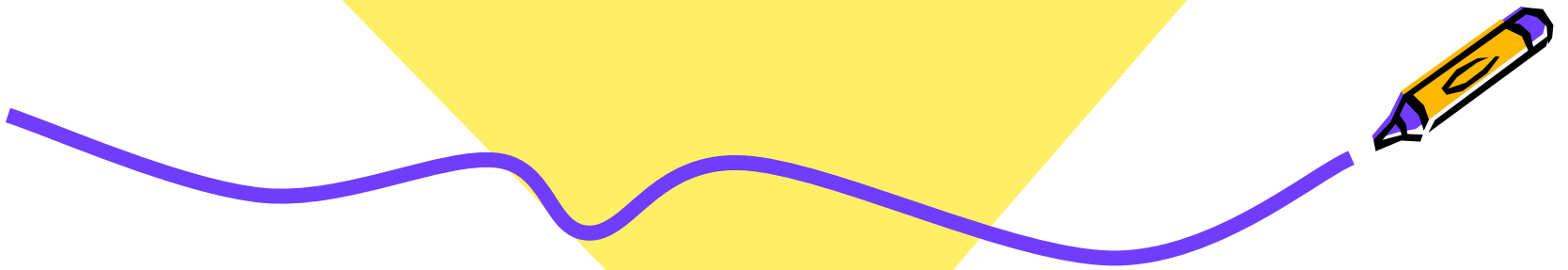




Comparative vs. Superlative



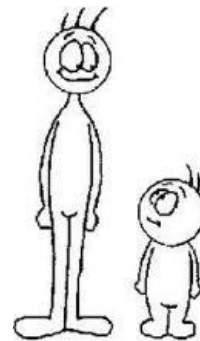
The Comparative is normally used if you want to compare **two** things, people, etc:



- When we compare using **short words** (one or two syllables), we add **-er + than** at the end of the adjective.

Ex.

- He is taller than me.
- My car is cheaper than your car.



- If an adjective ends in **one vowel** + **consonant**
(a,e,i,o,u) (b,c,d,f,g,h,j,k,l,m....)
we **double** the consonant and add **-er**

big - bigger

hot - hotter

thin - thinner

fat - fatter

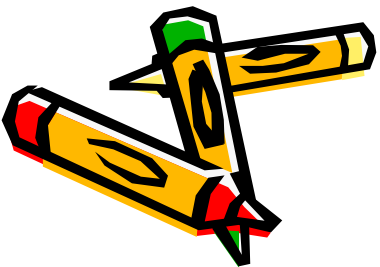
- If an adjective ends with a **-y**, we change it to **-i** and add **-er**

happy - happier

funny - funnier

easy - easier

ugly - uglier





➤ When we compare 2 things or people using **long words** (three or more syllables), we add

more + adjective + than

- Maria is **more** beautiful (adj) than Jennifer.
- This book is **more** interesting than that book.

Irregular words change:

good	=	better
bad	=	worse
far	=	further
little	=	less
more	=	much

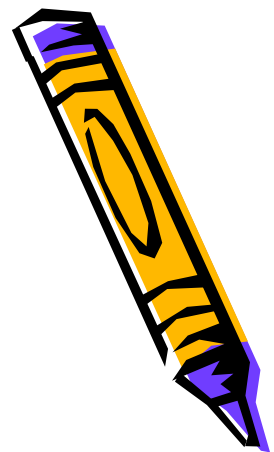
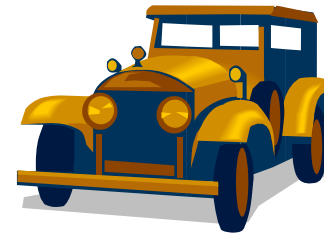
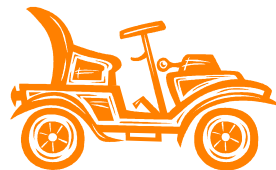


➤ If you want to compare **three or more** things, people, etc. you use the Superlative:

When using **short words** (one syllables), we add **the + adjective + -est**.

Ex:

Red car is **the fastest** of all / in the group



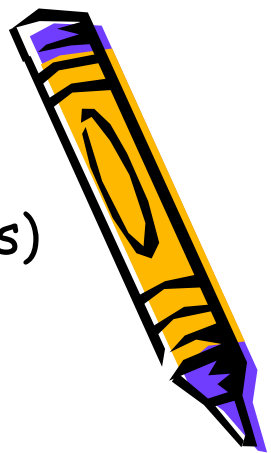
When using **long** words (three or more syllables)
we add **the most** + **adjective**

Ex:

He is **the most intelligent** student in the class.
She is **the most beautiful** girl in the world.

