

COMPARATIVES & SUPERLATIVES

Lesson Objectives

- Students will learn to use comparative adjectives to compare two things.
- Students will understand how to use "than" for comparisons.
- Students will learn to use superlative adjectives with "the" to describe the extreme quality in a group.

Target Language

- Comparative: bigger than, younger than, older than
- Superlative: the biggest, the youngest, the oldest

Vocabulary

- Comparative adjectives: bigger, younger, older, smaller, slower, faster, higher
- Superlative adjectives: the biggest, the youngest, the oldest, the smallest, the slowest, the fastest, the highest

Grammar Explanation

Comparative Adjectives

- Used to compare two things.
- Sentence structure: Subject + verb + comparative adjective + than + object.
- Examples:
 - John is taller than Mike.
 - This book is more interesting than that one.

Superlative Adjectives

- Used to describe the extreme quality in a group.
- Sentence structure: Subject + verb + the + superlative adjective + noun.
- Examples:
 - $_{\odot}$ $\,$ John is the tallest in our class.
 - $_{\odot}$ This is the most exciting movie I've ever seen.