

Comparative Adjectives

Use

Use comparative adjectives to compare two people, places, or things.

Form

A. Chart

Number of Syllables	Form	Example
one	Adj + -er	tall + - <i>er</i> = taller
two (ending in -y)	-y changes to -i + -er	
two (not ending in -y)	more + Adj	more + famous = more famous
three or more	more + Adj	<i>more</i> + beautiful = more beautiful

B. Examples

- 1. Maria is **taller than** Jack.
- 2. I feel **happier** today **than** I did yesterday.
- 3. The lead actor on that show is **more famous than** the lead actress.
- 4. Sunsets at the beach are **more beautiful than** sunsets in the city.