

The degrees of comparison

Степени сравнения
прилагательных
7 класс

Положительная степень	Сравнительная степень	Превосходная степень
2 слога и меньше		
	+er	+ theest
Short короткий	Shorter короче	The shortest самый короткий
Long длинный	Longer длиннее	The longest самый длинный
3 слога и больше		
	+ more	+ the most
Beautiful красивый	More beautiful красивее	The most beautiful самый красивый
Interesting интересный	More interesting интереснее	The most interesting самый интересный

Чтобы сравнить предметы или объекты, нам поможет союз **THAN-ЧЕМ**

Только в сравнительной степени.

- This book is shorter than that one.
- Эта книга короче, чем та.
- This book is the shortest.
- Эта книга самая короткая.
- This doll is more beautiful than that one.
- Эта кукла красивее, чем та.
- This book is the most interesting in the world.
- Эта книга самая интересная в мире.

Исключения

Положительная степень	Сравнительная степень	Превосходная степень
Good	Better	The best
Little	Less	The least
Old	Older старее Elder старше	The oldest самый старый The eldest самый старший
Far	Farther Further	The farthest физич. расст. The furthest дальн. инф.
Bad Much\many	Worse More	The worst The most

I live farther from school than Pete. Я живу дальше от школы, чем Петя

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Заполните таблицу

положительная	Сравнительная (+er)	Превосходная (the ...+est)
fat		
dirty		
clean		
warm		
cold		
nice		

Compare

- 1. These jeans are ____ than those. (good)
- 2. These dolls are ____ than those. (good)
- 3. This dress is _____ than that jacket. (little)
- 4. His bike is _____ than her. (bad)
- 5. Jim is a _____ student than Alex. (good)
- 6. This picture is _____ than that picture. (bad)
- 7. This pig is _____ than that dog. (bad)
- 8. These fish are ____ than those. (good)
- 9. This snowman is ____ than that. (bad)
- 10. Mr. Black is a ____ businessman than Mr. White.
(bad)

1. We should eat (healthy) food.
2. It's the (bad) mistake he has ever made.
3. Asia is (large) than Australia.
4. Which building is the (high) in Moscow?
5. The Alps are (high) than the Urals.

1. Today the streets aren't as (clean) as they used to be.
2. This man is (tall) than that one.
3. The Volga is (short) than the Mississippi.
4. Mary is a (good) student than Lucy.
5. This garden is the (beautiful) in our town.

6. She speaks Italian (good) than English.

7. The Thames is (short) than the Volga.

8. Chinese is (difficult) than English.

9. She is not so (busy) as I am.

10. She is not so (fond) of sports as my brother is.

6. Is the word “newspaper” (long) than the word “book”?

7. The Arctic Ocean is (cold) than the Indian Ocean.

8. Spanish is (easy) than German.

9. It is as (cold) today as it was yesterday.

10. Today the weather is (cold) than it was yesterday.

11. This book is (interesting) of all I have read this year.

12. My sister speaks English (bad) than I do.

13. Which is the (beautiful) place in this part of the country?

14. He was the (fat) man in the village.

15. As he went on, the box became (heavy) and (heavy).

11. January is the (cold) month of the year.

12. Which is the (hot) month of the year?

13. This good-looking girl is the (good) student in our group.

14. Her eyes are (grey) than mine.

15. Who is the (attentive) student in your group?

Другие средства сравнения двух предметов или лиц

Конструкция	Комментарий	Примеры
as...as (такой же, так же)	для сравнения двух объектов одинакового качества	He is as strong as a lion. Он такой же сильный, как лев. She is as clever as an owl. Она такая же умная, как сова.
not so...as (не такой, как)	в отрицательных предложениях	He is not so strong as a lion. Он не такой сильный, как лев. She is not so clever as an owl. Она не такая умная, как сова.
the...the (с двумя сравнительными степенями)	показывает зависимость одного действия от другого	The more we are together the happier we are. Чем больше времени мы (проводим) вместе, тем счастливее мы становимся. The more I learn this rule the less I understand it. Чем больше я учу это правило, тем меньше я его понимаю.

Особые замечания об употреблении сравнительных и превосходных степеней имен прилагательных:

- Сравнительная степень может быть усилена употреблением перед нею слов со значением **гораздо, значительно**:

His new book is **much more** interesting than the previous one. Его новая книга гораздо более интересная, чем предыдущая.

This table **is more** comfortable than **that one**. Этот стол более удобный, чем тот.

- После союзов **than** и **as** используется либо личное местоимение в именительном падеже с глаголом, либо личное местоимение в объектном падеже:

I can run **as fast as him** (as he can). Я могу бегать так же быстро, как он.

Translate into Russian:

1. English is as difficult as German.
2. My composition is not long as yours.
3. It isn't as warm today as it was yesterday.
4. The house his aunt lives in as old as the one his uncle lives in.
5. His apartment isn't as elegant as her apartment, but it's much bigger.
6. Johnny isn't as rich as Don but he is younger and much happier.

7. My dog isn't as friendly as your dog.
8. You can eat as much as you like.
9. A football match isn't as exiting as a hockey match.
10. The hotel isn't as cheap as we expected.
11. His songs aren't as popular as the Beatles songs.
12. Her brother is as intelligent as his wife.