



The Superlative Form

The Superlative

What is the superlative form?

Can you give me some examples?

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For example

The elephant is the biggest animal.

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1. 1-syllable words
2. 3-syllable words
3. 2-syllable words
4. Irregular adjectives

The Superlative

old



The Superlative

old **EST**



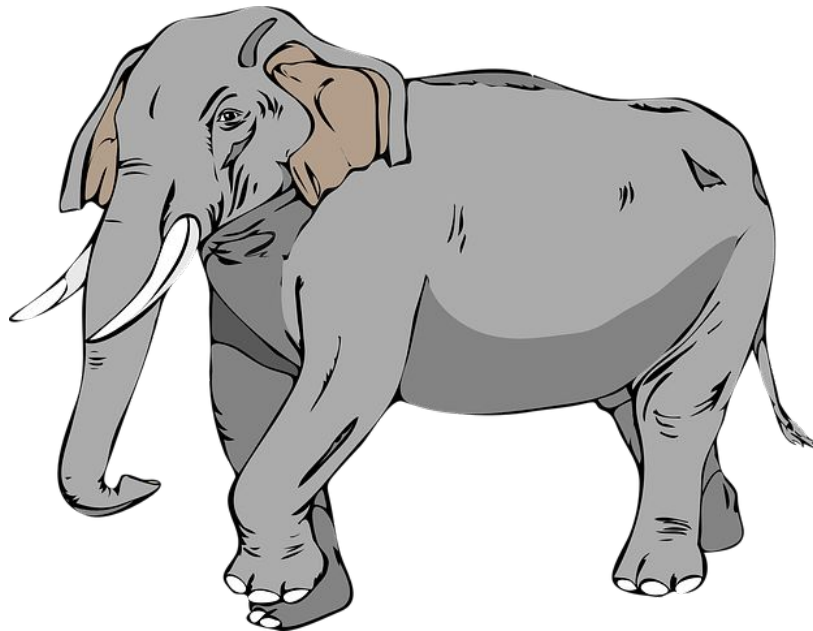
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My grandfather is **the oldest**.

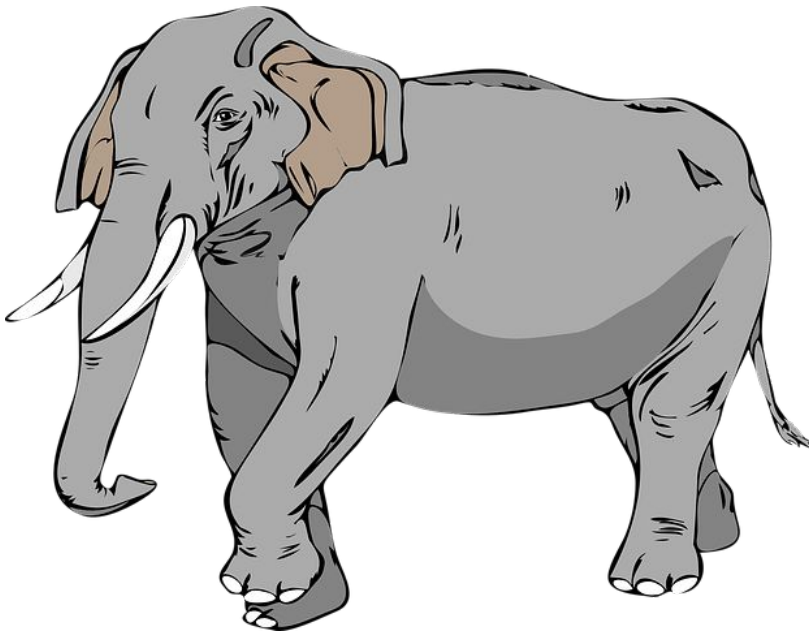
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large

