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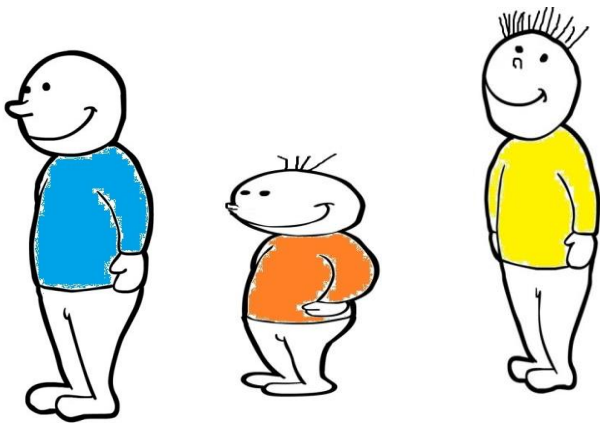
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El objetivo de esta guía es que los estudiantes comprendan el uso de superlativos para comparar más de dos personas o cosas y puedan diferenciar cuando usar comparativos y superlativos. Para dudas que tengan pueden escribirme un correo a esta dirección: yorka.sepulveda.pulmahue@gmail.com, escribiendo en el asunto el nombre de él o la estudiante y su curso, el horario para correos es de 9am a 7pm. Cualquier consulta sobre los contenidos y asignatura será respondida y también en caso de que necesiten material extra. Plazo para entrega de guía viernes 10 de julio hasta las 2pm

O.A: Comprender usos de superlativos en comparaciones

O.A2: Diferenciar usos y formas de comparativos y superlativos



USE: The superlative is used to compare one member of a group with the whole group (including the member).

FORM:

Short adjectives: the + adjective + -est

Long adjectives: the most + adjective

Irregular adjectives:

good - the best

bad - the worst

far - the farthest/ the furthest

Henry

David

Tom

Spelling rules (relevant for short adjectives):

Adjectives ending in -e:

add only -st

e.g. wide - the widest

Adjectives ending in consonant + -y:

change the y into i and add -est

e.g. pretty - the prettiest

Adjectives ending in consonant, vowel, consonant (stress on the last syllable):

double the final consonant and add -est

e.g. slim - the slimmest

It's your turn now. Answer about the picture above.

1. Who's the tallest?

-----TOM-----

2. Who's the thinnest?

3. Who's the shortest?

4. Who has got the spikiest hair?

5. Who has got the biggest nose?

6. Who has got the smallest nose?

7. Who has got the fewest hair?

Answer the questions about your family. Use the superlative.

1. Who is the tallest? -----
2. Who is the thinnest? -----
3. Who has got the curliest hair? -----
4. Who has got the strongest muscles? -----
5. Who has got the longest name? -----
6. Who has got the largest shoe? -----
7. Who is the most understanding? -----
8. Who is the most punctual? -----
9. Who is the funniest? -----
10. Who is the most hard-working? -----

Fill in the table below with the superlative of the adjectives given.

ADJECTIVE	SUPERLATIVE	ADJECTIVE	SUPERLATIVE
1. rich		9. dirty	
2. poor		10. cheap	
3. wet		11. safe	
4. long		12. attractive	
5. young		13. understanding	
6. old		14. beautiful	
7. good		15. intelligent	
8. bad		16. attentive	

Choose the correct form, either the comparative or the superlative, in each sentence.

1. In my opinion Mahatma Gandhi is **[more peaceful than / the most peaceful]** man of the 20th century.
2. My oldest daughter is **[more peaceful than / the most peaceful]** my youngest.
3. Football is **[more popular than / the most popular]** sport in Europe.
4. A snail is **[slower than / the slowest]** a cat.
5. The snail is **[slower than / the slowest]** animal I know.
6. My cat is **[more intelligent than / the most intelligent]** my dog.
7. Playing chess is **[more difficult than / the most difficult]** playing monopoly.
8. Drinking water is **[healthier than / the healthiest]** drinking coke.
9. I married **[healthier than / the healthiest]** man on earth!
10. What's **[faster than / the fastest]** animal you know?
11. My handwriting is **[more beautiful / the most beautiful]** my sister's.
12. Kelly Slater is one of **[more beautiful than / the most beautiful]** men in the world