Pequeño
STRONG	Fuerte	DARK	Obscuro	LONG	Grande
HEAVY	Pesado	LOUD	Fuerte	EMPTY	Vacio
HUNGRY	Hambriento	QUIET	Tranquilo	DIFFUCULT	dificil
INTERESTING	Interesante	SLOW	Lento	LAZY	Flojo
KIND	Amable	SMART	Inteligente	WORKING	Trabajador
LATE	Tarde	TALL	Alto		



# ADJECTIVES

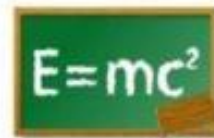
Match the words to the correct pictures and complete the crossword. Then find a secret message.



clean  
cold  
difficult  
dirty  
dry  
easy  
empty  
expensive  
fast  
fat  
happy  
heavy  
hot  
lazy  
light  
old  
poor  
slim  
slow  
wet  
young



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The secret message is \_\_\_\_\_.



## COMPARATIVE AND SUPERLATIVE

ADJECTIVE	COMPARATIVE	SUPERLATIVE
TALL	<i>TALLER</i>	<i>THE TALLEST</i>
INTERESTING		
BIG		
HAPPY		
SMALL		
EXPENSIVE		
THIN		
SHORT		
EXCITING		
FAT		
FANTASTIC		
COLOURFUL		
YOUNG		
NEW		
DELICIOUS		
OLD		

# ADJECTIVES

FIND THE OPPOSITES OF THE ADJECTIVES.



FAT



HAPPY



HOT



WET



LIGHT



SHORT



RICH



DIRTY



SMALL



EXPENSIVE



STRONG



DIFFICULT



FAST



TALL



LAZY

U	B	L	Y	F	C	R	O	P	S	W	E	A	K
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T	Y	N	C	H	E	A	P	O	D	E	R	N	O
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H	A	R	G	E	A	F	P	S	Y	G	I	T	E
O	L	C	O	L	D	S	W	I	Z	H	N	A	Q
S	H	O	R	T	U	W	I	N	E	W	G	R	S



OLD



EMPTY



# OPPOSITES WORDSEARCH

FIND THE OPPOSITE OF THESE ADJECTIVES



**WET**



**SLOW**



**THIN**



**EMPTY**



**POOR**



**STRONG**



**YOUNG**



**HEAVY**



**GOOD**



**DIFFICULT**



**HAPPY**



**COLD**



**SHORT**



**BIG**

# Comparatives and Superlatives

1. Write the comparatives and superlatives of these adjectives:

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
cold		
expensive		
easy		
good		
bad		

2. Fill in the blanks with the comparative form of the adjectives:



Elephants are \_\_\_\_\_ than cats. (heavy)

Whales are \_\_\_\_\_ animals in the world. (big)

Giraffes are \_\_\_\_\_ than dogs. (tall)

Tortoises are \_\_\_\_\_ than lions. (slow)

Gorillas are \_\_\_\_\_ than monkeys. (strong)

Sharks are \_\_\_\_\_ than fish (dangerous)

Parrots are \_\_\_\_\_ than owls. (noisy)

Dolphins are \_\_\_\_\_ animals in the world. (intelligent)

Koalas are \_\_\_\_\_ animals in the world. (lazy)

3. Make comparative sentences with these words:

Cheetahs – sheep (fast) \_\_\_\_\_

Ants – bees (small) \_\_\_\_\_

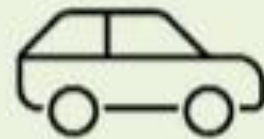
Hippos – tigers (fat) \_\_\_\_\_

Dogs – cats (obedient) \_\_\_\_\_





The circle is  than the square. (big)  
The square is  than the triangle. (small)  
The circle is the . (big)



The car is  than the bicycle. (fast)  
The car is  than the plane. (slow)  
The bicycle is the . (slow)



The green dog is   
than the orange dog. (tall)

The grey dog is   
than the orange dog. (short)

The grey dog is the . (short)



The boy is  than the man. (young)  
The woman is  than the man. (old)



# COMPARATIVES & SUPERLATIVES

- Read the text and solve the activities:

## Asian or African?

The African elephant is **bigger** and **heavier** than the Asian elephant. Some people also say that it is **stronger**. The African elephant is **taller** than the Asian elephant and it's got **longer** legs. The Asian elephant has got **smaller** ears than the African elephant and its tusks are **shorter**.

