**1 Put the adjective in brackets into the comparative**.

1. The beach is *hotter* than the city. (hot)
2. Madrid is than Mexico City. (small)
3. Flowers are than grass. (nice)
4. My sister is than me. (young)
5. Trees are than flowers. (tall)
6. My garden is than the forest. (new)
7. Today I am than my brother. (happy)

**2 Complete the comparative sentences with the correct form of the adjectives in the box.**

clean dirty hard hot ~~old~~ young

1. My father is *older than* my mother.
2. I think maths is Italian.
3. Italy is Scotland – it's in the south of Europe.
4. The sea here is the river in my  
   city – it's nicer to swim in.
5. My mother is my father.
6. The city is the countryside.

**3 Complete the comparative sentences with the correct form of *be* and the adjective in brackets.**

1. Paris *is more expensive than* Rome. (expensive)
2. Your pictures mine. (unusual)
3. Museums parks. (interesting)
4. The countryside cities. (exciting)
5. Smartphones tablets. (expensive)
6. The Internet TV. (popular)

**4 Use these adjectives to complete the comparisons.**

boring hot ~~important~~ interesting short unusual

1. English is *more important than* art.
2. My sister is s me.
3. The city is i the countryside.
4. Gardens are b forests.
5. The beach is h the mountains.
6. Underwater sports are u mountain sports.

**5 Put the words in order to make sentences.**

* 1. more /is /The President / famous /my/than / teacher  
      *The President is more famous than my teacher* .
  2. is / more / New York / than / interesting / town / my  
      .
  3. beautiful / forest / grass / more / is / than / A  
      .
  4. history is / than / my / important / opinion, / more / In / science  
      .
  5. more / computer games / TV / fun / I / are / than / think  
      .
  6. more / football / Tennis / exciting / than / is  
      .

**PRONUNCIATION | *than***

**6 Listen and cross out the incorrect /a/ sound in each sentence.**

1. I’m younger than my sister.



**11**

## */Ə/ /Ə/ ~~/~~Ə~~/~~ /Ə/*

1. Carl’s house is prettier than my house.

## */Ə/ /Ə/ /Ə/*

1. My book is newer than Rosa’s book.

## */Ə/ /Ə/ /Ə/ /Ə/*

1. I think history is harder than French.

## */Ə/ /Ə/ /Ə/*

1. My bedroom is bigger than my brother’s bedroom.

## */Ə/ /Ə/ /Ə/ /Ə/*

1. It’s hotter here in July than in December.

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**7 Complete Victor’s blog with one word in each gap.**

This is a photo of my family! We’re very different. I’m   
**1** *taller* than my sisters, but my dad is shorter

**2** my mum. My brother has **3**

unusual hobbies than me. I like football, but he likes going to museums! Our country is cold so we go on holiday to **4** countries. My home town is small so we like visiting **5** cities. We always travel in summer because there’s no school.

We **6**  travel in September because I have to go to school again. We like **7** t to different cities and **8** in different restaurants.

**1**

1. smaller
2. nicer
3. younger
4. taller
5. newer
6. happier

# 2

1. harder than
2. hotter than
3. cleaner than
4. younger than
5. dirtier than

# 3

1. are more unusual than
2. are more interesting than
3. is more exciting than
4. are more expensive than
5. is more popular than

# 4

1. shorter than
2. more interesting than
3. more boring than
4. hotter than
5. more unusual than

# 5

1. New York is more interesting than my town.
2. A forest is more beautiful than grass.
3. In my opinion, history is more important than science.
4. I think computer games are more fun than TV.
5. Tennis is more exciting than football.

**PRONUNCIATION | *than***

**6**



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**7**

1. than
2. more
3. hotter
4. bigger
5. never
6. travelling
7. eating