Irregular words change

Good	=	best
Bad	=	worst
Far	=	further
Little	=	least



Short Adjectives



No. Syllables	Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
1	short	shorter	the shortest
1	high	higher	the highest
1	cold	colder	the coldest
2	simple	simpler	the simplest
2	clever	cleverer	the cleverest



Long Adjectives



No of syllables	Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
4	interesting	more interesting	most interesting
3	beautiful	more beautiful	most beautiful
4	intelligent	more intelligent	most intelligent
3	expensive	more expensive	most expensive
3	dangerous	more dangerous	most dangerous



Write sentences using the words below:

interesting _____→

short _____→

far _____→

expensive _____→

easy _____→

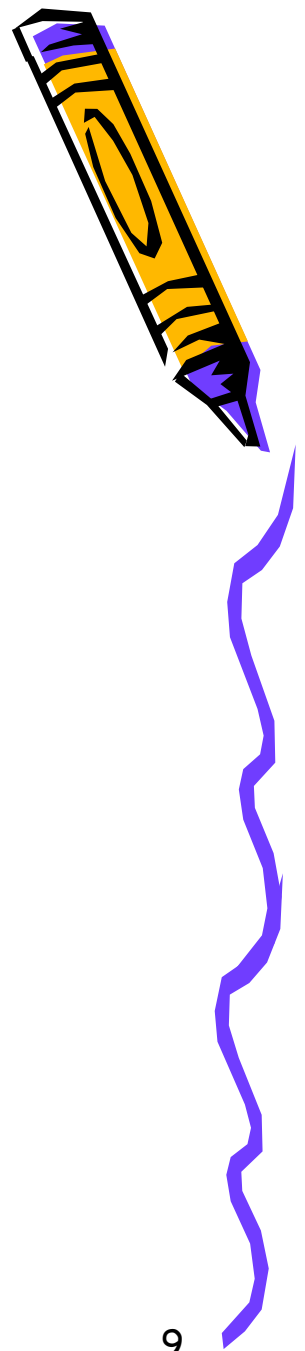
Small _____→

good _____→

high _____→

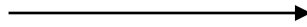
beautiful _____→

bad _____→

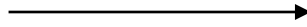


➤ Write the comparative form of the given adjectives:

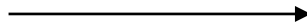
intelligent



funny



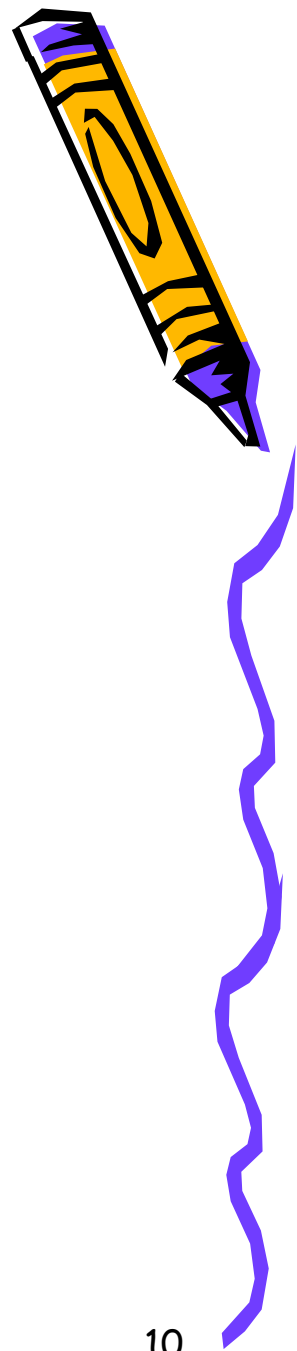
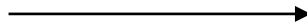
carefull



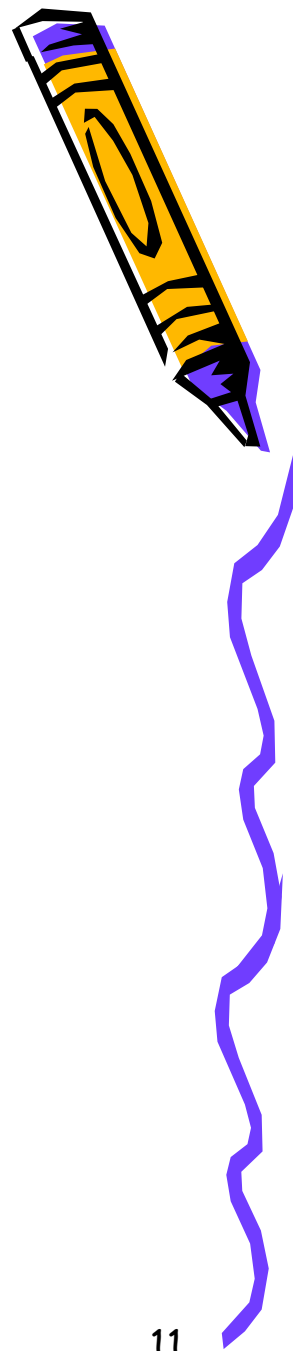
small



boring



➤ Write sentences using the words below:



creative _____→

tidy _____→

far _____→

important _____→

messy _____→

big _____→

good _____→

noisy _____→

handsome _____→

bad _____→

