Comparative form

Short adjectives adjective + er + than

<u>Long adjectives</u> more + adjective + than

Peter is taller than Mary

Your house is more modern than mine.

Superlative form

Short adjectives The + adjective + est in/of

Long adjectives The + most + adjective in/of

The Nile is the longest river in the world

This is the most interesting book of all

Spelling rules

Big - bigger -the biggest

Dirty - dirtier - the dirtiest

Nice - nicer - the nicest

With some 2-syllable adjectives, we can use "-er" OR "more":

quiet → quieter/more quiet the quietest/ the most quiet

clever → cleverer/more clever

narrow → narrower/more narrow

simple → simpler/more simple

Irregular adjectives

Good - better - the best

Bad - worse - the worst

Much/ many - more - the most

Little - less - the least