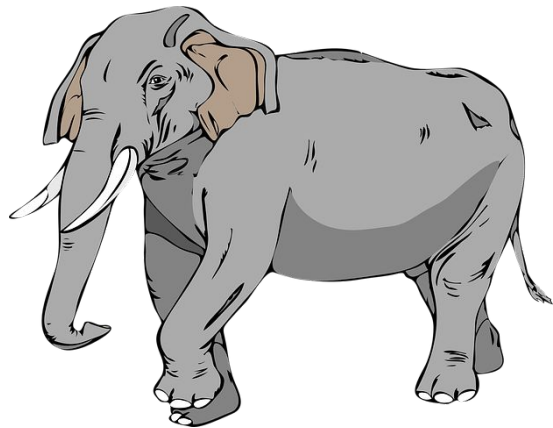


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large**ST**



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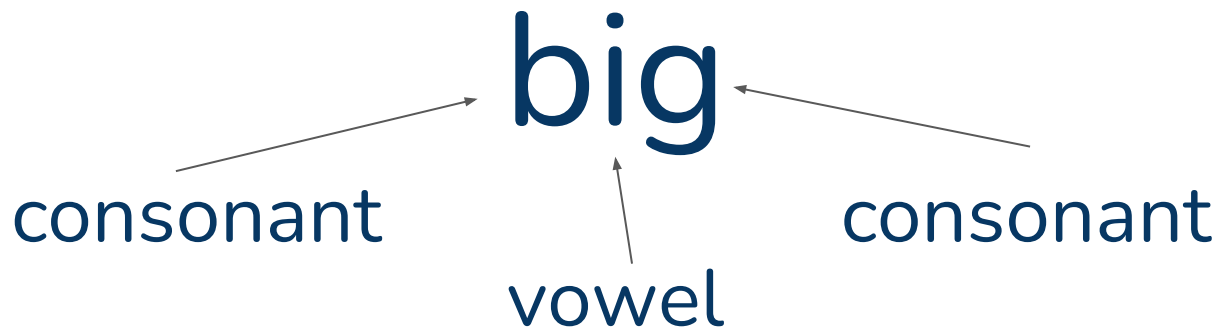
The **largest** animal
is the elephant.

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big



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The Superlative

bigg EST



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My house is **the biggest**
one on the street.

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1. 1-syllable words
2. 3-syllable words
3. 2-syllable words
4. Irregular adjectives

The Superlative

comfortable

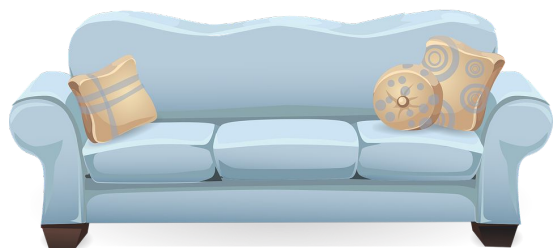


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MOST
comfortable



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This is the most comfortable sofa in my house.

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1. 1-syllable words
2. 3-syllable words
3. 2-syllable words
4. Irregular adjectives

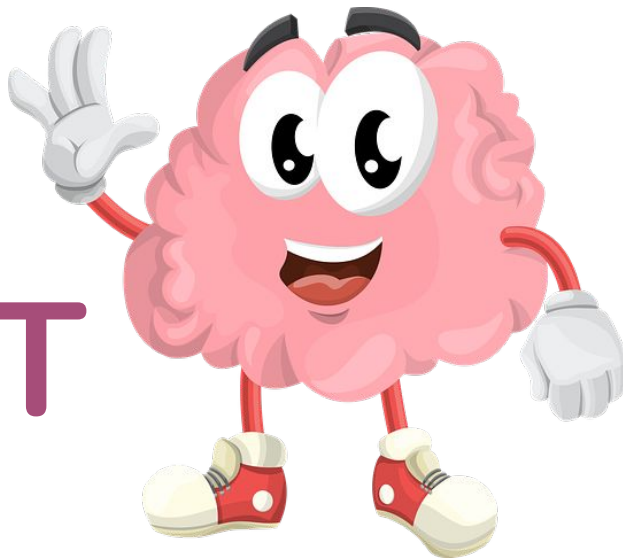
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clever



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clever **EST**



MOST
clever

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I am **the cleverest**
student in my class.

I am **the most clever**
student in my class.

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happy



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happ~~x~~



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happ IEST



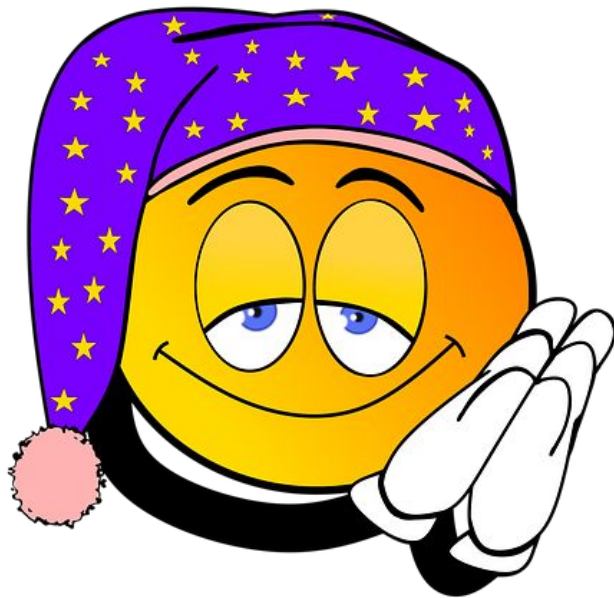
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I am the happiest person in
the world.

