

WINTER HOLIDAY LESSON



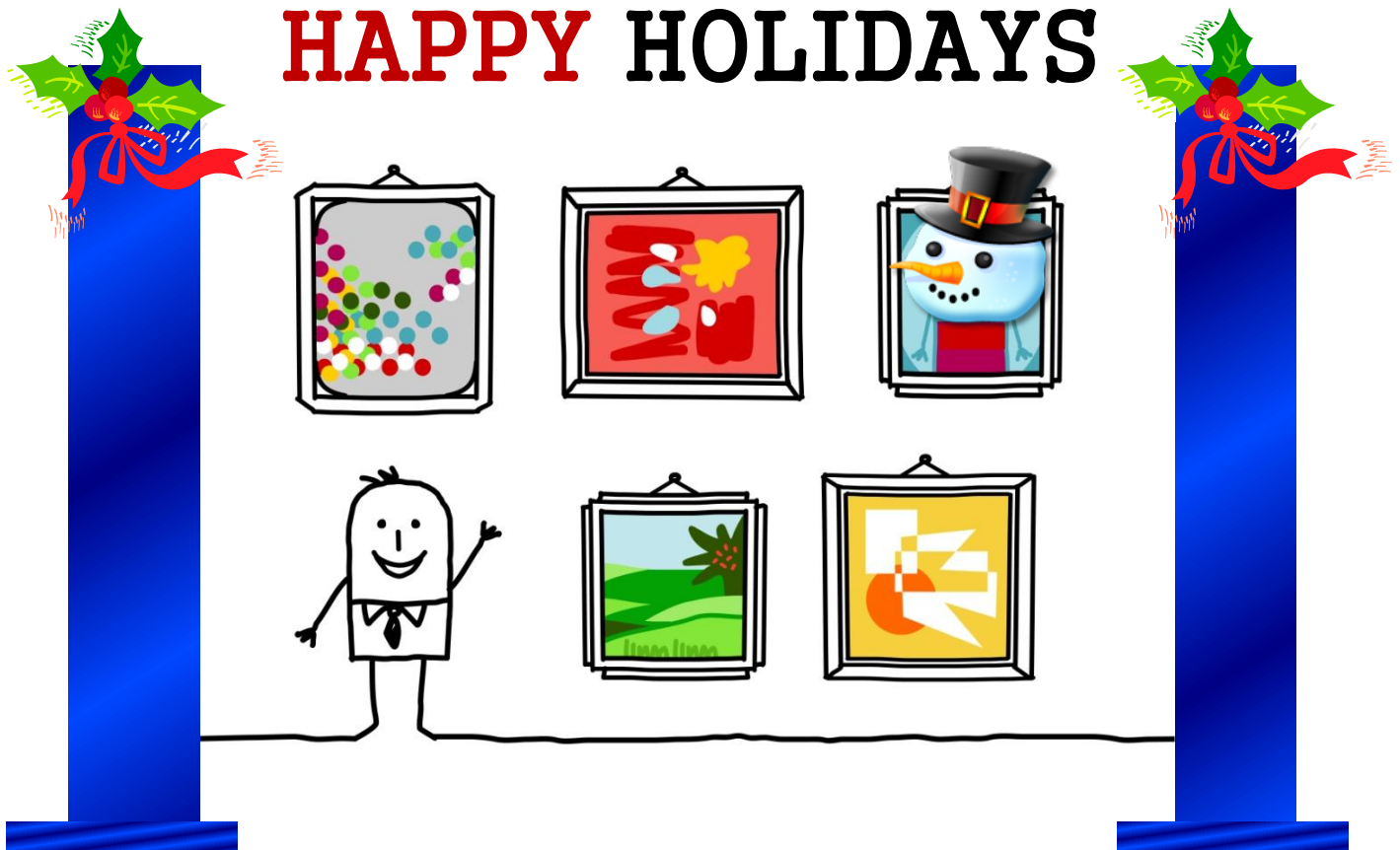
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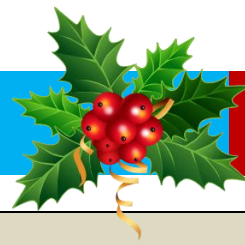
Education is the best present any of us can give or receive. During this holiday season, we thank you for your dedication to teaching grammar to new generations of students. It is a priceless gift! As an expression of our gratitude, please accept this special Winter Holiday Grammar Gallery Lesson.

You can use the chart, images, and student worksheet on the following pages to have your students practice creating oral or written sentences using comparative adjectives. You'll find examples on the following page.

Happy Holidays!
The Grammar Gallery Team




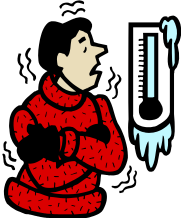








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Comparative Adjectives

A comparative adjective is a specialized adjective. Comparative adjectives compare one person, place, or thing with another.

How to Form the Comparative	Examples
With most adjectives, add -er to the end of the adjective.	  cold → colder
With adjectives that are one syllable and end with a vowel and then a consonant, double the consonant and add -er .	  big → bigger
With adjectives that are one syllable and end with an -e , add -r .	  cute → cuter
With adjectives that have two syllables and end with -y , change the -y to -i and add -er .	  happy → happier
With adjectives that are two syllables or more and do <u>not</u> end with -y , use more before the adjective.	  beautiful → more beautiful
Some adjectives are irregular and do not follow any of these rules.	good > better bad > worse little > less far > farther

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DIRECTIONS: Create a comparative sentence for each set of pictures using the words above the pictures.

Example:

winter / spring / cold



Winter is colder than spring.

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today/yesterday/warm

68°

Temperature
Today

64°

Temperature
Yesterday

dog/cat/loud



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snowman/trees/short



lights/bird/colorful



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Directions: Write a sentence comparing each picture to another person, place, or thing. Underline the comparative adjective in each sentence.



Example:

Fall is chillier than summer.



