

COMPARATIVE ADJECTIVES

We use the comparative to compare two people, places or things.

- Short adjective + ER.
old □ *older*
young □ *younger*
- CVC + ER (the final consonant is doubled)
big □ *bigger*
hot □ *hotter*
- Short adjective ended in -Y □ -IER
easy □ *easier*
heavy □ *heavier*

- Long adjective: MORE + long adjective
exciting □ *more exciting*
beautiful □ *more beautiful*
- Irregular adjectives
good □ *better*
bad □ *worse*
Far □ *farther*
Little □ *less*
Much/many □ *more*
- We use THAN after the comparative form of the adjective.
John is taller than Mary.
A Ferrari is more expensive than a Fiat.