The Asian lion is **smaller** and **lighter** than the African lion. The male has got a **shorter, darker** mane. The African lion is **stronger** and **heavier** than the Asian lion. Some people also say that it is **fiercer**. The male has got a **longer, thicker** mane.



- Write T (True) or F (False) at the end of each sentence:

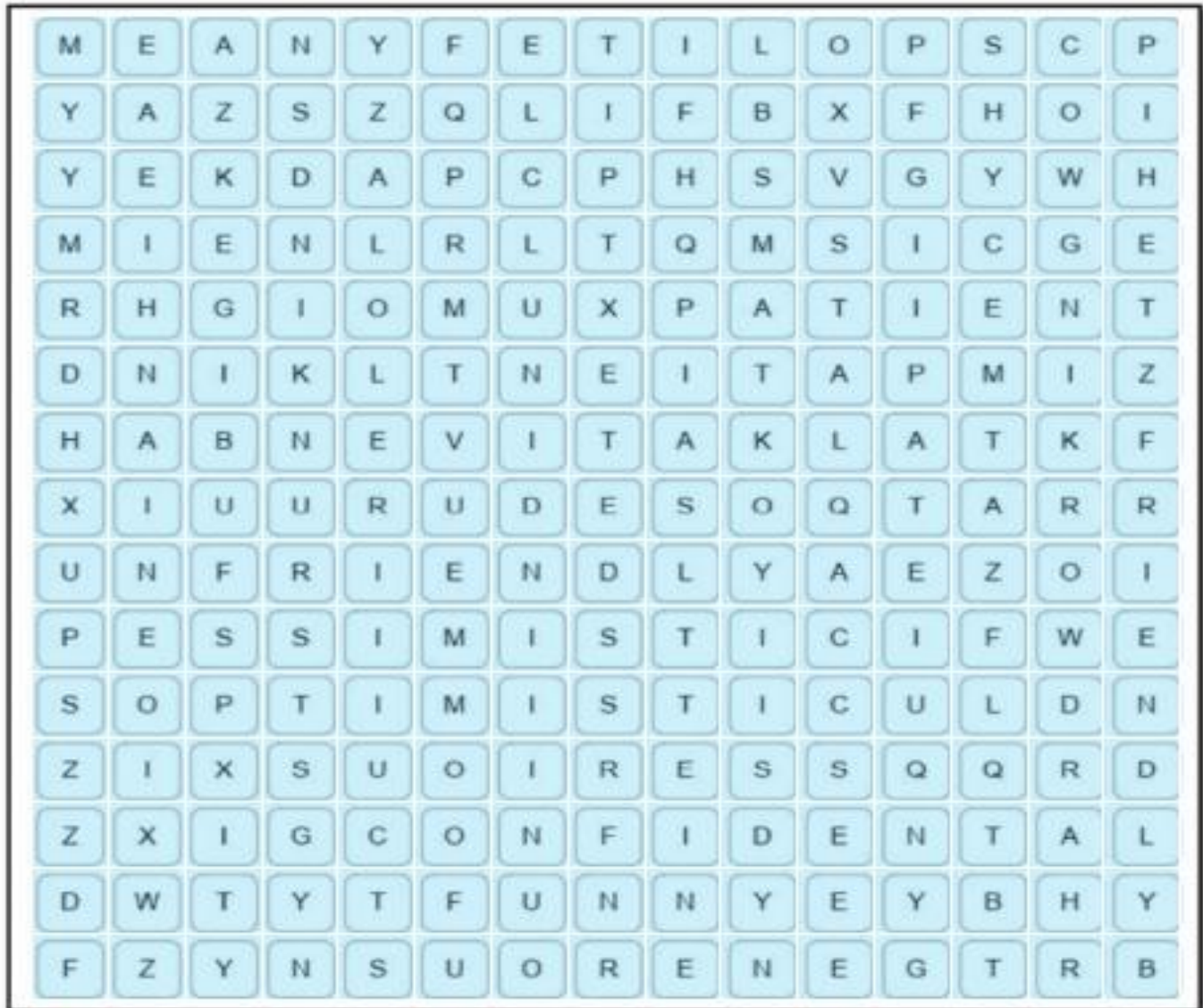
- The African elephant is smaller than the Asian elephant. ☐
- The Asian elephant's ears are smaller than the African's. ☐
- The African elephant has got longer tusks than the Asian elephant. ☐
- The Asian lion is darker than the African lion. ☐
- The African lion's mane is thicker than the Asian's. ☐
- The Asian lion is bigger than the African lion. ☐