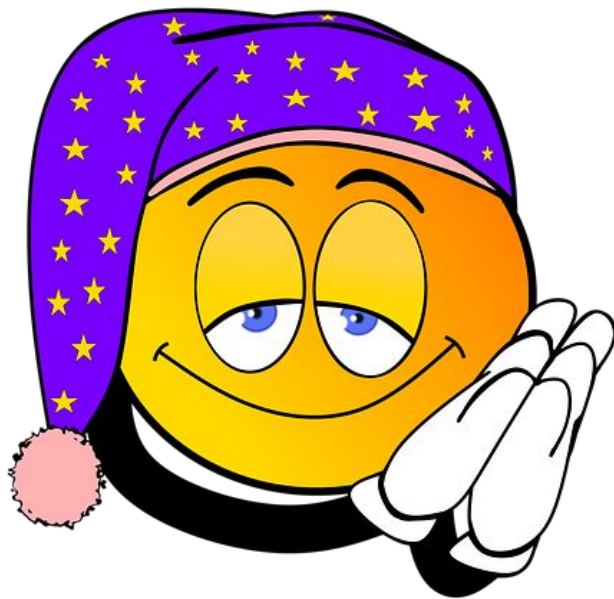
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tired

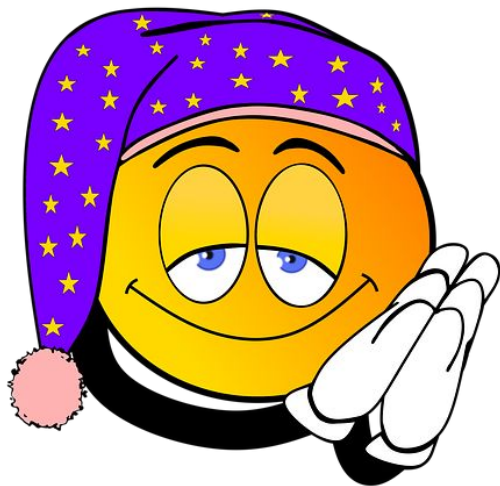


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MOST
tired



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I am **the most tired**
in my family.

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ED	tired
FUL	peaceful
ING	boring
LESS	useless
IVE	alive
OUS	nervous



The Superlative

good



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good



best

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I am the best at maths.

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bad



The Superlative

bad



worst

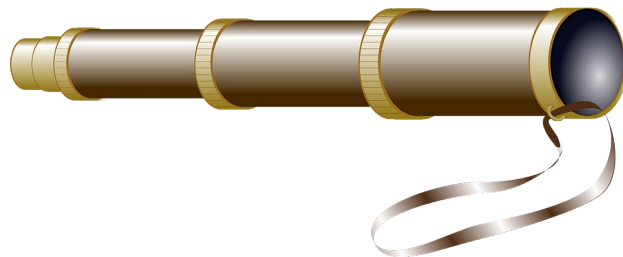
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I have had the worst day
ever!

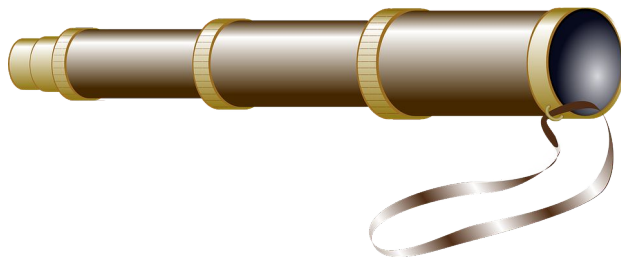
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far



