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26 Adverbs: Equatives, Comparatives, And Superlatives

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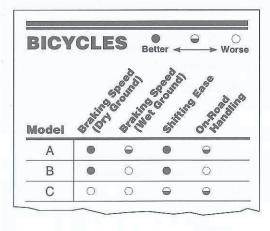
STUDENT EVALUATION

Read this evaluation Luis wrote about his teacher. Fill in the blanks. Use either the adjective or adverb form of the word in parentheses.

English 206	EVALUATION
Instructions: Please write your	general impression of your teacher this
year. All information will be str	2. (strict) Confidential.
4. (except 1. (except 1. (interesting) lesson. Obvious	tional). He was always ready with an' sly, he prepared <u>Care fally</u> for each class. His
class was not, t	but the time always passed <u>quickly</u> because 8. (quick)
it was so <u>interesting</u> . In cor	nclusion, I recommend this teacher highly 10. (high)
I did very <u>vell</u> in his	class, and I'm sure other students will too.

NOT ALL BIKES ARE EQUAL

Read this chart comparing several models of bicycles. Complete the sentences. Use (not) as + adverb + as and the words in parentheses. Change the adjectives to adverbs.



- 1. Model C doesn't stop as quickly as Model A. (stop / quick)
- 2. On wet ground, Model B

staps as slowly as Model C.

3. On dry ground, Model C

doesn't stop as quickly as Model B.

- 4. Model A Stif 5 AS CASILY AS Model B.
- 5. Model C desn't shift as easily as Model B.
- 6. On the road, Model B

doesn't handle as well as Models A and C. (handle / good)

7. Model A hangle as well Model C. (handle / good)



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SPEED READING

Complete the conversation with the equative, comparative, and superlative form of the words in parentheses. Add as or than where necessary.

BILLY: Did you hear about the new speed-reading course? It helps you read

__ you read, the _ MIGUEL: No! The

BILLY: But the ad says after the course you'll read ten times understand five times more, and you won't work any harder

MIGUEL: I'd like to see that. I read more stowly that most people, but I remember detail 7. (slowly)

8. (clearly) and long or than most people do.

BILLY: Maybe you could read more quickly = 2 uicker and st and still remember details.

MIGUEL: Did you read the course description completely?

BILLY: I read it as completely as I always read things.

THE ALL-AROUND ATHLETE

Look at the chart. Then complete the sentences. Use the comparative or superlative form of the adverbs in the box.

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	BROAD JUMP	POLE VAULTING	5-MILE RUN
Athlete I	14.3 feet	7 feet 3 inches	24 minutes
Athlete 2	14.1 feet	7 feet 2 inches	28 minutes
Athlete 3	15.2 feet	7 feet 8 inches	30 minutes
Athlete 4	15.4 feet	8 feet 2 inches	22 minutes

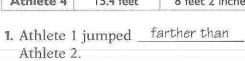
2. Athlete 4 vaulted ____ the highest ___ of all.

3. Athlete 3 ran the slowest - the most slowly
7. Athlete 4 vaulted higher than 4. Athlete 2 ran mare slowly Han Athlete 4. Athlete 2.

5. Athlete 4 jumped the farthest.

8. All in all, Athlete 4 did the best

6. Athlete 1 ran faster from Athlete 2. 9. All in all, Athlete 2 did from wars f





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Listen to the radio announcer. He is describing a horse race. Then listen again and rank the horses from first place (1) to last place (5).

- 4 Exuberant King
- _____ Get Packin'
- 5 Inspired Winner
- ______ Señor Speedy
- 2 Wild Whirl

6 A QUESTIONNAIRE

Answer the questionnaire.

- 1. How many hours do you work/study every week? 42 hrs
- 2. How many books have you read this month?
- 3. When did you last watch a sports event?
- 4. How many hours a week do you participate in sports?
- 5. How many trips have you taken in the last year?
- 6. How many countries have you visited?

Now add your own questions.

- 7. How many movies did you watch last week?
- 8. How many books do you have o
- 9. How many friends do you have?
- 10. How many hrs do you study?

Work in groups. Compare your answers to questions 1–6 with those of your classmates. Ask the group your own questions (7–10) and compare the answers.

Find out:

- 1. Who works/studies the hardest?
- 2. Who reads the most?
- 3. Who has watched a sports event the most recently?
- 4. Who participates in sports the most regularly?
- 5. Who has traveled the most frequently?
- 6. Who has traveled the most extensively?

EXAMPLE:

Sharif works the hardest. He works 45 hours every week.

