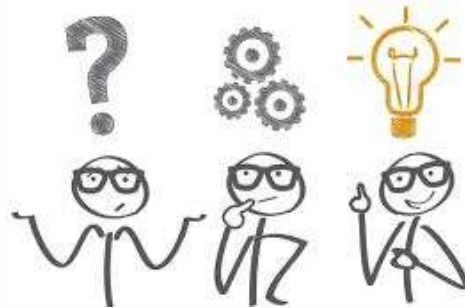


TOUCHSTONE 3

Unit 3-A

Superlatives

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Comparisons

The nouns to be compared have to share the same adjective.

- Lima is more crowded than Huancayo. (Comparative)
- Lima is the most crowded city in Peru. (Superlative)



There are 2 kinds of comparisons, COMPARATIVE and SUPERLATIVE.



Let's go over the **Superlatives**

- Your father is the most interesting person I know.
- Trujillo has been the cleanest city in Peru so far.
- My cousin is the funniest person in our family.
- December was our worst month economically speaking.

It doesn't matter
the tense but the
description

I am the funniest person I
know.





Uses

Adjectives with 1 or 2 syllables:

- We want to be **the smartest** students when we get 18.
- These are **the smallest** cups in that cupboard.
- Is Lima **the biggest** city in Peru?

No, it isn't.

CONSONANT +
VOWEL +
CONSONANT,
double the final
consonant before
the suffix -ER

Use the suffix -
EST after the
adjective



Uses

Use THE MOST
before the
adjective

Adjectives with 2 syllables or more:

- My wife is **the most beautiful** person in the whole universe.
- We have **the most exciting** traditions in all over the world.
- What is **the most expensive** product you've ever bought?

My laptop was **the most expensive** for a lot.





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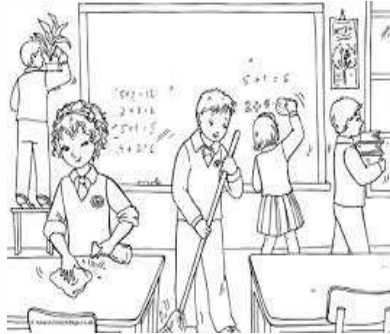
Use the suffix
-IEST after the
adjective

Adjectives ending in Y:

- Are you **the happiest** person in your family?

Of course I am.

- That is **the craziest** idea you have ever had.
- Those are **the tidiest** students in all the school.





Uses

Irregular adjectives:

- Who was **the best** teacher you had in high school?
It was my math teacher. (**good**)
- This is **the worst** moment in my life. (**bad**)
- **The farthest** place from here is the Antarctic. (**far**)

Use a new
different form of
the SUPERLATIVE





Some adjectives



- Nice **the** nicest
- Fat **the** fattest
- Easy **the** easiest
- Friendly **the** friendliest
- Peaceful **the** most peaceful
- Wonderful **the** most wonderful
- Good **the** best
- Bad **the** worst

It is important to use the article **THE** for using **SUPERLATIVES**.



The most + Nouns

- This city has the most tourist places **in the area**.
- Who has the most trophies **in all your faculty**?
My sister does.
- This is the most money you can get from a bank **in all this town**.



It's important to mention the UNIVERSE we refer to.

*Thank
you*



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