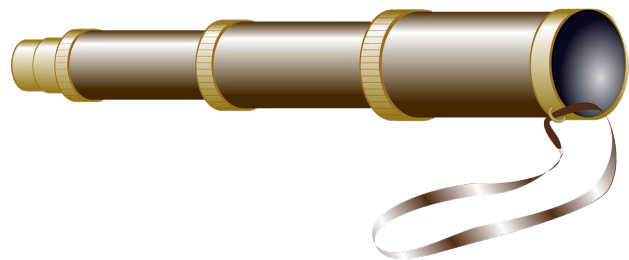
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far



farthest
furthest

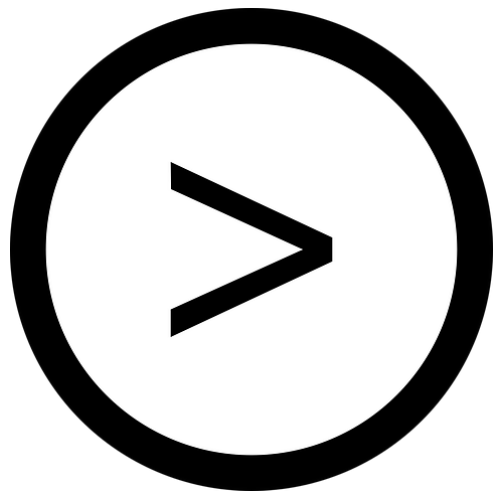
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Between me and my 4 siblings, I live the furthest from the city.

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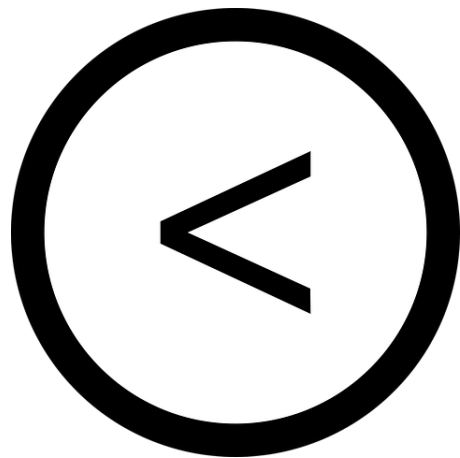
many



most

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little



least

Review



REVIEW

Rule		Example
1-syllable *Ends in E *Ends in CVC	+ EST + ST + Double C + EST	old → oldest large → largest big → biggest
3-syllables	most + adjective	comfortable → most comfortable
2-syllables *Ends in Y *Ends in ED/FUL/LESS/ING/IVE/OUS	either + EST or most + adj eliminate Y + IEST most + adj	clever → cleverest/most clever happy → happiest tired → most tired
Irregular adjectives	good → best bad → worst far → furthest/farthest many → most little → least	

REVIEW



I am happiest person alive



REVIEW

Forgetting the word THE

I am the happiest person alive



REVIEW



She has the most biggest house
I have seen



REVIEW

Using two forms of the superlative

She has the biggest house I have seen



REVIEW



She is the beautifullest person in the class

REVIEW



Using the EST rule too much

She is the most beautiful person
in the class




Practice 1





The Comparative


Correct these sentences and explain why they are incorrect.



Now it's your turn!

The Superlative

- 1) Who is nicest person you know?
- 2) She is the most wise person in the world!
- 3) The most coldest month in my country is January
- 4) The difficultest thing in English is grammar
- 5) I think she is the most prettiest person I know!
- 6) I got the expensivest present this Christmas
- 7) This film is most boring I have ever seen



Now it's your turn!

The Comparative

Who is nicest person you know?

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Who is the nicest person you know?





The Comparative

She is the most wise person in the world

The Comparative

She is the most wise person in the world



She is the wisest person in the world





The Comparative

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The Comparative

The difficultest thing in English is grammar!

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The most difficult thing in English is grammar!





The Comparative

I think she is the most prettiest person I know!

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I think she is the prettiest person I know!





The Comparative

I got the expensivest present this Christmas

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I got the expensivest present this Christmas



I got the most expensive present this Christmas ✓





The Comparative

This film is most boringing I have ever seen

Now it's your turn!

The Comparative

This film is most boring I have ever seen



This film is the most boring I have ever seen



Practice 2





The Comparative

What is the best holiday destination?
Why?

The French Alps



The Caribbean Beach



The Busy London City



Practice 3



Now it's your turn!

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It's conversation time!



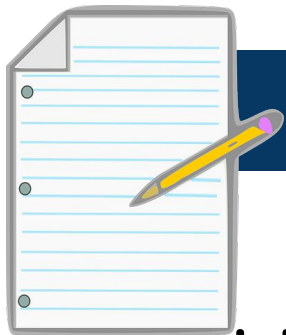
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- Learnt how to create the superlative form in English

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HOMEWORK

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