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# TEMA PRINCIPAL: ADJETIVOS EN GRADO COMPARATIVO EN INGLÉS

## 10 GRAMMAR FOCUS

### Preferences; comparisons with adjectives

Which sweater do you **prefer**?

I **prefer** the blue one.

It's **nicer than** the green one.

Which one do you **like more**?

I **like** the blue one **more**.

It's **prettier than** the green one.

Which one do you **like better**?

I **like** the blue one **better**.

It's **more stylish than** the green one.

#### Spelling

cheap → cheaper

nice → nicer

pretty → prettier

big → bigger

### 2 Preferences; comparisons with adjectives (page 20)

- ▶ With adjectives of one or two syllables, add *-er* to form the comparative: cheap → cheaper; nice → nicer; pretty → prettier; big → bigger.
- ▶ With adjectives of three or more syllables, use *more* + adjective to form the comparative: expensive → more expensive.

**A** Write the comparatives of these adjectives.

- |               |                                    |                |                              |
|---------------|------------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| 1. attractive | ..... <i>more attractive</i> ..... | 5. interesting | ..... More interesting ..... |
| 2. boring     | ..... More boring .....            | 6. reasonable  | ..... More reasonable .....  |
| 3. exciting   | ..... More exciting .....          | 7. sad         | ..... Sad .....              |
| 4. friendly   | ..... More friendly .....          | 8. warm        | ..... Warm .....             |

**B** Answer the questions. Use the words in parentheses in your answer. Then write another sentence with the second word.

- Which pants do you prefer, the cotton ones or the wool ones? (wool / attractive)  
..... I prefer the wool ones. They're more attractive than the cotton ones .....
- Which ring do you like better, the gold one or the silver one? (silver / interesting)  
..... I liked the silver ring more. Silver is more interesting .....
- Which one do you prefer, the silk jacket or the wool jacket? (silk / pretty)  
..... I prefer the silk jacket. They're more pretty than the wool jacket. ....
- Which ones do you like more, the black shoes or the purple ones? (purple / exciting)  
..... I liked more the purple ones. They're more exciting than the black shoes. ....

# 1) Selecciona la respuesta correcta.

- a) Moscow is cold – **colder** – coldest than Madrid
- b) Cars are much expensive – cheaper – **more expensive** than bicycles
- c) Olympic athletes train so much – less – **much more** than other athletes.
- d) Non-smokers usually live much – **more** – longer than smokers.
- e) Cats are **faster** – fast – slower than mice.
- f) Skydiving is safer – **more dangerous** – dangerous than most sports.
- g) Fried food is healthier – **greasier** – saltier than salads.
- h) A good advice could be much useful – useful – **more useful** than money.

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