- Answer the following questions:

- Which lion is the biggest?
- Which elephant is the tallest?
- Which lion has got the darkest mane?
- Which elephant has got the smallest ears?
- Which elephant has got the longest legs?
- Which lion is the strongest?
- Which is the fiercest lion?

# PERSONALITY ADJECTIVES

Find the hidden personality adjectives in this word search  
Words can go from left to right, from right to left, up or down. Good luck!



MEAN	QUIET	IMPATIENT
RUDE	LAZY	CONFIDENT
FUNNY	HARDWORKING	PATIENT
SHY	FRIENDLY	PESSIMISTIC
KIND	GENEROUS	TALKATIVE
UNFRIENDLY	OPTIMISTIC	SERIOUS
UNKIND	POLITE	





- a) tidy
- b) clean
- c) dirty



- a) expensive
- b) cheap
- c) ordinary



- a) boiling
- b) hot
- c) cold



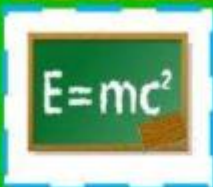
- a) slim
- b) plump
- c) thin



- a) wet
- b) dry
- c) thirsty



- a) happy
- b) shy
- c) worried



- a) simple
- b) easy
- c) difficult



- a) short
- b) long
- c) fat



- a) full
- b) empty
- c) light



- a) gaunt
- b) weak
- c) strong



- a) humid
- b) wet
- c) dry



- a) empty
- b) full
- c) dirty



- a) light
- b) heavy
- c) small



- a) salty
- b) bland
- c) spicy



- a) active
- b) lazy
- c) energetic



- a) tiny
- b) small
- c) big



- a) new
- b) old
- c) slow



- a) short
- b) tall
- c) high



- a) cold
- b) hot
- c) cool



- a) middle-aged
- b) young
- c) old



- a) poor
- b) full
- c) rich



- a) heavy
- b) fat
- c) slim



- a) happy
- b) sad
- c) cheerful



- a) easy
- b) difficult
- c) hard



- a) speedy
- b) fast
- c) slow





# Comparative and Superlative

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## Read and choose True or False

- 1 Tom is the tallest boy. ☐
- 2 Colin is faster than Tom. ☐
- 3 Billy is the fastest boy. ☐
- 4 Tom is slower than Colin. ☐
- 5 Billy is taller than Colin. ☐
- 6 Colin is the shortest boy. ☐



## Read and tick the correct answer

1 Which transport is faster?

a plane ☒

a car ☐

2 Which country is smaller?

the UK ☐

Russia ☐

3 What's the tallest animal?

a giraffe ☐

a hen ☐

a cow ☐

4 What's the slowest transport?

a train ☐

a plane ☐

a car ☐

5 What's the biggest country?

Russia ☐

Australia ☐

the USA ☐

6 What's the shortest animal?

a hen ☐

a horse ☐

a sheep ☐

## Complete using the comparative or superlative form of the verb s in brackets

- 1 The USA is bigger (big) than Spain.
- 2 Mount Everest is the  (high) mountain in the world.
- 3 Cars are  (fast) than bikes.
- 4 Grapes are  (small) than apples.
- 5 Lake Baikal is the  (deep) lake in the world.
- 6 Mice are  (slow) than cheetahs.

