Exercises : The comparative and the superlative

Arabic A2

Printable worksheet of progressive exercises on "The comparative and the superlative" (Arabic A2), with a separate answer key on coran-alim.com.

The exercises go from easiest to hardest. Answers on coran-alim.com.

Exercise 1

Translate into Arabic, with the vowels.

1. bigger
   .....
2. smaller
   .....
3. faster
   .....
4. closer
   .....
5. better
   .....

Exercise 2

Translate into English.

1. أَجْمَلُ
   .....
2. أَطْوَلُ
   .....
3. أَرْخَصُ
   .....
4. أَغْلَى
   .....
5. أَيٌّ
   .....

Exercise 3

Write the missing vowels (tashkīl).

1. أجمل مدينة
   .....
2. الأكبر
   .....

3. أسرع من

.....

4. أي فصل

.....

Exercise 4

Write the comparative (pattern أَفْعَلُ).

1. كَبِيرٌ

.....

2. صَغِيرٌ

.....

3. جَمِيلٌ

.....

4. سَرِيعٌ

.....

5. قَرِيبٌ

.....

6. طَوِيلٌ

.....

Exercise 5

Write the superlative with ال.

1. أَكْبَرُ

.....

2. أَجْمَلُ

.....

3. أَسْرَعُ

.....

4. أَرْخَصُ

.....

Exercise 6

Put the adjective into the comparative and add مِنْ.

1. الْقَاهِرَةُ (كَبِيرٌ) مِنْ بَارِيسَ.

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2. السَّفَرُ بِالطَّائِرَةِ (سَرِيعٌ) مِنَ الْقِطَارِ.

3. الْقِطَارُ (رَخِيصٌ) مِنَ الطَّائِرَةِ.

4. الْفُسْتَانُ (جَمِيلٌ) مِنَ الْقَمِيصِ.

Exercise 7

Put into the feminine (the comparative does not change).

1. أَخِي أَكْبَرُ مِنِّي.

2. الْوَلَدُ أَسْرَعُ مِنْ أَخِيهِ.

3. هُوَ أَطْوَلُ مِنِّي.

Exercise 8

Translate into Arabic, with the vowels.

1. Cairo is bigger than Paris.

2. The train is cheaper than the plane.

3. My brother is smaller than me.

4. Travelling by plane is faster.

5. Spring is the most beautiful season.

Exercise 9

Translate into English.

1. السَّفَرُ بِالطَّائِرَةِ أَسْرَعُ مِنَ الْقِطَارِ.

2. وَالْقِطَارُ أَرْخَصُ.

3. أَيُّ فَصْلٍ هُوَ الْأَجْمَلُ؟

4. الرَّبِيعُ هُوَ الْأَجْمَلُ.

Exercise 10

Translate into Arabic, with the vowels.

1. the biggest city

   .....

2. the most beautiful country

   .....

3. the longest trip

   .....

4. the smallest hotel

   .....

Exercise 11

Translate into Arabic, with the vowels.

1. Which city is the biggest?

   .....

2. Which country is the most beautiful?

   .....

3. Which hotel is the cheapest?

   .....

Exercise 12

Translate into Arabic, with the vowels.

1. better

   .....

2. more expensive

   .....

3. cheaper

   .....

Exercise 13

Put the words in order to make a sentence.

1. مِنْ / أَكْبَرُ / بَارِيسَ / الْقَاهِرَةُ

   .....

2. أَسْرَعُ / الطَّائِرَةُ / الْقِطَارِ / مِنَ

   .....

3. هُوَ / الرَّبِيعُ / الْأَجْمَلُ

   .....

4. أَجْمَلُ / هَذِهِ / مَدِينَةٍ

   .....

Exercise 14

Correct the mistake in the sentence.

1. الْقَاهِرَةُ أَكْبَرُ بَارِيسَ.

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2. الْبِنْتُ أَكْبَرَةٌ مِنِّي.

.....

3. الْقِطَارُ أَرْخَصُ مِنَ الطَّائِرَةُ.

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Exercise 15

Find the odd one out.

1. أَكْبَرُ – أَصْغَرُ – أَسْرَعُ – كَبِيرٌ

.....

2. أَيُّ – مَنْ – أَجْمَلُ – مَتَى

.....

Exercise 16

Complete with the right word.

1. الطَّائِرَةُ ... مِنَ الْقِطَارِ. (plus rapide)

.....

2. الْقِطَارُ ... (moins cher)

.....

3. الرَّبِيعُ هُوَ ... (le plus beau)

.....

4. أَيُّ ... هُوَ الْأَجْمَلُ؟ (saison)

.....

Exercise 17

Write the opposite.

1. أَكْبَرُ

.....

2. أَقْرَبُ

.....

3. أَرْخَصُ

.....

Exercise 18

Read the text, then say true or false: الْقَاهِرَةُ أَكْبَرُ مِنْ بَارِيسَ، لَكِنَّ بَارِيسَ أَجْمَلُ. السَّفَرُ بِالطَّائِرَةِ أَسْرَعُ مِنَ الْقِطَارِ، وَالْقِطَارُ أَرْخَصُ. الرَّبِيعُ هُوَ الْأَجْمَلُ.

1. Cairo is bigger than Paris.

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2. Paris is less beautiful than Cairo.

.....

3. The plane is faster than the train.

.....

Exercise 19

Answer the questions about the text: الْقَاهِرَةُ أَكْبَرُ مِنْ بَارِيسَ، لَكِنَّ بَارِيسَ أَجْمَلُ. السَّفَرُ بِالطَّائِرَةِ أَسْرَعُ مِنَ الْقِطَارِ، وَالْقِطَارُ أَرْخَصُ. الرَّبِيعُ هُوَ الْأَجْمَلُ.

1. أَيُّ مَدِينَةٍ أَكْبَرُ: الْقَاهِرَةُ أَمْ بَارِيسُ؟

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2. مَا الْأَرْخَصُ: الْقِطَارُ أَمِ الطَّائِرَةُ؟

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3. أَيُّ فَصْلٍ هُوَ الْأَجْمَلُ؟

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Exercise 20

Write the missing vowels (tashkīl).

1. القاهرة أكبر من باريس.

.....

2. أي فصل هو الأجمل؟

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3. القطار أرخص.

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Exercise 21

Write a short text of 3 to 4 sentences (possible text).

1. Compare two cities or two means of transport (3 sentences with the comparative).

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