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▶ GRAMMAR

The words in bold are incorrect. Write the correct comparative forms.

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1.	The stream is more slow than the river. <u>slower</u>
2.	This book is good than the one I read last week.
3.	My brother says that rhinoceroses are more ugly than elephants.
4.	I thought the dinosaur museum was exciting than the space one.
5.	My muscles were more weak before I started exercising.
6.	Temperatures at the equator tend to be more hot
 G	RAMMAR
Com brac	plete the sentences using the comparatives of the adjectives in kets.
4	The lake near the mountain is deeper (deep) than the one at the park
	The lake near the mountain is <u>deeper</u> (deep) than the one at the park. My suitcase is (heavy) than yours.
	The train tickets to Paris were (cheap) last year.
4.	The Earth is (far) away from the Sun than the planet
_	Mercury.
	This restaurant is (noise) than the café.
6.	The view from my hotel room is (beautiful) than the one from my home.
⊳ ∨	OCABULARY
Com	plete the sentences with the landscape words below.
	each co astline farmland island nountains river sea stream volcano
	Greece has 13,676 km of <u>coastline</u> – it's the 11th longest in the world. The UK has a lot of and produces many different types of food.
3.	food. The in Austria are popular during the winter with skiing
A	tourists.
4.	I only swim in the when the water is warm and the waves
E	aren't too big. The world's largest active.
5.	The world's largest active is Mauna Loa in Hawaii.

6.	A narrow	flows at the bottom of my garden, and
	sometimes we fish there.	
7.	We went to the	every day on our summer holiday last
	year.	
В.	The longest	in the world is the Nile, which runs through
	ten countries.	
9.	The world's largest	is Greenland, which is over two
	million km²	

VOCABULARY

Choose the correct answer.

- **1.** I looked at the **beautiful / popular** moon through my telescope.
- 2. We got on an early / slow flight from the airport yesterday morning.
- 3. I washed my sweater a few hours ago, and it's still wet / dry.
- **4.** I just read a really **interesting / boring** book about our Solar System it was great!
- 5. When I was ten years old, I had long / shallow hair.
- 6. This street can be very ugly / dangerous at night.
- 7. Our planet is quite late / far from the Sun.
- 8. My dad drinksthick / strong coffee in the morning.

▶ GRAMMAR

Write sentences using the superlative form.

- 1. blue whale / heavy / animal

 The blue whale is the heaviest animal.
- 2. my brother / young /person in my family

4. football / popular / sport in my country

2	spaghetti / good / food		
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- 5. snakes / scary / animals
- 6. Science / interesting / subject at school

▶READING

Read the article and answer the questions. Write full sentences.



Ukraine

Ukraine has a border with seven other countries and has a coastline that is 2,782 km long. Its coastline is on the Black Sea and on a smaller sea called the Sea of Azov. The country is over 603,000 km2 in area and is the second largest in Europe and the 44th largest in the world. Ukraine is nearly as big as Texas. Kiev is the capital and the biggest city in the country. The city's population is over 2.7 million.

Most of the country consists of plains. The average height above sea level is only 175 metres. The country's main mountain range is the Carpathian Mountains in the west. Its highest mountain, Hora Hoverla, is 2,061 metres high. There are almost 23,000 rivers in Ukraine. Its longest river is the Dnieper, which is 966 km long. Lake Synevyr is the biggest lake in the Carpathian Mountains. The most popular fish there are carp and bream. It is also the most important lake in Ukraine, as it provides the country with most of its water. 12% of Ukraine's surface is covered in forests and 58% of the land is farmland. Ukraine is known as the 'bread basket of Europe', as it grows so much food.

- On what two seas does Ukraine have coastline?
 On the Black Sea and the Sea of Azov.
- 2. Which is bigger, Ukraine or Texas?
- 3. What is the capital of Ukraine?
- 4. What type of landscape does Ukraine consist of mostly?
- 5. What is the importance of Lake Synevyr?
- 6. Why is Ukraine known as the 'bread basket of Europe'?

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Read the text. Find the facts related to these names and numbers. Then complete the table.



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Lake Synevyr	9
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LISTENING

O track 7 Listen to two friends discussing a place to go camping. Complete the sentences with an appropriate word.

1.	Petit Praz is the <u>highest</u> campsite in Europe.
2.	Sandra says the Petit Praz campsite sounds c
3.	John says it's a g place to go mountain biking.
4.	The Austrian campsite is more e than the one in
	Switzerland.
5.	The easiest month to find space for your tent is J
6.	The w at Petit Praz in June isn't as good as it is in July or
	August.
L	ISTENING
	ack 7 Listen and decide if the sentences are true or false. Then ect the false sentences.

It is less windy at the Petit Praz campsite than other places.
 False. The Petit Praz campsite is one of the windiest campsites.

- 2. John says it's boring to go camping in the mountains.
- 3. The campsite is right near the edge of the mountain.
- There are many outdoor activities for people to do at Petit Praz.
- **5.** Sandra thinks mountain biking is more fun than climbing.

6.	Sandra's been camping in Austria before.
7.	The campsite in Switzerland is only open for a few months.
8.	The Petit Praz campsite is the least popular in Switzerland.
9.	The campsite is busier in July and August than June.
10.	Sandra suggests it's probably better to go in June.
11.	John thinks the best time to go is in August.
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