## Comparative and superlative adjectives: Exercises

1. Complete the chart with the **comparatives** and **superlatives**:

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
long	longer than	the longest
fast	faster than	
pretty		the prettiest
beautiful	more beautiful than	
ugly	uglier than	
thin		the thinnest
fashionable	more fashionable than	

2. Write the **comparative**:

- |              |       |            |  |
|--------------|-------|------------|--|
| a. old       | older | f. good    |  |
| b. strong    |       | g. large   |  |
| c. happy     |       | h. serious |  |
| d. modern    |       | i. pretty  |  |
| e. important |       | j. bad     |  |

3. Complete the sentences with a **superlative**:

- This building is very old. It's **the oldest building** in Bari.
- It was a very happy day. It was  of my life.
- It's a very good film. It's  I've seen.
- It was a very bad mistake. It was  in my life.
- It was a very cold day. It was  of the year.
- She's a popular singer. She's  in the country.
- He's a very boring person. He's  I know.
- This house is very big. It is  I've lived in.
- My cousin is very tall. He is  I have.
- Laura is a very pretty girl. She is  I know.

4. Choose the correct answer:

- Giovanni's car is **bigger** / the biggest than his friend's car.
- Who is **shorter than** / **the shortest** person in your family?
- Who is **more independent than** / **the most independent** person you know?
- These sofas are **more comfortable than** / **the most comfortable** ours.
- My brother is **taller than** / **the tallest** in the class.
- Is Daniele's dog **older than** / **the oldest** yours?
- Who is **the best** / **better than** singer in the world?

# Let Me Love You

DJ Snake

I used to believe  
We were burning on the edge of  
something  
Something beautiful  
Selling a dream  
Smoke and mirrors keep us waiting on  
a miracle  
On a

Say, go through the darkest of days  
Heaven's a heartbreak away  
Never let you go, never let me down  
Oh, it's been a hell of a ride  
Driving the edge of a  
Never let you go, never let me down

Don't you give up, nah-nah-nah  
I won't give up, nah-nah-nah  
Let me love you  
Let me love

Don't you give up, nah-nah-nah  
I won't give up, nah-nah-nah  
Let me love  
Let me love you  
(Oh, baby, baby)

Don't fall asleep  
At the wheel, we've got a million miles  
ahead of us  
Miles ahead of us  
All that we  
Is a rude awakening to know we're  
good enough (yeah)  
Know we're good enough

Say, go through the darkest of  
Heaven's a heartbreak away  
Never let you go, never let me down  
Oh, it's been a hell of a ride

Driving the edge of a  
Never let you go, never let me down

Don't you give up, nah-nah-nah  
I won't give up, nah-nah-nah  
Let me love you  
Let me love

Don't you give up, nah-nah-nah  
I won't give up, nah-nah-nah  
Let me love you  
Let me love you  
(Oh, baby, baby)

Whoa  
(Girl, never let you go) Wooh

Oh, nah-nah-nah-nah  
(Never let you go)  
Yeah, yeah (girl, never let you go)

Don't you  
I won't give up, nah-nah-nah  
Let me love you  
Let me love you

Don't you give up, nah-nah-nah  
I won't give up, nah-nah-nah  
Let me love  
Let me love you



# A 5 Minute Activity

## SPORTS

Write three words in each category.

1	Sports in water			
2	Outdoor sports			
3	Indoor sports			
4	Team sports			
5	Sports on ice			
6	Sports played with a racket			
7	Sports involving an animal			
8	Sports where you row			
9	Individual sports			
10	International Sports Events			
11	Sport equipment			
12	Sports with a ball			
13	Extreme sports			

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Class			Quiz		

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Key Version

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B ☐

C ☐

D ☐

E ☐

Teachers: Hold paper on flat surface when grading.  
Be aware of bright lights and shadows.

Students: Fill circles completely with black ink or pencil.  
Erase all stray marks completely.