## PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 4

## UNIT 3 GRAMMAR: STANDARD

Match the words to the form they take as regular comparative adjectives.

1	easy —	-er	6	beautiful
2	small		7	healthy
3	important	-ier	8	old
4	nice		9	expensive
5	husv	more	10	funny

Complete the table with the irregular comparative and superlative adjectives in the box.

best	better	further	furthest
more	most	worse	worst

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
good	better	the
bad		the
far		the
much		the

- Choose the correct words.
  - **1** My friend is *better / best* at science than I am.
  - 2 There are more sheep than / the people in Australia!
  - **3** Life is *busy / busier* now than in the 1960s.
  - 4 Our bad / worst family holiday was when our plane was delayed for a whole day!
  - **5** In my opinion, going to university is *most/more* important than leaving school young.
  - **6** My parents want to make the better / most of their retirement and travel the world.
- Complete the sentences with the comparative form of the adjectives.

1	The city of Mumbai in Toronto in Canada. (b		bigger	than
2	Spain is(hot)	than Scotla	and in sun	nmer.
3	The cost of living in Lo Cardiff. (expensive)	ondon is		than in
4	You must be England. (old)	than 1	7 to vote i	n
5	Greece is holiday. (popular)	than Gern	nany for a	beach
6	I think getting a drivir	ng licence is		thar

5	Complete the text with the superlative form of th
	adjectives.

The best (good) holiday I ever had was when I went to the USA with my family. We visited New York,
and it was <sup>2</sup> (far) I've ever travelled in my
life! I think it's 3 (exciting) city, with so
much to see and do. It's got some of 4
(tall) buildings in the world, called skyscrapers. It's got
one of 5 (long) underground train systems
in the world carrying millions of passengers every day,
and <sup>6</sup> (busy) station is Times Square.
(large) department store in the city is
Macy's, which has been open for more than a hundred
years. I love New York, but <sup>8</sup> (bad) thing
for me is all the traffic — so many cars everywhere! You
have to expect that in one of <sup>9</sup> (big) cities
in the world though! In fact, I think it's 10
(great) city on earth!
Tick (✓) the sentences that have the same meaning as

- the sentences in bold.
  - 1 Switzerland is a safer country than Mexico. Switzerland is more dangerous than Mexico.
  - Mexico isn't as safe as Switzerland. 2 University is harder than school. School is easier than university. University isn't as hard as school.
  - 3 Emily is more fashionable than Lucy. Lucy isn't as fashionable as Emily. Emily is less fashionable than Lucy.
  - 4 A watermelon is heavier than an apple. A watermelon isn't as heavy as an apple. An apple is lighter than a watermelon. -----
- 7 Look at the mistakes in bold and write the correct words.
- **1** The city isn't as **quieter** as the country. *quiet* 2 One day, the internet will be **more fast**.
  - 3 These are my five most closer friends.
  - 4 The shops in the city are the most better because you can buy things you can't find in smaller places.
  - 5 This bike doesn't go so fast as I'd like.
  - 6 I waited more longer than half an hour for my friend to arrive.

getting a degree. (easy)