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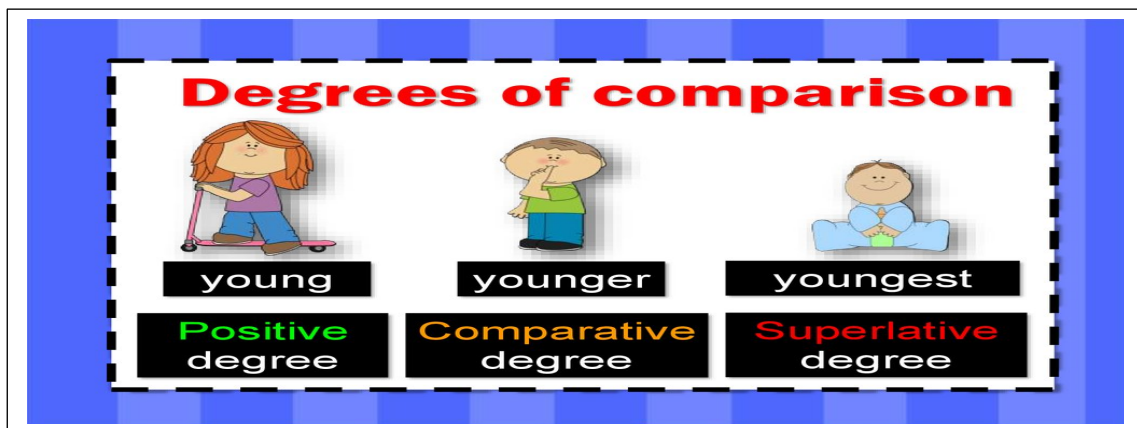
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ADJECTIVES-DEGREES OF COMPARISON

Degrees of Comparison are used when we compare one person or one thing with another. There are three Degrees of Comparison.



1. When we speak about **only one person or thing**. We use the **Positive degree**.

Example: Rumi is a young girl.

In this sentence we only speak about **one noun 'Rumi'**.

2. When we **compare two persons or two things with one another**. We use the **Comparative degree**.

Example: Rahul is younger than Rumi.

The term 'younger' is a comparative version of the term 'young'.

In this sentence we are **comparing two persons 'Rahul and Rumi'**.




3. When we **compare more than two persons or things with one another**. We use the **Superlative degree**.

Example: The baby is the youngest of all children.

The term 'youngest' is a superlative version of the term 'young'.

In this sentence we are **comparing more than two persons 'The baby and other children'**.

COMPARISON OF ADJECTIVES

Positive	Comparative	Superlative	
 big	 bigger	 biggest	
		(Note: Put THE before a superlative)	
One syllable	-er	-est	
	clear	clearer	clearest
	dark	darker	darkest
One syllable ending with -e	-r	-st	
	wise	wiser	wisest
	simple	simpler	simplest
Adjectives ending with one vowel and one consonant	-er	-est	
	thin	thinner	thinnest
	fat	fatter	fattest
Two syllables ending in -y	-er	-est	
	busy	busier	busiest
	merry	merrier	merriest
Three or more syllables	more +	most +	
	creative	more creative	most creative
	popular	more popular	most popular
Irregular Adjectives	good	better	best
	bad	worse	worst
	little	less	least
	much	more	most

1. Complete the table :

<u>Positive</u>	<u>Comparative</u>	<u>Superlative</u>
	Taller	Tallest
Long	Longer	
Deep		Deepest
Cold		
Cheap		
Bad		
	Bigger	
		Oldest
	Shorter	
		Most Dangerous
	More Expensive	
	Hotter	
	Richer	
		Heaviest
	More Exciting	
	Funnier	
	Sweeter	

	Easier	
		Most Difficult
Beautiful		

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